

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

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

In the Matter of the Application of Urban Oil and Gas Group LLC (Operator) to Authorize Injection of Saltwater into the Arbuckle Formation at the Lygrisse #82X, located in Section 15, Township 26 South, Range 2 East, Sedgwick County, Kansas.)	Docket No: 18-CONS-3375-CUIC
)	CONSERVATION DIVISION
)	License No. 34381

PREHEARING OFFICER ORDER CONTINUING 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 March 20, 2018, Urban Oil and Gas Group LLC (Operator) filed an Application seeking authorization for injection of saltwater into the Arbuckle formation at the Lygrisse #82X well in Sedgwick County, Kansas.¹
2. On April 6, 2018, Benjamin M. Giles (Protestant) filed a letter of protest, and on May 7, 2018, requested a hearing.²
3. On May 24, 2018, a Prehearing Conference was scheduled for July 12, 2018.³
4. On July 12, 2018, a Prehearing Conference was held. Counsel for the Operator appeared, but Staff and the Protestant did not appear. Counsel for the Operator stated he had no objection to continuing the Prehearing Conference. Thus, the Prehearing Officer continued the Prehearing Conference until August 9, 2018.⁴

¹ Application, p. 1 (Mar. 20, 2018).

² Letter of Protest – Benjamin M. Giles (Apr. 6, 2018); Letter Requesting Hearing – Benjamin M. Giles (May 7, 2018).

³ *Order Designating Prehearing Officer and Setting Prehearing Conference*, Ordering Clause B (May 24, 2018).

⁴ *Prehearing Officer Order Continuing Prehearing Conference*, Ordering Clause A (July 12, 2018).

5. On August 8, 2018, the Operator filed an Affidavit of Legal Publication of its Application in The Derby Informer newspaper. The Affidavit showed that publication notice of the Application was made in said newspaper on July 25, 2018.⁵

6. On August 9, 2018, a Prehearing Conference was held. The parties agreed that because the 30-day protest period had not yet run on the July 25, 2018 publication notice, the Prehearing Conference should be continued.

7. Based on the above, the Prehearing Officer finds the Prehearing Conference shall be continued until September 13, 2018, at 11:00 a.m.

THEREFORE, THE PREHEARING OFFICER ORDERS:

A. The Prehearing Conference is rescheduled for **Thursday, September 13, 2018, at 11:00 a.m.** by telephone. The conference call information is: telephone number: (866) 620-7326, Conference Code PIN: 7632914771#.

B. 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 Kansas Administrative Procedure Act.⁶

C. Any party may file and serve a petition for reconsideration pursuant to the requirements and time limits established by K.S.A. 77-529(a)(1).⁷

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

Dated: August 9, 2018

/s/ Michael J. Duenes

Michael J. Duenes
Prehearing Officer

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⁵ Affidavit of Legal Publication – The Derby Informer (Aug. 8, 2018).

⁶ K.S.A. 77-516(c)(8); K.S.A. 77-520.

⁷ K.S.A. 55-162; K.S.A. 55-606; K.S.A. 55-707; K.S.A. 77-503(c); K.S.A. 77-531(b).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, certify that the true copy of the attached Order has been served to the following parties by means of first class mail and electronic service on 08/09/2018.

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