

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

Before Commissioners: Shari Feist Albrecht, Chair
 Jay Scott Emler
 Dwight D. Keen

In the Matter of the Failure of SEK Energy, LLC (“Operator”) to comply with K.A.R. 82-3-111 at the Beachner, Jim #3-4,)	Docket No. 18-CONS-3174-CPEN
Bradford Richard #1-5, Ambrose Mary M #1-28, Johnson Ronald #1-16, Marler)	CONSERVATION DIVISION
Richard #1-16, Wilson Kim #1-8 and Bosch)	License No. 33739
David #1-17 in Labette and Wilson)	
Counties, Kansas)	

ORDER CLOSING DOCKET

This matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission). Having reviewed its files and records and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission makes the following findings:

1. On October 12, 2017, the Commission issued a Penalty Order to SEK Energy, LLC (SEK). The Commission found that the Operator had committed seven violations of K.A.R. 82-3-111 because the subject wells have been inactive in excess of the time allowed by regulation without being plugged, returned to service, or approved for TA status.¹

2. On November 8, 2017, SEK filed a letter requesting a hearing.

3. On February 7, 2018, SEK filed a letter withdrawing its request for hearing.

4. Requests for hearing must be filed within 30 days of service of the Penalty Order or else the Penalty Order becomes a final order.² The Operator in this matter timely filed a request but subsequently withdrew the request. As such, no request for hearing stands and the Penalty Order became effective at the expiration of the 30 days, or on or about November 13, 2017.

¹ Penalty Order at 4 (Oct. 12, 2017).

² See K.S.A. 55-164; K.S.A. 77-530; K.S.A. 77-537; K.S.A. 77-542.

5. Because the Penalty Order has become a final order, the Operator is expected to comply therewith and no further proceedings are necessary. This Docket shall be closed.

THEREFORE, THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

A. The docket shall be closed.

B. Any Party affected by this Order may file with the Commission a petition for reconsideration pursuant to K.S.A. 77-529(a). The petition shall be filed within 15 days after service of this Order, plus three days if mailed, and must state the specific grounds upon which relief is requested.³ The petition shall be addressed to the Commission and sent to 266 N. Main, Ste. 220, Wichita, Kansas 67202.

C. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties for the purpose of entering such further orders as it deems necessary.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Albrecht, Chair; Emler, Commissioner; Keen, Commissioner (Recused)

Dated: 05/15/2018



Lynn M. Retz
Secretary to the Commission

Mailed Date: 05/16/2018

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³ K.S.A. 55-162; K.S.A. 55-606; K.S.A. 77-529(a)(1); *see* K.S.A. 66-118b.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, certify that the true copy of the attached Order has been served to the following parties by means of first class mail and electronic service on 05/15/2018.

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