## THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Pat Apple, Chairman

Shari Feis Jay Scott l		
In the Matter of the Notice of Denial of License Renewal Application to Agricultural	•	
Energy Services.	)	CONSERVATION DIVISION License No: 34089

## PREHEARING OFFICER ORDER CONTINUING PREHEARING CONFERENCE

This matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission). Having reviewed the pleadings and record, the Prehearing Officer makes the following findings:

- 1. On May 18, 2017, the Commission designated a Prehearing Officer to address any scheduling or procedural matters pursuant to K.S.A. 77-517(b).
- 2. On June 8, 2017, at the Prehearing Conference, the parties agreed to continue the Prehearing Conference until July 6, 2017, in order to allow parties full opportunity to file pleadings, objections and motions in this matter.<sup>1</sup>

## THEREFORE, THE PREHEARING OFFICER ORDERS:

- A. The Prehearing Conference shall be rescheduled for **Thursday**, **July 6**, **2017**, **at 9:30 a.m.** by telephone. The conference call information is: telephone number: (866) 620-7326, Conference Code PIN: 7632914771#.
- B. At the Prehearing Conference, parties shall be prepared to discuss deadlines for filing testimony and briefs, discovery procedures, and scheduling of a hearing with the Commission.
- C. At the Prehearing Conference, without further notice, this proceeding may be converted into a conference hearing or a summary proceeding for disposition of this matter as

Before Commissioners:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See K.S.A. 77-519(a).

provided by the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act (KAPA).<sup>2</sup> Any party that fails to attend or

participate in the Prehearing Conference, hearing, or other stage of this proceeding may be held in

default pursuant to the KAPA.<sup>3</sup>

A corporation shall appear before the Commission by a Kansas licensed attorney.<sup>4</sup> D.

Parties have 15 days from the date of electronic service of this Order to petition for E.

reconsideration.5

The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties for the F.

purpose of entering such further orders as it deems necessary.

Dated: June 8, 2017

Is/ Michael J. Duenes

Michael J. Duenes **Prehearing Officer** 

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> K.S.A. 77-501 et seq. <sup>3</sup> K.S.A. 77-516(c)(8); K.S.A. 77-520. <sup>4</sup> K.S.A. 77-515(c); K.A.R. 82-1-228(d)(2). <sup>5</sup> K.S.A. 66-118b; K.S.A. 77-529(a)(l).

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on <u>June 8, 2017</u>, I caused a complete and accurate copy of this Order to be served electronically and via United States mail, with the postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

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