

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

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

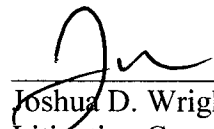
In the matter of an Order to Show Cause) Docket No.: 17-CONS-3211-CSHO
issued to NASA Salvage & Oil ("Operator"))
regarding responsibility under K.S.A. 55-179) CONSERVATION DIVISION
for unplugged wells on an expired license.)
_____) License No.: 32017

MOTION TO CANCEL PREHEARING CONFERENCE AND CLOSE DOCKET

On October 18, 2016, Staff filed a motion requesting that an order to show cause be issued against Operator, based upon Commission records indicating that an unplugged well remained on Operator's expired license. On January 12, 2017, the Commission issued an Order to Show Cause, setting a February 9, 2017, prehearing conference. The prehearing conference was subsequently continued to May 4, 2017.

Based upon conversations with Operator and other individuals, and a full review of Commission files, Staff currently believes it is more likely than not that Operator is not responsible for the well in question. Staff has removed the well from Operator's expired license and will determine whether there is a viable, different responsible party against which to initiate proceedings. Accordingly, Staff asks that the prehearing conference be cancelled and that this docket be closed.

Respectfully submitted,



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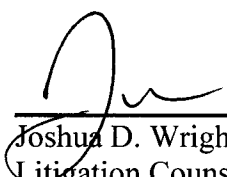
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on 5-3-17, I caused a complete and accurate copy of this Motion to be served via United States mail, with the postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

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And delivered by email to:

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