## Kansas Department of Agriculture Division of Water Resources CHANGE: P/U WORKSHEET & ORDER IN THE MATTER OF POINT OF DIVERISON

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### KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE Division of Water Resources

#### <u>MEMORANDUM</u>

TO: Files

**DATE:** June 20, 2019

FROM: Leslie Ireland

**RE:** Vested Right

File Nos. FO 033 & FO 035

Philip E. Ochs Trustee of the Phil & Verna Ochs Trust as owner has filed an applications for approval to change the point of diversion and place of use under File No. FO 033 and place of use under File No. FO 035, both authorized for irrigation use. The applications were received in the office of the Chief Engineer on October 1, 2018.

The referenced water rights are considered in good standing as per K.S.A. 82a-718 and K.S.A. 82a-732. The rights currently have the requirement to install anti-reverse gears and pay a penalty for pumping the rights with what was thought to be a blanket quantity instead of assigned. It appears the owner has complied with the terms and conditions for exceeding the authorized quantity. The applications appear to be complete per K.A.R. 5-5-2a, *Complete change application*, with the True and Correct copies of June 3, 2019 serving as the original applications.

Both of the referenced files authorize a partial incomplete overlap totaling 315 acres along the North side of the Arkansas River. Together the rights provide 512 acre-feet and appear to have no other limitations with the exception of being located in the Ark River Intensive Groundwater Control Area, (IGUCA) and within the boundaries of the Southwest Kansas Groundwater Management District No. 3, (GMD 3). The proposed change in place of use is to make a complete overlap of 294 acres. It does not appear that any new acres are being added. The base acres were summarized in a 2018 summary memo as 236 acres for File No. FO 033 and 130 acres under File No. FO 035 with an additional note of only 63 acres are additional above and beyond File No. FO 033. It would appear the referenced files have 299 total combined base acres. The proposal to irrigate 294 acres appears to comply with Part b of K.A.R. 5-5-11, Applications for change in place of use for irrigation purposes, as the change will not permit more acres than established as base acres.

The change in point of diversion for File No. FO 033, proposes to shift a portion of the quantity and rate from its single well to the single well authorized under File No. FO 035. This will result in File No. FO 033 to authorize two (2) wells per K.A.R. 5-5-16, *Additional well*. The change should help resolve pumping issues under File No. FO 035. The applications were completed by Elizabeth Fitch, Environmental Scientist, Stafford Field Office, who listed GPS feet distances for the wells. The listed measurements place the wells approximately 2,226 feet apart. The listed feet distances comply with K.A.R. 5-5-6, *Failure to construct diversion works at authorized location*, as no feet distances are listed for the authorized points of diversion. Currently, File No. FO 033 authorizes 1,500 gallons per minute (gpm) to divert 472 acre-feet per year. The proposal is to move 700 gpm and 163.7 AF to the existing well under File No. FO 035.

Per K.A.R. 5-5-16 the quantity and rate available for change must be determined. The maximum acres irrigated during the perfection period for the referenced file were determined to be 236 acres which was utilized for the determination of the quantity for the consumptive use calculation as required by Party (a)(2)(C)(i):

236 acres X 1.31 (80%NIR FO Co.) ÷ 0.85 = 363.7 acre-feet.

It would appear that the referenced file will require that the authorized quantity of 472 acre-feet, be reduced. The original application stated the calculation and reduction and further informed by letter dated February 19, 2019, which returned the applications for the needed flow rate testing. The reduction to 363.7 acre-feet on File No. FO 033 as required by K.A.R. 5-5-16(a)(2)(C)(i) should assure that consumptive use will not increase.

The tested rate of diversion as required by K.A.R. 5-5-16(a)(3)(A) was completed on April 8, 2019, by Chris Law with GMD 3. The conducted *Flow Test Evaluation* with a Fuji PortaFlow meter determined a rate of 1,720 gallons per minute (3.83 c.f.s.) at the well under File No. FO 033, located in the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of 26-26-26W. The well is authorized a rate of 1,500 GPM, being less than the tested rate will not require any rate reduction. As required by K.A.R. 5-5-16(a)(3)(A) the rate will be divided between the wells as specified in K.A.R. 5-5-16(d). In summary:

File No.	Well Description	Quantity AF	Rate gpm
FO 033	NW NE NW ID 2	200	800
FO 033	SE NW NE ID 1	163.7	700
FO 035	SE NW NE ID 1	40	900

File Nos. FO 033 and FO 035 will authorize a combined total of 203.7 AF to be diverted from the well located in the SE¼ NW¼ NE¼ of Section 26, Township 26 South, Range 26 West, Ford County. Per K.A.R. 5-23-3, *Minimum well spacing requirements: high plains aquifer,* the 203.7 AF requires 1,600 feet of well to well spacing. At the minimum rate of 700 gallons per minute the total 203.7 AF can be diverted in 66 days.

It appears the wells have both been designated alluvial deposits of the Arkansas River with the source of supply determined to be the Ark River IGUCA (Code 75). A 2007 summary memo listed FO 033 to have a well depth of 200 feet and a static water level of 9 feet in 1980. It also listed FO 035 to have a well depth of 210 and the same static water level of 9 feet. Well logs were submitted with the change application. It would appear K.A.R. 5-5-16(b) has been met.

Nearby wells located within one-half (½) mile of the proposed additional well were listed by the applicant. It appears there are three (3) domestic wells and three (3) irrigation wells in the area. Two (2) of the irrigation wells are owned by the applicant. The notification letter on the proposed changes yielded no written replies. The requirements of K.S.A 82a-1906 appear to have been met.

The Southwest Kansas Groundwater Management District No. 3 was sent a request for recommendation. In a letter dated May 3, 2019, Jason Norquest, Assistant Manager, detailed their review and recommended the applications be approved.

The proposed change will result in one well to authorize 203.7 AF and leave 200 AF behind. Under K.A.R. 5-23-3 (a), **Minimum well spacing requirements:** high plains aquifer the new additional well and the existing well will each require a minimum well spacing of 1,600 feet and 1,300 feet, respectively. The wells are approximately 2,2,26 feet apart, hence a move of less than 2,640 feet and complying with part (b) of K.A.R. 5-23-3. The nearest nontempoary, nondomestic well is indicated by WRIS to be 2,368 feet away from the proposed additional well. The domestic wells shown on the map appear to be more than the minimum of 660 feet away. It appears that the proposed change meets the spacing requirements of K.A.R. 5-23-3 as required by K.A.R. 5-5-13(c).

Jeff Lanterman, Water Commissioner of the Stafford Field Office recommended approval of the requested changes per his email of June 20, 2019.

The meters were updated this year to anti-reverse meters which will be a condition of the approvals. The wells will also be required to have a DWR meter seal. A water level measurement tube not applicable due to age of the wells. Stratigraphic logs were supplied with the applications, so a well logs will not be required. As per K.A.R. 5-5-16(a)(4), a condition will be placed on the approval that the administrative priority of the quantity and rate moved to the additional well will be October 1, 2018, and the approval will contain the jurisdictional wording as required by K.A.R. 5-5-16(f).

Based on the above discussion, and that the changes are reasonable, that impairment to existing water rights is unlikely, that no change in the local source of supply will occur, it is recommended that the referenced applications be approved.

Leslie Ireland Environmental Scientist Change Application Unit

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1320 Research Park Drive Manhattan, KS 66502 785-564-6700 www. agriculture.ks.gov



900 SW Jackson, Room 456 Topeka, KS 66612 785-296-3556

Mike Beam, Secretary

Laura Kelly, Governor

July 2, 2019

PHILLIP E & VERNA M OCHS 10509 W 142ND ST OVERLAND PARK KS 66221 FILE COPY

RE: Vested Right, File Nos. FO 033 & FO 035

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Ochs:

Enclosed are the orders executed by the Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture, approving the applications for change under the referenced files.

Your attention is directed to the enclosures and to the terms, conditions, and limitations specified in the approvals for change. A condition of the approvals is that an anti-reverse totalizing water flowmeter which meets or exceeds specifications adopted by the Chief Engineer must be installed on the diversion works authorized. Additionally, a seal shall be placed on each flowmeter by the Division of Water Resources in such a manner as to render the meter non-removable from the measuring chamber without breaking the seal. Please contact Cameron Conant, Assistant Water Commissioner, Stafford Field Office at (620) 234-5311, should you have questions and seal installations. Please return the required notification of installation of the meter as soon as this action is completed.

Please note that the application to change the point of diversion under File No. FO 033 is subject to the condition that for the sole purpose of administering wells concerning direct impairment, shall be considered to have the priority date of the date the application was filed, October 1, 2018. In addition, the Chief Engineer specifically retains jurisdiction in this matter.

Since these orders modify the original documents referred to above, they should be recorded with the Register of Deeds as other instruments affecting real estate.

If you have any questions, please contact Leslie Ireland, Environmental Scientist, at (785) 564-6633. If you wish to discuss a specific file, please have the file number ready so that we may help you more efficiently.

Sincerely

Change Application Unit Supervisor

Water Appropriation Program

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cc:

Stafford Field Office

Groundwater Management District No. 3

#### KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Mike Beam, Secretary of Agriculture

DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES
David W. Barfield, Chief Engineer

# APPROVAL OF APPLICATION FOR CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE AND ORDER IN THE MATTER OF THE AUTHORIZED POINT OF DIVERSION VESTED RIGHT, FILE NO. FO 035

The Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture, after due consideration of the written application of Philip E. Ochs, Trustee, of the Phillip E. & Verna M. Ochs Trust, 10509 W. 142nd Street, Overland Park, Kansas 66221, received in the office of the Chief Engineer on October 1, 2018, for approval of a change in the location of the place of use under the vested right order, determining and establishing a vested right to continue the beneficial use of water, then identified in the office of the Chief Engineer as Vested Right, Code 6235, Ford County, now identified as Vested Right, File No. FO 035, as modified and amended by the Order of the Chief Engineer dated April 25, 1968, approving the application to change the place of use, and Order of the Chief Engineer dated September 5, 1980, approving the application to change the place of use and the point of diversion, finds that the change is reasonable and will not impair existing rights, and that the application should be and is hereby approved.

The effective date of the change shall be the date this order is executed by the Chief Engineer, after which the authorized location of the place of use shall be:

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a total of 294 acres in Township 26 South, Range 26 West, Ford County, Kansas,

located substantially as shown on the topographic map accompanying the application to change the place of use.



That information in the office of the Chief Engineer finds that the point of diversion would be more accurately defined as being:

one (1) well located in the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SE¼ NW¼ NE½) of Section 26, more particularly described as being near a point 4,536 feet North and 1,666 feet West of the Southeast corner of said section in Township 26 South, Range 26 West, Ford County, Kansas.

All diversion works into which any type of chemical or other foreign substance will be injected into the water pumped from the diversion works shall be equipped with an in-line, automatic, quick-closing check valve capable of preventing pollution of the source of the water supply. The type of valve installed shall meet specifications adopted by the Chief Engineer and shall be maintained in an operating condition satisfactory to the Chief Engineer.

The owners of the authorized place of use shall properly install an anti-reverse totalizing water flowmeter which meets or exceeds specifications adopted by the Chief Engineer and said meter shall be installed on the diversion works authorized under this water right, prior to the use of water, in strict accordance with the Kansas Administrative Regulations 5-1-4 through 5-1-12 adopted by the Chief Engineer. The water right owner shall notify the Chief Engineer when installation of the water meter has been completed. The water right owner shall maintain the water meter in an operating condition satisfactory to the Chief Engineer, at all times during diversion of water and shall maintain records from which the total quantity of water diverted may be determined. The water right owner shall also report the reading of said water meter and the total quantity of water diverted annually to the Chief Engineer. Such records shall be furnished to the Chief Engineer by March 1 following the end of each calendar year.

A seal will be placed on the water flowmeter by the Division of Water Resources in such a manner as to render the meter non-removable from the measuring chamber without breaking the seal. If the seal is broken without the written permission of the Chief Engineer, it shall constitute a violation of the order of the Chief Engineer.

In all other respects, the vested right order, determining and establishing a vested right to continue the beneficial use of water, identified in the office of the Chief Engineer as Vested Right, File No. FO 035, is as stated and set forth in the vested right order executed by the Chief Engineer on February 11, 1955, as modified and amended by the aforementioned orders.

Ordered this ab day of Jone, 2019, in Manhattan, Riley County, Kansas.

David W. Barfield, P.E.
Chief Engineer
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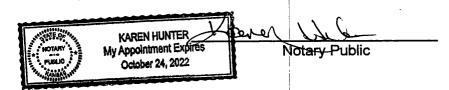
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Ordered this ab day of Jone, 2019, in Manhattan, Riley County, Kansas.

David W. Barfield, P.E.
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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this  $2\beta^{\frac{1}{2}}$  day of 3 corrections, 2019, by David W. Barfield, P.E., Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture.



#### RIGHT TO A HEARING AND TO ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW

If you are aggrieved by this Order, then pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-1901, you may:

- 1) request an evidentiary hearing before the Chief Engineer, or
- 2) request administrative review by the Secretary of Agriculture.

Failure to request an evidentiary hearing before the Chief Engineer does not preclude your right to administrative review by the Secretary.

To obtain an evidentiary hearing before the Chief Engineer, a written request for hearing must be filed within 15 days after service of this Order as provided in K.S.A. 77-531 (i.e., within a total of 18 days after this Order was mailed to you), with: Kansas Department of Agriculture, Attn: Legal Section, 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, KS 66502, FAX (785) 564-6777.

If you do not file a request for an evidentiary hearing before the Chief Engineer, you may petition for administrative review of the Order by the Secretary of Agriculture. A petition for review shall be in writing and state the basis for requesting administrative review. The request for hearing may be denied if the request fails to clearly establish factual or legal issues for review. See K.S.A. 77-527. The petition must be filed within 30 days after service of this Order as provided in K.S.A. 77-531 (i.e., within a total of 33 days after this Order was mailed to you), and be filed with: Secretary of Agriculture, Attn: Legal Division, Kansas Department of Agriculture, 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, KS 66502, FAX (785) 564-6777.

If neither a request for an evidentiary hearing nor a petition for administrative review is filed as set forth above, then this Order shall be effective and become a final agency action as defined in K.S.A. 77-607(b). Failure to timely request either an evidentiary hearing or administrative review may preclude further judicial review under the Kansas Judicial Review Act.

Any request for a hearing or petition for administrative review shall be in writing and shall be submitted to the attention of : Chief Legal Counsel, Kansas Department of Agriculture, 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, Kansas 66502, Fax: (785) 564 – 6777.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** 

On this 2 day of ,2019, I hereby certify that the attached original Approval of Application for Change in Place of Use, and Order in the Matter of the Point of Diversion, Vested Right, File No. FO 035 dated 28 2019 was mailed postage prepaid, first class, US mail to the following:

Phillip E. & Verna M. Ochs Trust 10509 W 142nd St Overland Park, KS 66221

With photo copies sent to:

Stafford Field Office Groundwater Management District No. 3

Division of Water Resources

Submit To: CHIEF ENGINEER Division of Water Resources Kansas Department of Agriculture 1320 Research Park Drive Manhattan, Kansas 66502 http://agriculture.ks.gov/dwr

APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL TO CHANGE THE PLACE OF USE, THE POINT OF DIVERSION OR THE USE MADE OF THE WATER UNDER AN **EXISTING WATER RIGHT** 



Filing Fee Must Accompany the Application

(Please refer to Fee Schedule on signature page of application form. Paragraph Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 & 8 must be completed. Complete all other applicable portions. A topographic map or detailed plat

showing the authorized and proposed points(s) of diversion and /or place of use must accompany this application.



RECEIVED Application is hereby made for approval of the Chief Engineer to change the Place of Use Water Resources Stafford Field Office Point of Diversion (Check one or more) Division of Water Resources File No. FO-35 KS Dept Of Agriculture WATER RESOURCES Name of applicant: Phil & Verna Ochs Trust RECEIVE Address: 10509 W 142nd St City, State and Zip: Overland Park KS 66221-8197 Phone Number: (620)338-5555 E-mail address: pochs44@gmail.com What is your relationship to the water right; owner tenant agent other? If other, please explain. correct copy of the original as purported Dated at Manhattan, Kansas this Name of water use correspondent: Phil & Verna Ochs Trust Address: 10509 W 142nd St DIVISION OF WATER KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE City, State and Zip: Overland Park KS 66221-8197 Phone Number: (620) 338-5555 E-mail address: pochs44@gmail.com The change(s) proposed herein are desired for the following reasons (please be specific): The change in place of use will create a complete overlap with File No. FO-33 and add irrigated acres that are not authorized on the east end of the field The change(s) will be completed by approval of this application (Date) For Office Use Only: \_\_Meets K.A.R. 5-5-1 (YES / NO) Use \\_\_\_\_\_ Source (G) S County \_\_\_\_\_ Fee \$ \alpha OO \_\_\_ TR # \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt Date 10

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The application must be signed by all owners of the place of use authorized under the water right and his or her spouse, if married. Please indicate if there is no spouse. If land is being purchased under contract, the seller must sign as landowner until such time as the contract is completed.

In the event that all applicants cannot appear before one notary public, they may as necessary sign separate copies of the application before any notary public conveniently available to them. All copies signed in this manner shall be considered to be valid parts of the application.

If the request is signed on behalf of any Owner by someone with legal authority to do so (for example, an agent, one who has power of attorney, or an executor, executrix, conservator), it will be necessary to attach proper documents showing such authority.

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Water Rights and Points of Diversion Within 1.10 miles of point defined as: 4536 ft N and 1666 ft W of the SE Corner of Section 26, T 26S, R 26W Located at: 100.129389 West Longitude and 37.763861 North Latitude

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Water Rights and Points of Diversion Within 1.10 miles of point defined as:

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#### Ireland, Leslie [KDA]

From:

Lanterman, Jeff [KDA]

Sent:

Thursday, June 20, 2019 8:54 AM

To:

Ireland, Leslie [KDA]; Conant, Cameron [KDA]

Subject:

RE: Recommendation for Change in PDPU, File No. FO 033 & PU File No. FO 035 \_ Ochs

Leslie. This is timely Phil called my office a couple days ago and asked about these. I told them it looked like it was out to GMD for comments.

Anyway I am aware of these changes and they are fixing a long standing problem so I recommend approval.

Yes please require AR gears and a DWR seal on them.

Thanks.

Jeff

From: Ireland, Leslie [KDA]

Sent: Thursday, June 20, 2019 8:38 AM

To: Lanterman, Jeff [KDA] <Jeff.Lanterman@ks.gov>; Conant, Cameron [KDA] <Cameron.Conant@ks.gov>

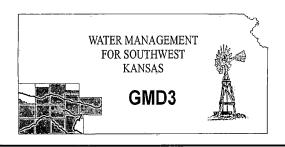
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Please let me know if you could recommend the change for the additional well. The approvals will both require the totalizer anti-reverse meters. Should the approval documents also require the meters to be sealed?

Both changes also request to overlap the place of use.

As always comments and concerns are welcome.

Leslie Ireland, Environmental Scientist Kansas Department of Agriculture Division of Water Resources - Change Unit (785) 564-6633 Leslie.Ireland@ks.gov www.agriculture.ks.gov



#### Southwest Kansas Groundwater Management District No. 3 2009 E. Spruce Street Garden City, Kansas 67846

(620) 275-7147 phone (620) 275-1431 fax www.gmd3.org

May 3, 2019

Leslie Ireland Kansas Department of Ag Division of Water Resources 1320 Research Park Drive Manhattan, Kansas 66502

RE:

Application for Change in Point of Diversion

Change in Place of Use

Vested Right, File Nos. FO33 & FO35

Dear Leslie:

We have completed a review of the applications for the above referenced water right. The proposed change in place of use is making a complete overlap in acres and follows criteria set forth in K.A.R. 5-5-11. The proposed change in point of diversion is in accordance with current area rules, K.A.R. 5-23-3, as it pertains to distance moved and minimum spacing to neighboring wells. The proposal also meets the criteria set forth in the additional well rule, K.A.R. 5-5-16.

Well evaluations were conducted to estimate possible effects of the proposal on the supply of other wells with water rights prior to the proposal per K.S.A. 82a-708b, and the draft revised management program. Under K.S.A. 82a-708b, an applicant requesting a change in point of diversion must demonstrate to the chief engineer that any proposed change is reasonable and will not impair. The enclosed report is an analysis performed by the GMD on behalf of our membership. Under this analysis, the proposed change is considered to be reasonable and unlikely to impair if either the net in-season well-to-well effect of the proposed change is less than a strict maximum allowable threshold (3.0 ft in cases where saturated thickness is between 125-150 ft), or if no well with a net well-to-well effect exceeding the threshold is identified as critical. Critical wells are identified as wells that are expected to either lose or greatly diminish water supply over the next 25 years. The attached review information is based on a Theis analysis using inputs from the GMD3 aquifer model, which is considered to be the best information on well and aquifer data readily and easily available to the public. If either the applicant or the neighbors believe they have better data that might change the result of the analysis, they should contact GMD3. Conclusions of the well analysis may change if better information on well and aquifer data can be made available.

Every neighboring well within 1 mile of the proposed move was evaluated. Evaluations showed that in no case did the net effect on neighboring wells exceed the 3.0 ft maximum allowable threshold. Notices linking this information was sent out to the well owners and our office received no response or concerns raised. Therefore, GMD3 sees this move as reasonable and unlikely to impair neighboring wells. It should also be noted that the calculations is based on maximum annual quantity and rate. It is therefore recommended that the applications be approved.

Thank you for the opportunity to review the applications and to provide a recommendation. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Jason L. Norquest Assistant Manager

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Mike Beam, Secretary

Laura Kelly, Governor

April 15, 2019

SOUTHWEST KANSAS GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT NO 3 ATTN MARK RUDE 2009 E SPRUCE GARDEN CITY KS 67846



Re:

Change in Point of Diversion Applications,

Water Right, File Nos. FO 033 & FO 035

Dear Mr. Rude:

We are enclosing a copy of the applications referred to above that appear to be in proper form. The proposed change for File No. FO 033 is requesting to add an additional well per K.A.R. 5-5-16, *Additional well*. Thank you for your assistance in completing the needed rate testing.

We are delaying any further action for a period of 15 days from the date of this letter to allow you time to submit your recommendations concerning the applications.

Please submit your recommendations within the allotted time, or any authorized extension of time thereof.

Sincerely,

Leslie Ireland

**Environmental Scientist** 

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Mike Beam, Acting Secretary

Laura Kelly, Governor

February 26, 2019

PHILIP E OCHS 10509 W 142ND ST OVERLAND PARK KS 66221-8197

RE: Vested Right, File Nos. FO 033 & FO 035

Dear Mr. Ochs:

In response to your request received in the office of the Chief Engineer on February 26, 2019, regarding the applications for change under the referenced files, the Chief Engineer has extended until April 20, 2019, as the time in which to provide additional information as detailed in my letter of February 19, 2019.

According to the law, default in supplying the requested information, within the time allowed, shall constitute forfeiture of the priority date and dismissal of the applications.

If you wish to request additional time, you must do so in writing, before the extension period expires. Such a request should state what steps are being taken to obtain the information and the amount of time you will need to supply the information to our office. Your request may be submitted via email directly to me at <a href="Leslie.Ireland@kda.ks.gov">Leslie.Ireland@kda.ks.gov</a>, or via US postal mail at the Manhattan address listed above.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (785) 564-6645. If you wish to discuss a specific file, please have the file number ready so that I may help you more efficiently.

Sincerely,

Leslie Ireland

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Mike Beam, Acting Secretary

Laura Kelly, Governor

February 19, 2019

PHILIP E OCHS 10509 W 142ND ST OVERLAND PARK KS 66221-8197 TILE COPY

RE: Vested Right, File Nos. FO 033 & FO 035

Dear Mr. Ochs:

Reference is made to the application for approval of the Chief Engineer to change the point of diversion under the referenced file number which was received in this office on September 2018. Further review of the application found that the following information will be required.

According to the application, it appears that you are proposing to change the point of diversion which will add an additional point of diversion beyond what is presently authorized, therefore, the change will be subject to K.A.R. 5-5-16, *Additional wells*. This regulation requires that the combined rate of diversion for the authorized and proposed well will not exceed the rate of diversion of a single well at that location.

- (A) The total rate of diversion based on a current water flow rate test done on the point or points of diversion; or
- (B) a value based on a valid hydraulic analysis submitted by the applicant showing the current capacity of the aquifer to yield water at the currently authorized point or points of diversion.

If you choose to use method (A) as described above, a water flow rate test should be completed preferably during the irrigation season. Either staff at our Stafford Field Office or staff with the Southwest Kansas Groundwater Management District No. 3 may to conduct the needed water flow rate test. As you are located closer to the Southwest Kansas Groundwater Management District No. 3 office please contact Jason Norquest, Assistant Manager of the Southwest Kansas Groundwater District No. 3 about a rate test and to schedule an appointment.

Southwest Kansas Groundwater Management District No. 3 Jason Norquest, Assistant Manager 2009 E. Spruce Street Garden City, KS 67846 Phone: 620-275-7147

Should the tested rate equal or exceed the authorized 1500 gallons per minute you will only need to return the applications. Please also return a copy of the rate test so it may become part of the records of the Chief Engineer.

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Should the test for the rate provide a value less than the 1,500 gallons per minute as currently authorized please record the reduced rate in paragraph No. 15 of the application and modify the proposed rate per point of diversion as indicated in paragraph Nos. 8 & 9. Please be reminded the proposed rate should be sufficient to divert the proposed quantity. All pages modified should have your initials and date of modification added to the page.

The regulation allowing for additional wells further requires that the annual quantity and rate of diversion that will move to the well that will become the additional well for the referenced file, have the priority date of the date the application for change was filed, October 1, 2018. Furthermore, the Chief Engineer specifically retains jurisdiction to review the approval of the additional well at intervals of no fewer than five years, and no more than ten years to determine if the total annual quantity of water actually being withdrawn by the two (2) wells authorized by the approval of the application for change is exceeding the total annual quantity of water that could have been physically withdrawn. The Chief Engineer retains the authority to make a reasonable reduction in the authorized quantity of water as may be deemed to be in the public interest.

As your application for change is in conjunction with File No. FO 035, both are being returned so that you may comply with the above instructions. In order that the applications retain their priority of filing, the enclosed original applications and attachments must be returned, with the requested information to this office by March 21, 2019, or any requested and authorized extension thereof.

You have a period of 30 days, until March 21, 2019, to modify and return the applications, to our office. Should you wish to request additional time, you must do so in writing, before the 30 day period expires. Such a request should state what steps are being taken to obtain the information and the amount of time you will need to supply the information to our office.

According to law, default in the returning of the applications as outlined above within the time allowed or any authorized extension of time, shall cause dismissal of the applications for change under the above referenced files.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (785) 564-6633. If you wish to discuss a specific file, please have the file number ready so that we may help you more efficiently.

Sincerely,

Leslie Ireland

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#### GOVERNOR JEFF COLYER, M.D. JACKIE McCLASKEY, SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

PHIL & VERNA OCHS, TRUST 10509 W 142ND ST

October 5, 2018

**OVERLAND PARK, KS 66221** 

RE: File No FO-35

Dear Sir or Madam:

An application for approval of the Chief Engineer to change the following condition or conditions of the file number referred to above has been received:

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As a matter of record, the Division of Water Resources has on hand a large number of applications awaiting processing. Therefore, to be fair to all concerned, and so that we can process those applications on hand in the order they were received, we intend to concentrate on the backlog of applications until the issue is resolved. You will be contacted regarding this application as soon as it has been examined.

In accordance with the provisions of the Kansas Water Appropriation Act, a portion of which is included below, the use of water prior to approval of the application is unlawful. You should not proceed and divert water as indicated by your plans in your application for a change for this file until you receive approval for this change from the Chief Engineer. Once approved, compliance with the terms, conditions and limitations of the permit is necessary. Conservation of the water resources of Kansas is required.

Section 82a-728 of the Kansas Water Appropriation Act, provides (a) except for the appropriation of water for the purpose of domestic use, . . . it shall be unlawful for any person to appropriate or threaten to appropriate water from any source without first applying for and obtaining a permit to appropriate water in accordance with the provisions of the Water Appropriation Act or for any person to violate any condition of a vested right, appropriation right or an approved application for a permit to appropriate water for beneficial use.

(b) (1) The violation of any provision of this section by any person is a class C misdemeanor... A class C misdemeanor is punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500 and/or a term of confinement not to exceed one month in the county jail. Each day that the violation occurs constitutes a separate offense.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (785) 564-6645. If you wish to discuss a specific file, please have the file number ready so that we may help you more efficiently.

Sincerely.

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