THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Before Commissioners:

Jay Scott Emler, Chairman
Shari Feist Albrecht
Pat Apple

In the matter of an Order to Show Cause issued)

to Nordmeyer Oil, Inc. ("Operator") for its)
failure to comply with either K.A.R. 82-3-400)

or K.A.R. 82-3-409 regarding injection that)
took place during the 2015 calendar year.

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CONSERVATION DIVISION

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License No.: 6788

MOTION FOR AN ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE, THE DESIGNATION OF A PREHEARING OFFICER, AND THE SCHEDULING OF A PREHEARING CONFERENCE

For the following reasons, Commission Staff moves for an Order to Show Cause, the designation of a prehearing officer, and the scheduling of a prehearing conference in this matter:

I. JURISDICTION & LEGAL STANDARD

- 1. The Commission has jurisdiction to regulate oil and gas production in Kansas under Chapter 55 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated and the General Rules and Regulations for the Conservation of Crude Oil and Natural Gas, K.A.R. 82-3-100 *et seq.*
- 2. K.S.A. 55-162 provides the Commission with jurisdiction to institute proceedings to enforce the laws of Kansas and Commission rules, regulations, and orders. K.S.A. 55-164 provides the Commission with authority to impose a penalty for a violation of such rules, regulations, and orders.
- 3. K.A.R. 82-3-400 provides that the penalty for unauthorized injection shall be \$1,000 for first-time violators, \$5,000 for second-time violators, and \$10,000 and operator license review for third-time violators.
- 4. K.A.R. 82-3-409(b) provides that each operator of an injection well shall submit a report to the conservation division, showing for the previous calendar year the following

information, by March 1 of the following year: the monthly average wellhead pressure; the maximum wellhead pressure; the amount and kind of fluid injected into each well; and any other performance information required by the conservation division.

II. STAFF'S ALLEGATION OF FACTS

- 5. On July 23, 2015, Operator was penalized in Docket 16-CONS-065-CPEN for either conducting unauthorized injection in violation of K.A.R. 82-3-400, or misreporting injection in violation of K.A.R. 82-3-409, during the 2014 calendar year at the Tipton R #3B, API #15-207-02445.
- 6. In February 2016, Operator reported unauthorized injection during the 2015 calendar year at the same well. An August 1, 2016, Commission Staff inspection did not conclusively indicate whether Operator conducted unauthorized injection in violation of K.A.R. 82-3-400, or instead misreported its injection in violation of K.A.R. 82-3-409, for the 2015 calendar year. ²

III. CONCLUSION

7. Based on the above, Staff believes that the Commission should cause Operator to come before it at a hearing to show cause why a penalty constituting an actual and substantial economic deterrent should not be assessed against Operator for its violation of either K.A.R. 82-3-400 or K.A.R. 82-3-409 for the 2015 calendar year, which constitutes a second-time violation at the well at issue.

² See Exhibit B.

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¹ See Exhibit A. The authorized injection pressure was accurately auto-filled by KOLAR in Section II of the Annual Fluid Report Form, and Operator reported exceeding it in Section III.

Respectfully submitted,

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Kansas Corporation Commission



KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Form U3C June 2015 Form must be Typed Form must be completed on a per well basis

ANNUAL REPORT OF PRESSURE MONITORING, FLUID INJECTION AND ENHANCED RECOVERY

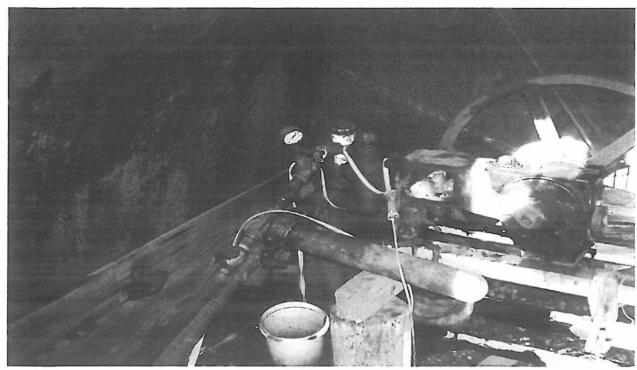
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KCC DISTRICT III OFFICE FIELD REPORT PHOTO ID FORM



Operator: Nordmeyer Oil KLN: #6788 **Tipton** Lease: 21-25-14 Legal: WO PIC ID #: Facing West County Picture #1 Subject: Disposal Pump Pic Orientation:

FEL: LATITUDE FSL: LONGITUDE

API#:

Date: 8/1/2016 **TIME:** AM

Staff: Mike Heffern

Additional Information:

This picture #1 shows the disposal pump in the pumphouse on the Tipton lease, the pump is not running, no pressure on the guage.

KCC DISTRICT III OFFICE FIELD REPORT PHOTO ID FORM



Operator: Nordmeyer Oil KLN: #6788 Lease: **Tipton** 21-25-14 Legal: WO County PIC ID #: Facing South Subject: Disposal Pump Pic Orientation: Picture #2 FEL: 2425 LATITUDE 37.85748 FSL: 2446 LONGITUDE -95.87488

API#: 15-207-2445-00-00

Date: 8/1/2016 **TIME:** AM

Staff: Mike Heffern

Additional Information:

This picture #2 shows the disposal well on the Tipton lease, no guage on the well.