

# STATE OF ALASKA

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### CANCELLATION ADMINISTRATIVE APPROVAL NO. AIO 2B.024

Ms. Kelly Lyons  
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Anchorage, AK 99510-0360

RE: Request for cancellation of Administrative Approval AIO 2B.024  
KRU 3N-11 (PTD 1860770)  
Kuparuk River Oil Pool

Dear Ms. Lyons:

Pursuant to ConocoPhillips Alaska Inc. (CPAI)'s request dated August 29, 2012 the Alaska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (AOGCC) hereby cancels Administrative Approval AIO 02B.024, which allowed continued water injection. This well exhibited communication between the surface casing and conductor at approximately 24 ft below the annulus valve, and CPAI did not at the time propose repairing the well to eliminate the problem. The Commission determined that water injection could safely continue in the well, but subject to a number of restrictive conditions set out in the administrative approval.

CPAI was approved on July 19, 2012 to perform a coil tubing sidetrack of well 3N-11 effectively creating a new well 3N-11A (PTD 2120950) which they report as recently completed. They intend to reestablish injection into 3N-11A which will be governed by provisions of the underlying Area Injection Order No. 2B. Based on the information provided, Administrative Approval AIO 02B.024 no longer applies to operation of well 3N-11.

**DONE** at Anchorage, Alaska and dated September 4, 2012.



Daniel T. Seamont, 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.