

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

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

In the matter of an Order to Show Cause issued) Docket No.: 18-CONS-3043-CSHO
to Kutter Oil Co. ("Operator") regarding)
responsibility under K.S.A. 55-179 for) CONSERVATION DIVISION
unplugged wells on an expired license.)
) License No.: 31785
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MOTION TO CLOSE DOCKET

Commission Staff (Staff) of the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas
(Commission) files this Motion to Close Docket. In support of its motion, Staff states as follows:

I. Background

1. On July 19, 2017, Staff filed a motion for an order to show cause, alleging that Operator was out of compliance with Commission statutes and regulations because two unplugged wells remained on its expired license.

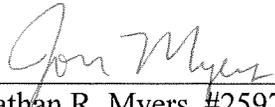
2. On August 22, 2017, the Commission issued an Order to Show Cause, setting a September 14, 2017, prehearing conference, which was subsequently continued to November 9, 2017, via a prehearing officer order.

II. Motion

3. Staff has determined that both the wells at issue in this docket have now been plugged. The matter at issue has thus now been resolved, and so Staff now moves the Commission to close this docket. Staff notes that closure of this docket would render the scheduled prehearing conference unnecessary.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons described above, Staff respectfully moves the Commission to close the docket.

Respectfully submitted,

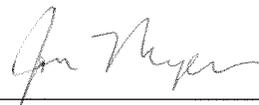
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VERIFICATION

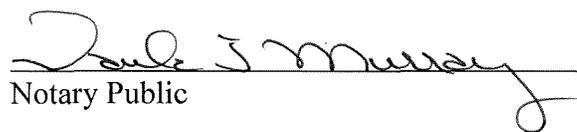
STATE OF KANSAS)
) ss.
COUNTY OF SEDGWICK)

Jonathan R. Myers, of lawful age, being duly sworn upon his oath deposes and states that he is Litigation Counsel for the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas; that he has read and is familiar with the foregoing *Motion*, and attests that the statements therein are true to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

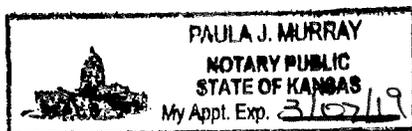


Jonathan R. Myers, S. Ct. #25975
Litigation Counsel
State Corporation Commission
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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 2 day of Nov, 2017.


Notary Public

My Appointment Expires: 3/07/19



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on 11/2/17, I caused a complete and accurate copy of this Motion to be served via United States mail, with the postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

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KCC Topeka Office

/s/ Paula J. Murray
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