

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

Before Commissioners: Andrew J. French, Chairperson
 Dwight D. Keen
 Annie Kuether

In the matter of the failure of Barracuda) Docket No.: 25-CONS-3124-CPEN
Operating Company (Operator) to comply)
with K.A.R. 82-3-120 and K.A.R. 82-3-133) CONSERVATION DIVISION
by operating under a suspended license.)
_____) License No.: 33593

ORDER RESCINDING SHUT-IN ORDER

On October 8, 2024, the Commission issued a Shut-In Order finding that Operator had conducted oil and gas operations while its license was suspended in Docket 25-CONS-3027-CPEN (Docket 25-3027). Upon review, Commission Staff believes that service of the Penalty Order in Docket 25-3027 did not meet all the requirements of K.S.A. 77-531. That Penalty Order has now been served properly, and based upon this information, the Commission finds that prosecuting this matter is not in the best interest of the State of Kansas.

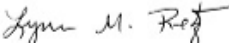
THEREFORE, THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- A. The Commission’s October 8, 2024, Shut-In Order is rescinded.
- B. Any party may file and serve a petition for reconsideration pursuant to the requirements and time limits established by K.S.A. 77-529(a)(1).¹

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

French, Chairperson; Keen, Commissioner; Kuether, Commissioner

Dated: 10/17/2024



Lynn M. Retz
Executive Director

Mailed Date: 10/17/2024

TSK

¹ See K.S.A. 55-162; K.S.A. 55-606; K.S.A. 55-707; K.S.A. 77-503(c); and K.S.A. 77-531(b).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

25-CONS-3124-CPEN

I, the undersigned, certify that a true copy of the attached Order has been served to the following by means of first class mail and electronic service on 10/17/2024.

BRIAN GABEL
BARRACUDA OPERATING COMPANY
PO BOX 405
NESS CITY, KS 67560-0405
bgabel@gbta.net

TRISTAN KIMBRELL, LITIGATION COUNSEL
KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
CENTRAL OFFICE
266 N. MAIN ST, STE 220
WICHITA, KS 67202-1513
tristan.kimbrell@ks.gov

FRED MACLAREN
KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
DISTRICT OFFICE NO. 1
210 E. FRONTVIEW SUITE A
DODGE CITY, KS 67801
frederic.maclaren@ks.gov

KENNY SULLIVAN, DISTRICT #1 SUPERVISOR
KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
DISTRICT OFFICE NO. 1
210 E. FRONTVIEW SUITE A
DODGE CITY, KS 67801
kenny.sullivan@ks.gov

RICHARD WILLIAMS
KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
DISTRICT OFFICE NO. 4
2301 E. 13TH STREET
HAYS, KS 67601-2654
richard.williams@ks.gov

/S/ KCC Docket Room

KCC Docket Room