

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

Before Commissioners:        Shari Feist Albrecht, Chairman  
   Jay Scott Emler  
   Dwight D. Keen

In the matter of the Application of	)	Docket No. 18-CONS-3281-CEXC
Hawkins Oil LLC for an	)	
Exemption to the 10-year time limitation	)	Conservation Division
of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for its Appleman #4-A	)	
Well located in the NW NE NW T25S R5E	)	License No. 32693
<u>S31, Butler County, Kansas.</u>	)	

**AMENDED APPLICATION FOR EXCEPTION**

COMES NOW Hawkins Oil LLC, in support of its application in the caption matter and states as follows:

1. Applicant is an Oil and Gas Operator authorized to do business in the State of Kansas.
2. Applicant has been issued by the Kansas Corporation Commission Operator's License #32693, expires on 8/30/2018
3. The applicant is the owner and operator of the Appleman #4-A – API #15-015-21004, Located NW NE NW 4927' FNL, 3599 FWL, SE corner, T 25S R5E Sec 31, Butler County, Kansas. The subject well is located on an active oil lease.
4. Pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-111, the well was shut in, or Applicant obtained temporary abandonment status in 4/2008 through 12/2017.
5. On or about 12/15/17, the Kansas Corporation Commission notified Applicant temporary abandonment status for the subject well has expired.
6. K.A.R. 82-3-111 imposes a 10- year limitation on the amount of time during which wells may be temporarily abandoned, but an exemption to the 10-year limitation may be obtained pursuant to said regulation through an Application filed with the Commission pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-100. Applicant seeks such an exception.
7. On 12/19/17, the subject well passed a Commission Staff-witnessed mechanical integrity test of the casing between the surface and a point within fifty (50) feet above the uppermost perforation.

8. Applicant wishes to continue TA status for the subject well, because more time is needed to evaluate the economic viability of returning it to production or converting the subject well for disposal.
9. Applicant submits the following information regarding the well in support of the Application.
  - a. The lease consists of (7) Wells – 1A PR, 4A TA, 6A PR, 7A AI, 9A PR, 13A PR and 15A PR
  - b. The estimated cost for plugging the lease wells is \$13,500per well.
  - c. Current production rate is 2.5 bopd.
  - d. Estimated reserves is 55,000 bbls of oil.
10. Applicant has included a plat map showing the locations on the same leased premises as the subject well.
11. Based on the foregoing, Applicant requests the Commission grant an exception to the 10-year limitation, specifically to allow the subjects well to remain eligible for temporary abandonment status for three (3) years following the expiration of the 10-year limitation. Applicant understands that the exception would be valid for three (3) years, but Applicant would still need to apply to the Conservation Division Office for approval of an application for temporary abandon status.
12. Listed in the attached Exhibit “A” are the names and addresses of the following persons:
  - a. Each operator of each oil and gas lease covering lands within one-half (1/2) mile radius of the subject well: and
  - b. Each person who owns any mineral interest of record in and under any located within one-half (1/2) mile radius of subject well.
13. Notice of this Application was published pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-135a. In addition, notice of the hearing to be held on the matter was provided as prescribed by K.A.R. 82-3-135.

WHEREFORE, Applicant prays that this matter be granted administratively without a hearing, or in the alternative be set for hearing, and upon hearing that the Commission grant Applicant's request, for an exception to the K.A.R. 82-3-111 ten (10) year limitation, to allow the subject well to remain temporarily abandoned for three (3) years, subject to annual approval by the Conservation Division District Office of an application for temporary abandonment status.

Respectfully Submitted,

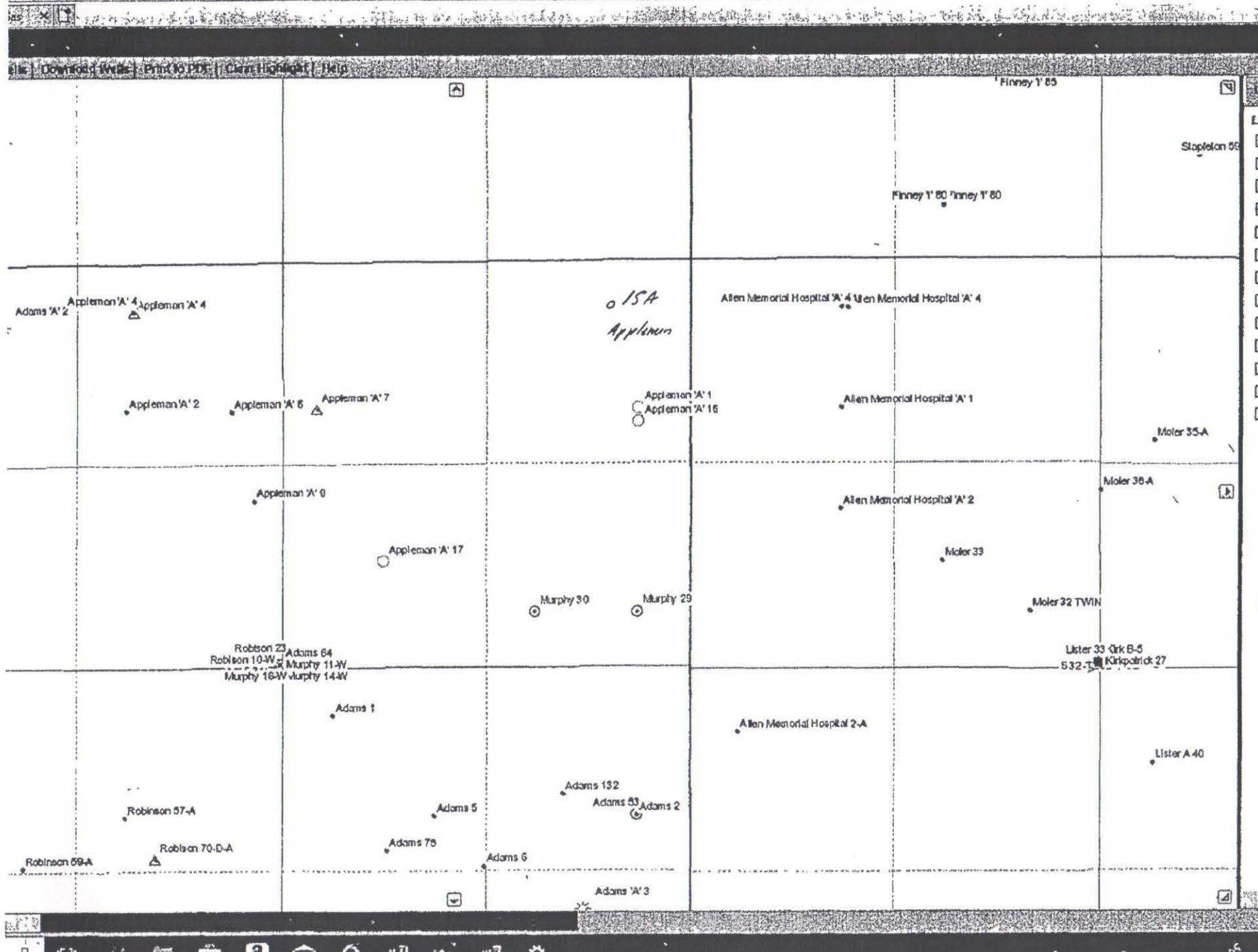
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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify on this 9 day of July 2018, true and correct copies of the above and foregoing Amended Application was served by electronic filing and email to the following:

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BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS  
NOTICE OF FILING APPLICATION.

RE: Hawkins Oil, LLC –

Application for an exception to the 10-year time limitation of

K.A.R. 82-3-111 for Appleman #4 located in Butler County, Kansas.

TO: All Oil and Gas Producers, Unleased Mineral Interest Owners,  
Landowners, and all persons concerned.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that Hawkins Oil, LLC is filing for an exception to the 10-year time limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for the Appleman #4, located in NW NE NW T25s R5E Sec 31, Butler County, Kansas.

YOU are further notified that unless written protest or request for hearing is received by the Kansas Corporation within 15 days after publication of this Notice, the Application in this matter will be granted pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-111 after said 15-day period. Any such protest or request for hearing should be mailed to the Kansas Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas, Conservation Division, 266 N Main St. Ste. 220, Wichita, Kansas 67202 and to the Applicant at the address below.

All parties interested or concerned shall take notice of the foregoing and govern themselves accordingly.

Hawkins Oil, LLC.

By Dan Flowers

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Exhibit A Mineral Owners.

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Arlington, TX US 76011

Rock Fund I Ltd  
1000 Ballpark Way Ste 216  
Arlington, TX US 76011

TCD Exploration LLC  
211 N Robinson Ave Ste 1300  
Oklahoma City, OK US 73102

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Rock Chalk Royalties LTD  
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Brookline Minerals LLC  
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