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Mark Fletchall, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, deposeth and saith: That he is Record Clerk of The Wichita Eagle, a daily newspaper published in the City of Wichita, County of Sedgwick, State of Kansas, and having a general paid circulation on a daily basis in said County, which said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly published in said County for more than one year prior to the first publication of the notice hereinafter mentioned, and which said newspaper has been entered as second class mail matter at the United States Post Office in Wichita, Kansas, and which said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication and that a notice of a true copy is hereto attached was published in the regular and entire Morning issue of said The Wichita Eagle for _1_ issues, that the first publication of said notice was

made as aforesaid on the $\underline{4^{th}}$ of

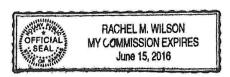
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And affiant further says that he has personal knowledge of the statements above set forth and that they are true.

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Published in The Wichita Eagle April 4, 2015 (3344119) BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS IN THE MATTER OF THE

APPLICATION OF MERIT ENERGY COMPANY FOR AN EXCEPTION TO THE 10-YEAR
TIME LIMITATION OF K.A.R.
82-3-111 FOR ITS ATKINS 0-3 WELL CONSERVATION IN THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER

OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 9, TOWNSHIP LICENSE NO. 32446 27 SOUTH, RANGE 33 WEST, HASKELL COUNTY, KANSAS.

NOTICE OF PENDING APPLICATION
THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS
TO: ALL OIL AND GAS PRODUCERS,

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UNLEASED MINERAL IN IERES I OWNERS, LANDOWNERS, AND ALL PERSONS WHOMSOEVER CONCERNED: YOU, and each of you, are hereby notified that Merit Energy Company has filed an Application for an exception to the ten-year time limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for the Atkins O-3 well, located in the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 9, Township 27 South, Range 33 West, Haskell County, Kansas, API # 15-081-21557-00-00.

YOU are further notified that unless written protest is received by the State Corporation Commission within fitteen (15) days after publication of this Notice, the Application in publication of this Notice, the Application in this matter will be granted by administrative approval after said 15 day period. Any such protest should be mailed to the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas, Conservation Division, 130 South Market, Room 2078, Wichita, Kansas, 67202, and to the Applicant at the address shown.

All parties in any wise interested or concerned shall take notice of the foregoing and govern themselves accordingly.

Merit Energy Company.

Merit Energy Company. By: Arlene Valliquette North Division Regulatory Manager 13727 Noel Road, Suite 1200 Dallas, Texas, 75240 (972) 628-1041