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BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF MERIT ENERGY COMPANY, LLC, ) DOCKET NO. ) 18-CONS-3323-CWLE FOR THE ASSIGNMENT OF AND A LOCATION EXCEPTION FOR THE CONSERVATION DIVISION RIVER BEND 4 WELL LOCATED 612' FNL AND LICENSE NO. 32446 180' FWL OF SECTION 35, TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 32 WEST, IN FINNEY COUNTY, KANSAS NOTICE OF PENDING APPLICATION THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS TO: ALL OIL AND GAS PRODUCERS AND OIL AND GAS PURCHASERS, ROYALTY OWNERS, LAND OWNERS, AND ALL PERSONS WHATSOEVER CONCERNED: YOU, and each of you, are hereby notified that Merit Energy Company, LLC, has filed an Application with the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas requesting an Order for the assignment of allowable at the appropriate time and a location exception to the River Bend 4 well located 612 feet from the North line and 180 feet from the West line of Section 35, Township 24 South, Range 32 West, Finney County, Kansas. YOU are further notified that the Applicant will drill the well and complete in the St. Louis formation, and requests assignment of a full allowable to the River Bend 4 well.
YOU, are further notified that unless written protest is received by the State Corporation Commission within 15 days after 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, 266 North Main, Suite 220, Wichita, Kansas 67202 and to the Applicant at the address below. All parties in anywise interested or concerned shall take notice of the foregoing and govern themselves accordingly.

MERIT ENERGY COMPANY, LLC By: Katherine McClurkan Regulatory Analyst 13727 Noel Road, Suite 120 Dallas, TX 75240

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Dale Seiwert, 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 in said County, basis which said has been continuously and newspaper uninterruptedly published in said County for more than one year prior to the first the publication of 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 from 2/17/2018 to 02/17/2018.

I certify (or declare) under the penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

(Signature of Principal Clerk)

DATED: 2/19/2018

Notary Public Sedgwick County, Kansas

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