

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

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

In the Matter of an Order to Show Cause ) Docket No: 17-CONS-3129-CSHO  
Issued to William T. Wax Regarding )  
Responsibility Under K.S.A. 55-179 for ) CONSERVATION DIVISION  
Unplugged Wells on an Expired License )  
\_\_\_\_\_ ) License No: 3473

**PREHEARING OFFICER ORDER RESCHEDULING PREHEARING CONFERENCE**

This matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission). Having reviewed the pleadings and record, the Prehearing Officer makes the following findings:

1. On May 2, 2017, the Commission designated a Prehearing Officer to address any scheduling or procedural matters pursuant to K.S.A. 77-517(b).
2. On July 17, 2017, a Prehearing Conference was held to discuss the status of the docket. Based upon the status update provided by the parties, the Prehearing Officer finds the Prehearing Conference should be rescheduled to allow the parties an opportunity to resolve any remaining issues.

**THEREFORE, THE PREHEARING OFFICER ORDERS:**

- A. The Prehearing Conference shall be rescheduled for **Monday, September 11, 2017, at 10:00 a.m.** by telephone. The conference call information is: telephone number: (866) 620-7326, Conference Code PIN: 7632914771#.
- B. At the Prehearing Conference, parties shall be prepared to discuss deadlines for filing testimony and briefs, discovery procedures, and scheduling of a hearing with the Commission.

C. At the Prehearing Conference, without further notice, this proceeding may be converted into a conference hearing or a summary proceeding for disposition of this matter as provided by the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act (KAPA).<sup>1</sup> Any party that fails to attend or participate in the Prehearing Conference, hearing, or other stage of this proceeding may be held in default pursuant to the KAPA.<sup>2</sup>

D. A corporation shall appear before the Commission by a Kansas licensed attorney.<sup>3</sup>

E. Parties have 15 days from the date of electronic service of this Order to petition for reconsideration.<sup>4</sup>

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

Dated: July 18, 2017

/s/ Samuel Feather

Samuel Feather  
Prehearing Officer

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<sup>1</sup> K.S.A. 77-501 *et seq.*

<sup>2</sup> K.S.A. 77-516(c)(8); K.S.A. 77-520.

<sup>3</sup> K.S.A. 77-515(c); K.A.R. 82-1-228(d)(2).

<sup>4</sup> K.S.A. 66-118b; K.S.A. 77-529(a)(1).

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on July 18, 2017, I caused a complete and accurate copy of this Order to be served electronically and via United States mail, with the postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

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