BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

In the matter of resolving various regulatory)	Docket Nos: 23-CONS-3017-CPEN
violations associated with Ace Energy, LLC)	23-CONS-3029-CPEN
(Operator))	23-CONS-3087-CPEN
)	
)	CONSERVATION DIVISION
)	License No. 34998

MOTION FOR DISCOVERY AND INSPECTION

Comes now, Ace Energy, LLC, by and through its counsel of record, David J. Bideau, of Bideau Law Offices, LLC, Chanute, Kansas, and moves for entry of an order for discovery and inspection herein pursuant to K.S.A. 77-517(b) of the Kansas Administrative Procedures Act for the KCC and its staff to provide copies or photographs of the following:

- 1) All written documents or recorded statements in the possession of KCC relating to the allegations, issues or penalty orders issued in Docket 23-CONS-3087-CPEN.
- 2) Books, papers, documents, e-mails, electronic media, tangible objects, or copies or portions thereof, which are or have been within the possession, custody or control of the KCC or its staff that are material to the allegations contained in Docket 23-CONS-3087-CPEN.
- 3) Copies of notes, memorandum, reports, e-mails, electronic communications, written communications or documents. statements or affidavits, made, created, signed, adopted or approved by KCC staff or any party, person, witness or prospective witness, who has or will testify as a witness for the KCC or provide evidence, information, documents, direct or rebuttal

testimony to or on behalf of the KCC relating to the allegations, issues, or penalty orders issued in Docket 23-CONS-3087-CPEN.

- 4) Results or reports of any scientific tests or experiments made by or at the direction of KCC or its staff relating to the allegations, penalty orders or issues in Docket 23-CONS-3087-CPEN.
- 5) Copies of any audio or visual recordings made by KCC or its staff relating to the allegations, issues or penalty orders issued in Docket 23-CONS-3087-CPEN, including but not limited to photographs, video recordings, digital records or recordings, electronic media, and all audio tapes or recordings.
- 6) Any recorded or written statements of any witness material to or relating to the allegations, penalty orders or issues in Docket 23-CONS-3087-CPEN.
- 7) Names, current addresses and phone numbers of all witnesses who will testify or provide evidence, direct or rebuttal testimony for the KCC in connection Docket 23-CONS-3087-CPEN.

WHEREFORE, Ace Energy, LLC, requests entry of an order for discovery and inspection by the hearing officer pursuant to K.S.A. 77-517(b) of the Kansas Administrative Procedures Act or as otherwise provided by law.

Respectfully submitted,

BIDEAU LAW OFFICES, LLC

By: David J. Bideau #11285

P. O. Box 945

Chanute, Kansas 66720-0945 (620) 431-2720 (Voice) (620) 431-2742 (Fax)

E-mail: djb@bideaulaw.com Attorneys for Operator/Licensee

Ace Energy, LLC

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing Motion for Discovery and Inspection was served upon the following parties via electronic e-filing or by depositing the same in the U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows on this 1st day of December, 2022.

Electronic filing to: Kansas Corporation Commission

Conservation Division 266 North Main, Suite 220 Wichita, Kansas 67202-1513

Copy to: Tristan Kimbrell

Litigation Counsel

Kansas Corporation Commission 266 North Main, Suite 220

Wichita, Kansas 67202-1513 E-mail: t.kimbrell@kec.ks.gov Copy to:

Jonathan R. Myers

Assistant General Counsel

Kansas Corporation Commission

266 North Main, Suite 220 Wichita, Kansas 67202-1513 E-mail: j.myers@kcc.ks.gov

Copy to:

Troy Russell

Kansas Corporation Commission

Conservation Division - District Office No. 3

137 East 21st Street Chanute, Kansas 66720 E-mail: <u>t.russell@kcc.ks.gov</u>

Copy to:

Todd Bryant, Geologist Specialist Kansas Corporation Commission 266 North Main, Suite 220 Wichita, Kansas 67202 E-mail: t.bryant@kcc.ks.gov

Copy to:

Ryan Duling

Kansas Corporation Commission

Conservation Division - District Office No. 3

137 East 21st Street Chanute, Kansas 66720 E-mail: r.duling@kcc.ks.gov

Copy to:

Ace Energy, LLC

11704 Aberdeen Road

Leawood, Kansas 66211-2921 E-mail: jfreiden@me.com

BIDEAU LAW OFFICES, LLC

By:

David J. Bideau #11285 P. O. Box 945 Chanute, Kansas 66720-0945 (620) 431-2720 (Voice)

(620) 431-2742 (Fax)

E-mail: djb@bideaulaw.com
Attorneys for Operator/Licensee

Ace Energy, LLC