

BEFORE THE OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF ALLEGED VIOLATIONS OF THE) CAUSE NO. 1V
RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE COLORADO OIL)
AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION BY **BEREN**) DOCKET NO. 1310-OV-25
CORPORATION, WELD COUNTY, COLORADO)

NOTICE OF ORDER FINDING VIOLATION HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("Commission" or "COGCC") Staff will apply to the Commission on October 28, 2013 for an Order Finding Violation ("OFV") against Beren Corporation ("Beren").

On January 10, 1997, Beren became the operator of the Moyer 16-30 Well ("Well") (API #05-123-05975).

On June 11 and 12, 2013, COGCC staff conducted two inspections of the Well site (Document Nos. 667500201 and 664001050 respectively). Both inspections reported rule violations.

On July 12, 2013 COGCC Staff issued Notice of Alleged Violation ("NOAV") # 200382925 to Beren. The NOAV cited violations of the following COGCC Rules of Practice and Procedure, 2 CCR 404-1 ("Rule" or "Rules"): Rule 324A.a.; Rule 324.A.b.; Rule 901.e.; Rule 901.f.; Rule 902.a.; Rule 902.b.; Rule 902.d.; Rule 902.g.; Rule 904.a.(4); Rule 906.a.; Rule 906.b.; Rule 906.c.; Rule 907.a.(1); Rule 907.c.(2); Rule 907.e.; Rule 909; Rule 910 - Table 910-1; Rule 1002.e.; Rule 1002.f.; Rule 1003.f.

The NOAV required Beren to correct, or abate the alleged rule violations by performing corrective actions. These corrective actions have not been completed.

COGCC staff requests that Beren be found in violation of rules cited in the NOAV and assessed a penalty pursuant to Rule 523.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to: 1) the general jurisdiction granted to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado (Commission) under § 34-60-105 C.R.S.; 2) specific powers granted pursuant to § 34-60-106 C.R.S.; 3) the Colorado Administrative Procedures Act at § 24-4-105 C.R.S.; and 4) the Commission's Series 500 Rules at 2CCR 404-1, that the Commission has scheduled the above-entitled matter for hearing on:

Date: Monday, October 28, 2013
Tuesday, October 29, 2013

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: Limon Community Building
477 D. Avenue
Limon, CO 80826

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if any party requires special accommodations as a result of a disability for this hearing, please contact Margaret Humecki at (303) 894-2100 ext. 5139, prior to the hearing and arrangements will be made.

Pursuant to said hearing in the above-entitled matter at the time and place aforesaid, or at any adjourned meeting, the Commission will enter such orders as it deems appropriate to protect the health, safety and welfare of the public and to prevent the waste of oil and gas, either or both, in the operations of said field, and to carry out the purposes of the statute.

In accordance with Rule 509., any interested party desiring to protest the granting of the application or to intervene on the application should file with the Commission a written protest or intervention no later than October 11, 2013, briefly stating the basis of the protest or intervention. Such interested party shall, at the same time, serve a copy of the protest or intervention to the person filing the application. An electronic version, an original and two copies shall be filed with the Commission. Anyone who files a protest or intervention must be able to participate in a prehearing conference during the week of October 15, 2013. Pursuant to Rule 503.g., if a party who has received notice under Rule 503.b. wishes to receive further pleadings in the above-referenced matter, that party must file a protest or intervention in accordance with these rules.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

By _____


Robert J. Frick, Secretary

Dated: August 27, 2013
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