## THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Before Commissioners:

Shari Feist Albrecht, Chair Jay Scott Emler Dwight D. Keen

In the matter of a general investigation to				)	
propose	regulatory	amendments	to	)	
K.A.R. 82-3-206 and K.A.R. 82-3-307.			)		
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Docket No. 18-CONS-3282-CINV CONSERVATION DIVISION License No. N/A

# **ORDER CLOSING DOCKET**

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This matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission). Having reviewed its files and records, and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission makes the following findings and conclusions:

1. On January 23, 2018, Commission Conservation Staff (Staff) filed a "Motion to Open Docket for the purpose of amending the Commission's Conservation Division Rules and Regulations and for an Order Authorizing Submission of Proposed Amendments for Approval Pursuant to the Rules and Regulations Filing Act."<sup>1</sup>

2. On February 8, 2018, the Commission issued its Order Opening Docket and Authorizing Submission of Proposed Amendments to Conservation Rules and Regulations for Approval Pursuant to the Rules and Regulations Filing Act (Order Opening Docket). The Commissioned ordered the docket to "serve as the official repository for the filing of documents related to the amendment process."<sup>2</sup> Pursuant to the Order Opening Docket, Staff filed several Status Updates over the course of the amendment process.<sup>3</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Motion to Open Docket and Authorize Submission of Proposed Amendments for Approval Pursuant to the Rules and Regulations Filing Act, p. 1 (Jan. 23, 2018) (Motion to Open).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Order Opening Docket, Ordering Clause A (Feb. 8, 2018).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> See Status Updates, filed on March 16, March 28, and May 3, 2018.

3. On June 18, 2018, Staff filed a final Status Update and a Motion to Close Docket (Motion), noting that on May 24, 2018, the Commission adopted the proposed regulations; on May 31, 2018, the regulations were published in the Kansas Register; and on June 15, 2018, the adopted regulations became effective.<sup>4</sup> Staff attached the following to its Motion: (1) Staff's response to the April 24, 2018, JCARR letter; (2) a list of attendees from the May 24, 2018, public hearing; (3) all written comments filed in this matter; (4) a record of the roll call vote; and (5) a copy of the May 31, 2018, publication from the pertinent pages of the Kansas Register.

4. Given the regulations' effective date of June 15, 2018, no further filings or updates are necessary, and thus, the Commission finds this docket shall be closed.

# THEREFORE, THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

A. The docket is closed.

B. Any party may file and serve a petition for reconsideration pursuant to the requirements and time limits established by K.S.A. 77-529(a)(1).<sup>5</sup>

C. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties for the purpose of entering such further orders as it deems necessary.

# BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Albrecht, Chair; Emler, Commissioner; Keen, Commissioner

Dated: 07/12/2018

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Lynn M. Retz Secretary to the Commission

Date Mailed: 07/13/2018

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Status Update & Motion to Close Docket, ¶ 7 (June 18, 2018).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> K.S.A. 55-162; K.S.A. 55-606; K.S.A. 55-707; K.S.A. 77-503(c); K.S.A. 77-531(b).

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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