/S/ Lynn Retz

State of Kansas

State Corporation Commission

Notice of Hearing

Before Commissioners: Pat Apple, Chairman, Shari Feist Albrecht, and Jay Scott Emler

In the matter of the application of Duncan Energy Company and Farleigh Oil Properties for an exception to certain regulations of this Commission otherwise applicable to gas wells producing coalbed methane gas in Jackson, Pottawatomie, Nemaha, Shawnee, Jefferson, Brown, and Osage Counties, Kansas.

Docket No.: 17-CONS-3429-CBSO (177,932-C), (C-26,223)

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Upon Commission Staff's December 27, 2016, motion for an evidentiary hearing regarding cancellation of the Commission's Eastern Kansas Counties/Coalbed Methane Order, dated November 27, 1991, the above-referenced matter has been set for an evidentiary hearing. The order established rules for coalbed methane wells drilled in Jackson, Pottawatomie, Nemaha, Shawnee, Jefferson, Brown, and Osage Counties.

The hearing shall be held at 10:00 a.m. October 19, 2017, at the Kansas Corporation Commission, 266 N. Main St., Suite 220, Wichita, KS 67202. Any person who would like details regarding this matter, or any person interested in the proceedings in any capacity, may contact the Commission at 316-337-6200.

Lynn M. Retz Secretary to the Commission

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Office of the Governar

Executive Directive No. 17-480

Authorizing Personnel Transactions and Authorizing Expenditure of Federal Funds

(Editor's Note: The attachments referred to in this directive may be obtained by contacting the Secretary of State's Office at 785-296-2034.)

By virtue of the authority vested in the Governor as the head of the Executive Branch of the State of Kansas, the following transactions are hereby authorized:

The request of Kraig Knowlon, Director of Personnel Services, to establish the attached, updated pay plan for unclassified physicians and medical staff in state facilities under the authority of the Department for Aging and Disability Services is hereby approved, effective June 18, 2017, in accordance with K.S.A.75-2935c.

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The Kansas Civil Service Basic Pay Plan that took effect on June 5, 2016, is hereby modified and the new pay matrix for the classified service is hereby adopted, effective July 2, 2017. The pay plan is modified to the extent provided for in the rules and regulations promulgated by the secretary of Administration under the authority of K.S.A. 75-3706 or as hereafter modified by executive directives,

and such modifications may be effective on the date of the rules and regulations or executive directives in accordance with K.S.A. 75-2938. The two attacked pay matrices are hereby incorporated in, and made part of the executive directive. No employee may be moved to Step 17 or Step 18 unless authorized to do so by executive directive.

The request of Kraig Knowlton, Director of Personnel Services, to provide a one-step pay increase to all classified regular employees who first became employed by the state of Kansas after July 1/2012, not including any employees specifically excluded from receiving pay increases pursuant to this Executive Directive, effective July 2, 2017.

The request of Kraig Knowlton, Director of Personnel Services, to provide a 2.5 percent pay increase to all unclassified benefits-eligible employees not employed at a state university who first became employed by the state of Kansas after July 1, 2012, not including any employees specifically excluded from receiving pay increases pursuant to this Executive Directive, effective July 2, 2017.

The request of Kraig Knowlton, Director of Personnel Services, to provide a 2.5 percent pay increase to all unclassified benefits-eligible employees employed at a state university on a 12-month appointment who first became employed by the state of Kansas after July 1, 2012, not including any employees specifically excluded from receiving pay increases pursuant to this Executive Directive, effective July 2, 2017.

The request of Kraig Knowlton, Director of Personnel Services, to provide a 2.5 percent pay increase to all unclassified benefits eligible employees employed at a state university on an academic year appointment who first became employed by the state of Kansas after July 1, 2012, not including any employees specifically excluded from receiving pay increases pursuant to this Executive Directive, effective as determined by the employing state university.

The request of Kraig Knowlton, Director of Personnel Services, to provide a two-step pay increase to all classified regular employees who have been continuously employed by the state of Kansas without a break in service since July 1/2012, but have not received any increases to their regular, base rate of pay since July 1, 2012, not including any employees specifically excluded from receiving pay increases pursuant to this Executive Directive, effective July 2, 2017.

The request of Kraig Knowton, Director of Personnel Services, to provide a 5.0 percent pay increase to all to all unclassified benefits-eligible employees not employed at a state university who have been continuously employed by the state of Kansas without a break in service since July 1, 2012, but have not received any increases to their regular, base rate of pay since July 1, 2012, not including any employees specifically excluded from receiving pay increases pursuant to this Executive Directive, effective July 2, 2017.

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