

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

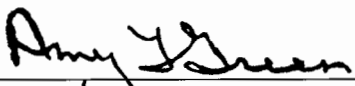
THEREFORE, THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- A. Staff's Motion for a Default Order is granted.
- B. Operator's license shall be suspended until such time as compliance is obtained by Operator plugging the subject wells, reimbursing the Commission for the costs of plugging the subject wells, or transferring the subject wells to a licensed operator.
- C. Staff is directed to place the subject wells on the appropriate state plugging list, to plug them according to priority and as funds allow, and to assess the plugging costs to Operator. This shall not preclude Staff from investigating additional potentially-responsible parties.
- D. Staff shall revoke any injection authorizations applicable to the subject wells.
- E. Pursuant to K.S.A. 77-520(b), any party may file a written motion requesting that this Default Order be vacated and stating the grounds relied upon, within seven calendar days after service of this Order, with three additional days added to account for service by mail.
- F. If a motion to vacate is not filed by the deadline, any party may then file a petition for reconsideration pursuant to K.S.A. 77-529(a) within 15 days. The petition shall be addressed to the Commission and sent to 266 N. Main, Suite 220, Wichita, Kansas 67202. Reconsideration is a prerequisite for judicial review.
- G. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and the parties and may enter additional orders as it deems appropriate.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Apple, Chairman; Albrecht, Commissioner; Emler, Commissioner

Dated: MAR 02 2017



Amy L. Green
Secretary to the Commission

Mailed Date: March 2, 2017

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on March 2, 2017, I caused a complete and accurate copy of this Order to be served via United States mail, with the postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

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Kansas Corporation Commission