

**THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

Before Commissioners: Pat Apple, Chairman  
Shari Feist Albrecht  
Jay Scott Emler

In the Matter of an Order to Show Cause ) Docket No. 17-CONS-3129-CSHO  
issued to William T. Wax ("Operator") regarding )  
responsibility under K.S.A. 55-179 for unplugged ) CONSERVATION DIVISION  
wells on an expired license. )  
 ) License No. 3473

**PREHEARING OFFICER ORDER CONTINUING PREHEARING CONFERENCE**

1. On January 24, 2017, the Commission designated Dustin L. Kirk as the prehearing officer to address any scheduling or procedural matters pursuant to K.S.A. 77-517(b).

2. On February 21, 2017, at the Prehearing Conference, the Parties agreed to continue the prehearing conference until **Tuesday, March 21, 2017, at 2:15 p.m.**

**THEREFORE, THE PREHEARING OFFICER ORDERS:**

A. The Prehearing Conference shall be continued until **Tuesday, March 21, 2017, at 2:15 p.m.** by telephone. The conference call information is: telephone number: (866) 620-7326, Conference Code PIN #7632914771.

B. At the Prehearing Conference, parties shall be prepared to discuss deadlines for filing testimony and briefs, discovery procedures, and scheduling of a hearing with the Commission.

C. At the Prehearing Conference, without further notice, this proceeding may be converted into a conference hearing or a summary proceeding for disposition of this matter as provided by the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act (KAPA), K.S.A. 77-501 et seq. Any party that fails to attend or participate in the Prehearing Conference, hearing, or other stage of this proceeding may be held in default pursuant to KAPA.

D. Pursuant to K.A.R. 82-1-228(d)(2), corporations must enter an appearance via an attorney. If a corporation fails to enter an appearance via an attorney prior to the Prehearing Conference, it may be held in default pursuant to KAPA.

Dated: February 22, 2017

/s/ Dustin L. Kirk  
Dustin L. Kirk, Deputy General Counsel  
Prehearing Officer

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on 3/9/17, I caused a complete and accurate copy of this Order to be served via United States mail, with the postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

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