

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

In the matter of the Application of Redtail Investments for an exception to the 10-year time limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for its NUM MADDIX 15-035-19368-00-00 well located in the NE SW NE Sec. 11 twp. 33 S. R. 5 Cowley County Kansas.

Docket No: 25-CONS-3084-CEXC

CONSERVATION DIVISION

License No: 35142

APPLICATION

COMES NOW Redtail Investments in support of its Application in the captioned matter and states as follows:

1. Applicant is a LLC authorized to do business in the state of Kansas. Applicant's address is 8045 SW 36th St. Oklahoma City, OK 73179.
2. Applicant has been issued by the Kansas Corporation Commission Operator's License 35142.
3. Applicant is the owner and operator of the NMU Maddix, well number 1, 15-035-19368-00-00 which is located in the NE SW NE Sec. 11 TWP 33 S. R. 5 Cowley County Kansas. The subject well is located on an active oil and gas lease or unit comprising the following lands: Section 11 TWP. 33 South Range 5 Cowley County Kansas containing 1,600 acres.
4. Pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-111, the well was shut in or applicant obtained temporary abandonment status for the subject well 10/24/2014. The subject Well has maintained such status from 10/24/2014.
5. On or about 10/24/2014 the Kansas Corporation Commission notified Applicant temporary abandonment status for the subject well would be denied from and after 10/24/2014, because the subject well had been temporarily abandoned for more than ten (10) years.

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 exception 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 or about 5/2/2024 the subject well passed a commission staff-witnessed mechanical integrity test of the casing between the surface point within fifty (50) feet above the uppermost perforation or open hole in the well.
8. Applicant wishes to continue TA status for the subject well , because applicant intends to use well for the following purpose: Production
9. Applicant submits the following information regarding the well in support of the Application. 1 well on the lease. There is 0 production rate. The well needs a new pump jack.
10. Applicant has included a plat map showing the locations of all producing, injection, temporarily abandoned, and plugged wells located on the same leased premises as subject well.
11. Based on the foregoing, Applicant requests the commission grant an exception to the 10-year limitation , specifically to allow the Subject Well to remain eligible for temporary abandonment status for (3) years following the expiration of the 10-year limitation. Applicant understands that the exception would be valid for (3) years, but the applicant would still need to apply annually to the Conservation Division District Office for approval of an application for temporary abandonment status.
12. Listed in the attached exhibit A are the names and addresses of the following persons: Redtail owns everything around.

13. Notice of this application will be published pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-135a. In addition, notice of the hearing to be held in this matter will be 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 that the commission grant applicants 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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By: /S/ Richard Smith
Signature of Submitter

VERIFICATION

STATE OF *Kansas*

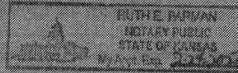
COUNTY OF *Cowley*

I Richard Smith of lawful age, being duly sworn upon his oath deposes and states: That he has the authority on behalf of Redtail Investments to file this application, that he has read the above and foregoing application and is familiar with the contents thereof and that the statements made therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Richard Smith

Signature of Submitter

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this *12th* day of *Aug.* 2024



Ruth E. Farman

Notary Public

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify on this 12th day of August 2024 , true and correct copies of the above and forgoing Applications and the Notice of Application were served by depositing copies of the same in the United States, postage prepaid and properly addressed to the landowner/s set forth on paragraph 11 of said Application and each party set forth in Exhibit "A" attached to said Application filed by Applicant and a digital scan of the application was delivered electronically to the Kansas Corporation Commission.

/S/ Richard Smith

Name of Signed

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