Kansas Corporation Commission Commission Meeting March 13, 2025 @ 10:00 am

KCC Offices, 1500 SW Arrowhead Rd., Topeka, Kansas

MINUTES

The Commission convened the regularly scheduled open meeting of the Commission at 10:00 a.m. on March 13, 2025, at the Kansas Corporation Commission, 1500 SW Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas.

Present: Chairperson French, Commissioner Keen and Commissioner Kuether. The following were considered by the Commission:

1. **Consent Agenda:** Commissioner Keen moved for approval of the Items on the Consent Agenda dated March 13, 2025, containing pages one through four, attached to the Minutes. Commissioner Kuether seconded the motion.

The motion was approved.

2. **Noticed Items:**

A. Docket No. 25-EKME-315-TAR

In the Matter of the Application of Evergy Kansas Metro, Inc., Evergy Kansas South, Inc., and Evergy Kansas Central, Inc. for Approval of Large Load Service Rate Plan and Associated Tariffs.

Commissioner Keen moved to approve the Order on Data Center Coalition's Petition to Intervene. Commissioner Kuether seconded the motion.

The order was approved.

B. Docket No. 25-EFNT-342-COM & 25-EFNT-343-COM

In the Matter of the Complaint Against Everfast Fiber Networks by Lakeview Village Inc.

Commissioner Keen moved to approve the Order on Prima Facie Determination and Consolidating Dockets. Commissioner Kuether seconded the motion.

The order was approved.

There being no further matters before the Commission, Commissioner Kuether moved for adjournment of the Commission meeting. Commissioner Keen seconded the motion. The Commission adjourned the March 13, 2025, Commission Meeting at 10:07 a.m.

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Abigail D. Emery, Acting Secretary	Andrew J. French, Chairperson
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Dwight D. Keen, Commissioner	Annie Kuether, Commissioner



ITEMS OF Consent Agenda

Approval Date: Thursday, March 13, 2025

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC: There will be no separate discussion of Consent Agenda items as they are considered to be routine by the Kansas Corporation Commission. Unless removed from the website's Consent Agenda, the orders appearing on the Consent Agenda will become the Order of the full Commission at the Commission's regularly scheduled Business Meeting. If Commission staff or a Commissioner requests an item be removed from the Consent Agenda, the affected item may be considered separately or placed on the earliest possible Business Meeting agenda for discussion.

Consent Agenda

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	DOCKET NUMBER	REMOVED
1	In the matter of the failure of Joseph V. Shue (Operator) to comply with K.A.R. 82-3-117 at the Shue, Joseph V. #6-1 well in Neosho County, Kansas. *Penalty Order - Joseph V. Shue*	25-CONS-3297-CPEN	
2	In the matter of the failure of Robert W. Taylor dba Taylor Oil Co. (Operator) to comply with K.A.R. 82-3-117 at the Rock Unit #1A well in Cowley County, Kansas. Penalty Order - Robert W. Taylor dba Taylor Oil Co.	25-CONS-3298-CPEN	
3	In the matter of the application of Patterson Energy LLC to amend the authorized injection rate for the Shutts #1 well, located in the NE/4 of Section 5, Township 12 South, Range 17 West, Ellis County, Kansas. Order Designating Presiding Officer and Setting Prehearing Conference	25-CONS-3299-CUIC	
4	In the matter of the failure of John Brickley dba B8 Investments (Operator) to comply with K.A.R. 82-3-111 at the Moore C #3 and Moore C #4 wells in Butler County, Kansas. Penalty Order - John Brickley dba B8 Investments	25-CONS-3301-CPEN	

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5	In the matter of the failure of MAD Operators, LLC (Operator) to comply with K.A.R. 82-3-111 at the Jerry #1-29 well in Thomas County, Kansas. Penalty Order - MAD Operators, LLC	25-CONS-3302-CPEN	
6	In the matter of the failure of M&M Services, LLC (Operator) to comply with K.A.R. 82-3-120. Penalty Order - M&M Services, LLC	25-CONS-3303-CPEN	
7	In the matter of the failure of HG Oil Holdings, LLC (Operator) to comply with K.A.R. 82-3-111 at the Sheetz #1 and Sheetz #2 wells in Logan County, Kansas. Penalty Order - HG Oil Holdings, LLC	25-CONS-3304-CPEN	
8	In the matter of the failure of Hayes Oil & Gas, LLC (Operator) to comply with K.A.R. 82 3 111 at the Ryan #6 (4) well in Harper County, Kansas. Penalty Order - Hayes Oil & Gas, LLC	25-CONS-3305-CPEN	
9	In the matter of a Compliance Agreement between Everglow Energy, LLC (Operator) and Commission Staff regarding bringing wells into compliance with K.A.R. 82-3-111. Compliance Agreement - Everglow Energy, LLC	25-CONS-3306-CMSC	
10	In the Matter of the Application of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company for Approval of Interconnection Agreement Under the Telecommunications Act of 1996 With Bandwidth.com CLEC, LLC. Order Approving Amended Interconnection Agreement	08-SWBT-940-IAT	
11	In the Matter of an Investigation to Determine the Affordable Local Service Rates for Rate-of-Return Regulated Carriers and the Annual Assessment Rate for the Twenty-Ninth Year of the Kansas Universal Service Fund, Effective March 1, 2025. Order Approving Traffic Factors for Comcast Phone of Kansas, LLC	25-GIMT-141-GIT	
12	In the Matter of an Investigation to Determine the Affordable Local Service Rates for Rate-of-Return Regulated Carriers and the Annual Assessment Rate for the Twenty-Ninth Year of the Kansas Universal Service Fund, Effective March 1, 2025. Order Approving Traffic Factors for Micontinent Communications	25-GIMT-141-GIT	
13	In the Matter of an Investigation to Determine the Affordable Local Service Rates for Rate-of-Return Regulated Carriers and the Annual Assessment Rate for the Twenty-Ninth Year of the Kansas Universal Service Fund, Effective March 1, 2025. Order Approving Traffic Factors for Dish Wireless LLC	25-GIMT-141-GIT	
14	In the Matter of an Investigation to Determine the Affordable Local Service Rates for Rate-of-Return Regulated Carriers and the Annual Assessment Rate for the Twenty-Ninth Year of the Kansas Universal Service Fund, Effective March 1, 2025. Order Approving Traffic Factors for Spectrumn Advanced Services LLC	25-GIMT-141-GIT	

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15	In the Matter of an Investigation to Determine the Affordable Local Service Rates for Rate-of-Return Regulated Carriers and the Annual Assessment Rate for the Twenty-Ninth Year of the Kansas Universal Service Fund, Effective March 1, 2025. Order Approving Traffic Factors for NE Colorado Cellular Inc d/b/a Viaero Wireless	25-GIMT-141-GIT	
16	In the Matter of the Application of Mutual Telephone Company for an Increase in its Cost-Based Kansas Universal Service Fund Support. Order Granting Joint Motion to Approve Settlement Agreement	25-MTLT-161-KSF	
17	In the Matter of the Joint Application of Consolidated Communications Holdings, Inc., Fidium Fiber Finance Holdco LLC, Consolidated Communications of Kansas Company, and Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company for Approval of (1) a Pro Forma Transfer of Control of Consolidated Communications of Kansas Company and Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company to Fidium Fiber Finance Holdco LLC and (2) Name Changes of Consolidated Communications of Kansas Company and Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company to Reflect a Re-Domestication and Corporate Conversion. <i>Order Approving Name Change</i>	25-CCHT-279-CCN	
18	In the Matter of the Application of Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, Inc. for an Amended and Reissued Certificate of Convenience and Authority to Reflect its New Legal Name "Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, LLC." Order Approving Name Change	25-COSC-317-CCN	
19	In the Matter of the Notice of Annexation of Territory and Selection of Retail Electric Service by the City of Carden City, Kansas. Order Assessing Costs	25-GDCE-344-MIS	
20	In the Matter of the Notice of Annexation of Territory and Selection of Retail Electric Service by the City of Carden City, Kansas. Order Acknowledging Annexation and Closing Docket	25-GDCE-344-MIS	
21	In the Matter of the Investigation of Charles Ethan Ball, d/b/a Cow Chow Express of Garden City, Kansas, Regarding the Violation(s) of the Kansas Motor Carrier Safety Statutes, Rules and Regulations and the Commission's Authority to Impose Penalties, Sanctions and/or the Revocation of Motor Carrier Authority. Order Reinstating Intrastate Motor Carrier Operations	20-TRAM-173-PEN	
22	In the matter of Staff's enforcement of the Commission's rules and regulations. Order Designating Presiding Officer and Setting Prehearing Conference	25-CONS-3283-CMSC	
23	Transportation orders to be approved by the Commission on the Consent Agenda. Transportation Economic Orders	25-TRAM-5059-TRA	

The above-captioned matter(s) were approved by the Commission, unless noted as removed.

For the Commission:

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Transportation Orders By Docket Number 25-TRAM-5059-TRA

Order Number	Description	Removed
20250307095943	In the Matter of the Application of A DELIVERY LLC of WICHITA KS for the Abandonment of Certificate of Public Service. USDOT #2003770 A DELIVERY LLC of WICHITA KS - Order Granting Request for Abandonment for Certificate of Public Service	
20250307115256	In the Matter of the Application of HILKER OIL COMPANY of CIMARRON KS for Authority for a Certificate of Public Service. USDOT #4353311 HILKER OIL COMPANY of CIMARRON KS - Order Granting Application for Certificate of Public Service	
20250307145146	In the Matter of the Emergency Suspension of Authority of ELITE TRANSPORTATION LLC of WICHITA KS for the Failure to Maintain Insurance Coverage as Required by Motor Carrier Safety Statutes, Rules and Regulations. USDOT #1894930 ELITE TRANSPORTATION LLC of WICHITA KS - Order Rescinding Emergency Order Suspending Authority for Failure to Maintain Insurance Coverage	
20250307145148	In the Matter of the Emergency Suspension of Authority of ELITE TRANSPORTATION LLC of WICHITA KS for the Failure to Maintain Insurance Coverage as Required by Motor Carrier Safety Statutes, Rules and Regulations. USDOT #1894930 ELITE TRANSPORTATION LLC of WICHITA KS - Order Rescinding Emergency Order Suspending Authority for Failure to Maintain Insurance Coverage	
20250310132101	In the Matter of the Application of DW TRANSPORT LLC of GARDEN CITY KS for Authority for a Certificate of Public Service. USDOT #4182979 DW TRANSPORT LLC of GARDEN CITY KS - Order Granting Application for Certificate of Public Service	
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