THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Before Commissioners:

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In the matter of the failure of Patrick Development Corporation ("Operator") to comply with K.A.R. 82-3-400 at the Hegwald #d-1 (WSW), Hendricks #PDC 11, Hendricks #PDC 10 and Henrichs #PDC 9 wells in Woodson and Allen Counties, Kansas. Docket No.: 15-CONS-197-CPEN

CONSERVATION DIVISION

License No.: 6279

WITHDRAWAL OF MOTION FOR DEFAULT ORDER

On January 6, 2015, Staff filed a motion for a default order because Operator failed to submit pre-filed testimony. The Commission's October 2, 2014, Order stated that failure to participate in any stage of the proceeding shall result in default. The Prehearing Officer's October 23, 2014, and December 8, 2014, orders, which provided deadlines for submission of pre-filed testimony, both stated that failure to meet any deadline may result in default.

Operator does not deny its failure to submit testimony. Instead, it calls Staff's motion "ludicrous" and "an egregious effort to violate basic due process rights," stating that it wants to cross-examine Staff's witness.¹ Although the aforementioned orders state that default is a distinct possibility when no testimony is submitted, Operator did not inform the Commission or Staff of its plan to present no testimony. Nevertheless, Staff withdraws its motion.

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ See Response of Patrick Development Corporation To Commission Staff's Motion for a Default Order.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on 1815, I caused a complete and accurate copy of this Withdrawal of Motion to be served via United States mail, with the postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

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