## BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

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Pat Apple, Chair

Shari Feist Albrecht

Jay Scott Emier

In the matter of Application of Globe Operating, Inc, for an Order	) Docket No. 17-CONS-3654-CEXC
Granting an Exception to the Pit Closure time limitations of K.A.R.	)
82-3-602(a)(2) at its DeWerff #1 location in the SW/4 of Sec. 32-22-12W	)
In Stafford County, Kansas.	)License 6170

## **APPLICATION**

COMES NOW, Globe Operating, Inc., pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-100(b) files with the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas ("Commission") this Application requesting an order granting an exception to K.A.R. 82-3-602(a)(2) for the DeWerff #1 well (Subject Well) located in Stafford County, Kansas. In support of its Application, Globe Operating, Inc. states as follows:

- 1. Globe Operating, Inc. is duly authorized by the Kansas Corporation Commission and is in good standing with the Kansas Secretary of State's office to do business in Kansas with a mailing address of P.O.Box 12, Great Bend, Kansas 67530.
- 2. The Commission has issued Globe Operating, Inc. operator number 6170 which is in full force and effect through June 30, 2017.
- 3. Globe Operating, Inc, is the operator of the DeWerff #1 well located in Stafford County, Kansas: The Southwest Quarter (SW/4) OF Section 32, Township 22S, Range 12 West
- 4. K.A.R.82-3-100(b) states the commission may grant an exception to the requirements of any of its regulations. K.A.R. 82-3-602(a)(2) limits pit extensions to two three month extensions.
- 5. Globe Operating, Inc, requests that the Commission grant an extension, pursuant to K.A.R.82-3-100(b), from the two three month extension limitation set forth in K.A.R.82-3-602(a)(2) and allow additional time to close drilling pits associated with the DeWerff #1 well.

- 6. Globe Operating, Inc, submits that due to unseasonably heavy precipitation, additional time is needed to allow the mud to become completely dehydrated. Due to ground conditions, the pits have not been back filled while they are still wet in order to prevent permanent damage to the farm ground. The extension will not cause environmental harm as the pit is in accordance with KCC regulations.
- 7. The names and addresses of the unleased mineral owners of record and operators or lessees of record within one half (1/2) mile of the Subject well entitled to receive notice of this Application pursuant to K.A.R. 82-2-135 a(b) are as follows:

Hutchinson Oil Co., LLC Box 521, Derby, Ks. 67037 - NW/4 Sec. 5-23S-12W

HOP Energies, LLC Box 47911, Wichita, Ks. 67201 – NE/4 Sec. 5-23S-12W

HOP Energies, LLC Box 47911, Wichita, Ks. 67201 – NW/4 Sec. 32-22S-12W

- 8. Notice of this application will be provided to all persons entitled thereto under K.A.R. 82-3-135a(b) and will be published in the Wichita Eagle and St. John News pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-135a(b) and will therefore be lawful and proper in all respects. Each publisher's Affidavit of Publication will be provided to the Commission upon receipt.
- 9. No offset operators within ½ mile.

Wherefore Globe Operating, Inc. prays that this Application be docketed by the Commission and that if no written protest is received within fifteen (15) days after Notice of the Application is published and had been duly provided to all interested parties, that the Commission issue an order administratively granting Globe Operating, Inc.'s request for an extension to the two three month extension time limitations set forth in K.A.R. 82-3-602(a)(2) and allow additional time for the drilling pits to dry up and be properly closed soon after. In the event a timely and proper protest is filed with the Commission, Globe Operating, Inc, requests that the Commission set the Application for hearing and, upon such hearing, grant the requested order for exception and afford such other and further relief as the Commission deems necessary and proper.

Respectfully Submitted

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Legal Publication

Before the KCC of the State of Kansas

Before Commissioners: Pat Apple, Shari Feist Albrecht, Jay Emier

Notice of Application

To all oil and gas operators and all persons concerned. You and each one of you are notified that Globe Operating, Inc. has filed an Application with the KCC requesting an order granting an exception from the Pit Closure time limitations at the DeWerff #1 well in the SW/4 of Section 32-22S-12W in Stafford County, Kansas. The application is pending with the KCC. Any persons who object or protest shall be required to file their objections in writing to the KCC within 15 days from the date of this publication. All objections shall clearly state the reason why granting the request will cause waste or threaten fresh water. Protests shall be mailed to: KCC Conservation Division, 266 N. Main St. Suite #220, Wichita, Ks 67202 with a copy to the applicant below. All parties interested shall take notice in the foregoing and govern themselves accordingly. Richard Stalcup, Contact Agent and COO of Globe Operating, Inc. P.O.Box 12, Great Bend, Ks.