

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

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

In the Matter of the Application of Pintail)	Docket No. 16-CONS-4048-CEXC
Petroleum Ltd. for an Exception to the 10-year)	
Time Limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for its)	CONSERVATION DIVISION
Kleeman 2A well located in C S2 SW/4 of)	
Section 36, Township 22 South, Range 36 West,)	License No.: 5086
Kearny County, Kansas.)	

**ORDER DESIGNATING PREHEARING OFFICER
& SETTING PREHEARING CONFERENCE**

1. On May 24, 2016, Pintail Petroleum, Ltd. (Operator) filed an application requesting an exception to K.A.R. 82-3-111. On July 5, 2016, Commission Staff filed a motion to designate a prehearing officer and set this matter for a prehearing conference. Operator has not responded to Staff's motion.

2. The Commission finds that a Prehearing Officer should be designated in this proceeding to address any matters listed in K.S.A. 77-517(b). The Commission also finds that an initial prehearing conference should be scheduled in this matter.

THEREFORE, THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

A. The Prehearing Officer in this proceeding shall be Dustin L. Kirk, Deputy General Counsel, Kansas Corporation Commission, 1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604, telephone number 785-271-3198, email address d.kirk@kcc.ks.gov.

B. A Prehearing Conference shall be held on Thursday, August 18, 2016, at 2:30 p.m. by telephone. The conference call information is: telephone number: (866)620-7326, Room 3214, Conference Code PIN #7632914771.

C. 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.

D. 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.

E. 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.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Emler, Chairman; Albrecht, Commissioner; Apple, Commissioner

Dated: AUG 09 2016



Amy L. Green
Secretary to the Commission

Mailed Date: August 9, 2016

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on August 9, 2016, 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:

Walter Innes Phillips
Pintail Petroleum, Ltd.
225 N. Market, Suite 300
Wichita, Kansas 67202

And delivered electronically to:

John McCannon
Conservation Division Central Office

/s/ Cynthia K. Maine
Cynthia K. Maine
Administrative Assistant
Kansas Corporation Commission