THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Before Commissioners:	Andrew J. French, Chairperson Dwight D. Keen Annie Kuether				
In the matter of the failure of M (Operator) to comply with K.A.R. 8)	Docket No: 25-CONS-3087-CPEN CONSERVATION DIVISION		
)	License No: 5935		

ORDER

On September 10, 2024, the Commission issued a Penalty Order in this docket against Operator for violation of K.A.R. 82-3-120. Upon review of the file, the Commission finds it appropriate to expand the scope of this proceeding to include: (1) whether Operator is legally responsible for the proper care and control of the wells at issue pursuant to K.S.A. 55-179, and (2) what Operator's obligations should be if Operator is responsible under that statute. The Presiding Officer will contact the parties regarding the need for any additional pre-filed testimony.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

French, Chairperson; Keen, Commission	oner; Kuether, Commissioner
Dated: 02/04/2025	Abgard Energy
	Abigail D. Emery
	Acting Secretary to the Commission
Mailed Date: 02/04/2025	
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned,	certify that a true	copy of the a	ttached Orde	has been serv	ed to the following	by means of
electronic service o	n_02/04/2025		<u>_</u> .			

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