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THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Before Commissioners:	Pat Apple, Chai Shari Feist Albr Jay Scott Emler	echt	1
In the matter of the Notice of Denial of License Renewal Application to Jones Gas Corporation.)	Docket No.: 17-CONS-3673-CMSC
)	CONSERVATION DIVISION
)	License No.: 32654

PRE-FILED REBUTTAL TESTIMONY

OF

CYNTHIA K. MAINE

- 1 Q. What is your name?
- 2 A. Cynthia K. Maine.
- 3 Q. Are you the same Cynthia K. Maine who submitted direct testimony in this matter?
- 4 A. Yes.
- 5 Q. Have you reviewed the testimony filed on behalf of Jones Gas Corporation?
- 6 A. Yes.
- 7 Q. Mr. Jones's testimony, page 5 lines 8-11, refers to a May 24, 2017, letter that referenced
- 8 Metro Energy Group. Is Metro Energy Group at issue in this docket?
- 9 A. No. In my direct testimony, when I stated I reviewed correspondence sent by KCC legal
- staff to Jones Gas Corporation, that was the correspondence I reviewed, the Notice of
- Denial of License Renewal Application. The reference to Metro Energy Group was a
- clerical error; the issue is Mr. Jones's association with Stroud Oil Properties, which is
- also referenced in the Notice of Denial of License Renewal Application.
- Q. Mr. Jones's testimony, Page 2, Lines 4-7, and Page 3, Lines 7-20, references a Gaier #1
- well. Is that well at issue in this docket?
- 16 A. No. The issue in this docket is that Mr. Jones is president of Jones Gas Corporation, and
- was also president of Stroud Oil Properties, License #30084, and that Stroud's license is
- suspended per Docket 16-CONS-420-CSHO. At this point, the only reason Stroud's
- license is suspended is that one unplugged well remains on the license, the Gaier #2.
- Q. How did you determine that only one unplugged well remains on Stroud's license?
- 21 A. In my pre-filed testimony, I stated that I reviewed well inventories for Stroud. What that
- means is I reviewed the well inventory as it stood in Docket 16-CONS-420-CSHO, and
- compared it to what currently remains on the license. That is how I know only one
- 24 unplugged well remains, and that the others have been resolved.
- Q. Mr. Jones's testimony, Page 4, Lines 11-15, state that Mr. Jones was not involved as a
- resident agent for Stroud Oil Properties after June 2000. Is that assertion correct?
- A. No. I have attached a screenshot of the Kansas Secretary of State's website, which shows
- Stroud's last annual report was filed in December 1999, the entity was forfeit in July
- 29 2001, and that Mr. Jones remains the registered agent (Exhibit C).

- 1 Q. Mr. Jones's testimony, Page 3, Lines 7-12, references a Transfer of Operation (T-1) Form
- for the Gaier #1. Does that T-1 Form indicate the suspension of Stroud's license is based
- 3 upon a Staff clerical error?
- 4 A. Not at all. First, the Gaier #1 is not at issue in this proceeding. Second, as indicated on
- 5 the T-1 Form, Ralph Gaier and Letty Gaier did not have an operator's license, and
- 6 Commission records indicate they never obtained one. Standard Commission practice
- back in 1992 when the form was received was the same as it is today. Staff would have
- 8 returned the form as unable to be processed, because of the lack of license.
- 9 Q. Does this conclude your rebuttal testimony as of this date, October 4, 2017?
- 10 A. Yes.



Business Entity Search Date: 10/03/2017

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Business Summary

Current Entity Name

Business Entity ID Number

STROUD OIL PROPERTIES, INC.

7397029

Current Mailing Address: 210 WEST 6TH ST STE 1200, FORT WORTH, TX 76102

Business Entity Type: FOREIGN FOR PROFIT

Date of Formation in Kansas: 04/07/1989

State of Organization: OK

Current Status: FORFEITED - FAILED TO TIMELY FILE A/R

Resident Agent and Registered Office

Resident Agent: GEORGE R. JONES

Registered Office: STE 1210 125 N MARKET, WICHITA, KS 67202

Annual Reports

The following annual report information is valid for active and delinquent status entities only.

Tax Closing Month: 12

The Last Annual Report on File: 12/1999

Next Annual Report Due: 04/15/2001

Forfeiture Date: 07/15/2001

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Paula Murray, certify that on <u>October 4, 2017</u>, I did cause a true and correct copy of the Pre-Filed Rebuttal Testimony of Cynthia Maine to be served electronically to the following:

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