

STATE OF ALASKA
ALASKA OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
333 West 7th Avenue, Suite 100
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Re: **THE APPLICATION OF XTO**) Area Injection Order No. 9.009
ENERGY INC. for cancellation of) Cancellation
Administrative Approval 9.009)
allowing well MGS C41-23LN (PTD) Middle Ground Shoal Field
2042360) to return to water injection) Middle Ground Shoal Oil Pool
(1WINJ) service.)
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) October 28, 2013
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By letter signed October 23, 2013 XTO Energy Inc. (XTO) requested cancellation of administrative approval (AA) Area Injection Order (AIO) 9.009 to allow well MGS C41-23LN (PTD 2042360) to return to water injection (1WINJ) service.

In accordance with Rule 9 of AIO 09.000, the Alaska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (AOGCC) hereby **GRANTS** XTO's request to cancel the AA and return the well to 1WINJ service as detailed below.

This well exhibited tubing to inner annulus communication. However, the Commission determined that water injection could safely continue in the well if XTO complied with a number of restrictive conditions set out in the administrative approval.

XTO has since performed a well intervention to eliminate the communication, and a passing AOGCC witnessed Mechanical Integrity Test of the Inner Annulus (MITIA) was achieved on September 16, 2013.

Consequently, Administrative Approval AIO 9.009 is no longer necessary to the operation of this well. Injection into MGS C41-23LN will be governed by provisions of AIO No. 9.

DONE at Anchorage, Alaska and dated October 28, 2013.


Cathy P. Foerster
Chair, Commissioner


Daniel T. Seamount, Jr.
Commissioner


John K. Norman
Commissioner



RECONSIDERATION AND APPEAL NOTICE

As provided in AS 31.05.080(a), within **20** days after written notice of the entry of this order or decision, or such further time as the AOGCC grants for good cause shown, a person affected by it may file with the AOGCC an application for reconsideration of the matter determined by it. If the notice was mailed, then the period of time shall be **23** days. An application for reconsideration must set out the respect in which the order or decision is believed to be erroneous.

The AOGCC shall grant or refuse the application for reconsideration in whole or in part within 10 days after it is filed. Failure to act on it within 10-days is a denial of reconsideration. If the AOGCC denies reconsideration, upon denial, this order or decision and the denial of reconsideration are **FINAL** and may be appealed to superior court. The appeal **MUST** be filed within **33** days after the date on which the AOGCC mails, **OR 30** days if the AOGCC otherwise distributes, the order or decision denying reconsideration, **UNLESS** the denial is by inaction, in which case the appeal **MUST** be filed within **40** days after the date on which the application for reconsideration was filed.

If the AOGCC grants an application for reconsideration, this order or decision does not become final. Rather, the order or decision on reconsideration will be the **FINAL** order or decision of the AOGCC, and it may be appealed to superior court. That appeal **MUST** be filed within **33** days after the date on which the AOGCC mails, **OR 30** days if the AOGCC otherwise distributes, the order or decision on reconsideration. As provided in AS 31.05.080(b), "[t]he questions reviewed on appeal are limited to the questions presented to the AOGCC by the application for reconsideration."

In computing a period of time above, the date of the event or default after which the designated period begins to run is not included in the period; the last day of the period is included, unless it falls on a weekend or state holiday, in which event the period runs until 5:00 p.m. on the next day that does not fall on a weekend or state holiday.