

MINUTES OF THE SENATE UTILITIES COMMITTEE.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Senator Stan Clark at 9:30 a.m. on May 1, 2003 in Room 231-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Senator Wagle, excused

Committee staff present: Raney Gilliland, Legislative Research  
Bruce Kinsey, Revisor of Statutes  
Ann McMorris, Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: Robert Krehbiel

Others attending: See attached list

Chairman Clark called the meeting to order and opened the hearing on confirmation of Robert E. Krehbiel to the position of member of the State Corporation Commission.

Robert Krehbiel gave a brief resume of his background from childhood through school and described the various job positions he has held during his career. He started in the oil industry field after graduating from college in the late 70's and was a practicing attorney. He served ten years in the Kansas Legislature and his last career opportunity has been with KIOGA. (Attachment 1)

Questions from the committee:

Q. How do you see your relationship with the oil and gas industry and how do you separate yourself for KCC decisions?

A. You need all components in the oil and gas business - producers, consumers, transportation - and they need each other.

Q. What will you do for the consumer since you have always been on the side of the producer?

A. Personal integrity is the criteria in this area. I will stand up and do what is right.

Q. As a Commissioner you have influence in other industries - is there a guaranteed rate of return?

A. There is no guaranteed rate of return but there is an opportunity to earn a return on the capital at risk.

Q. What is a non-operating working interest on oil and gas production?

A. I am in with a group who provide capital and take the risk but another operator holds the license and does all the work. Currently, the KCC counsel is checking to see if this is a conflict of interest and if so, I will divest myself from this operation.

Q. What do you feel is the role of KCC on extra compensation to top executives?

A. An obligation to maintain the integrity of the infrastructure and to see that inappropriate costs do not get passed on to the consumer.

Chair closed the hearing.

Moved by Senator Barone, seconded by Senator Tyson, the committee approve confirmation of Robert E. Krehbiel as a member of the State Corporation Commission. Motion carried.

Chairman Clark announced that there was an engrossing error on **SB 104** that the Governor signed and that a technical correction bill had been introduced to correct this mistake.

Adjournment.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann McMorris, Secretary

Attachments - 1



**Senate Confirmation Information Summary**  
*Prepared and Submitted by the Office of Governor Kathleen Sebelius*

**Appointee:** Robert E. Krehbiel

**Position:** Member, State Corporation Commission

**Appointment Date:** April 11, 2003

**Expiration Date:** March 15, 2007

**Term Length:** 4 years

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**Statutory Authority:** K.S.A. 74-601

**Party Affiliation:** Democrat

⇒ Statutory geographic representation  
Requirements (*insert any that apply*)

Congressional District:

County:

Size requirement (*if any*):

Other, specify:

⇒ Statutory party affiliation requirement: No more than 2 members of the commission shall belong to same political party.

⇒ Statutory industry or occupation requirements:

**Salary:** \$109,157.10

**Predecessor:** Cynthia Claus

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**Board Composition Prior to Confirmation of New Appointee:**

*(SEE ATTACHED LIST)*

Senate Utilities Committee  
Attachment 1  
May 1, 2003

# Kansas Corporation Commission

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**Appts:** 3

**Term Length:** Four Years

**Contact:** John Wine, Chair  
1500 SW Arrowhead Road  
Topeka, KS 66604  
785/271-3100  
785/371-3354 fax

**Total Appts:** 3

**Notes:** Commissioners begin serving immediately following recommendation by Senate Confirmations Oversight Committee.

**Statute:** KSA 74-601

**Party Ratio:** 2:1

**Confirmation:** Y

Committee Approved; Subject to Full Senate Confirmation

	<u>County</u>	<u>Affiliation</u>	<u>CD</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>Appointment Date</u>	<u>Expiration Date</u>
Claus Cynthia L. 1220 Sunset Lane Lawrence KS 66044 <b>H:</b> 785-312-7352 <b>W:</b> 785-271-3350 <b>FAX:</b> 785-271-3354	Douglas	R	3	44	2	01/20/2000	03/15/2003
		<b>Position:</b> a member <b>Seat #:</b> 003 <b>Succeeds:</b> herself -- reappointed <b>Appointed by:</b> Governor <b>Remarks:</b> Commissioner					
Moline Brian J. 2532 Granthurst Topeka KS 66611 <b>H:</b> 785/233-9631 <b>W:</b> 785/296-3989 <b>FAX:</b>	Shawnee	D	2	55	20	03/27/2002	03/15/2006
		<b>Position:</b> a member <b>Seat #:</b> 002 <b>Succeeds:</b> himself -- reappointed <b>Appointed by:</b> Governor <b>Remarks:</b> Commissioner					
Wine John R. Kansas Corporation Commission Topeka KS 66604-4027 <b>H:</b> 785/233-5455 <b>W:</b> 785/271-3100 <b>FAX:</b> 785/271-3354	Shawnee	R	2	56	18	03/23/2000	03/15/2004
		<b>Position:</b> a member <b>Seat #:</b> 001 <b>Succeeds:</b> himself -- reappointed <b>Appointed by:</b> Governor <b>Remarks:</b> Commissioner					

**ATTACHMENT A**

**Resume of  
ROBERT E. KREHBIEL**

**EDUCATION:**

Pretty Prairie High School, Pretty Prairie, Kansas 1964  
University of Kansas, BA History 1968  
University of Kansas School of Law, JD Law 1973

**PROFESSIONAL SEMINARS AND INSTITUTES:**

Federal Energy Administration, Regulation of Petroleum and  
Petroleum Products, Practicing Law Institute, Southern  
Methodist University, 1976.

Institute for Energy Development, Petroleum Land Titles,  
University of Texas at Arlington, 1973.

The American Institute of Real Estate Appraisers, Real  
Estate Appraisal Course I-A, University of Houston, 1973.

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:**

Kansas Bar Association  
Oil and Gas Mineral Law Section of the KBA  
Attorney registered with the Kansas Supreme Court admitted  
to practice before the Kansas Supreme Court and all  
inferior Courts and the United States District Court for  
the District of Kansas.

**WORK HISTORY:**

Phillips Petroleum Company, Odessa, Texas, 1973-1975  
Attorney in Tax, Insurance and Claims Department,  
handling ad valorem property taxation, real estate  
sales and acquisitions, right of way acquisitions for  
pipe lines, and other oil and gas related facilities,  
preparation for condemnation proceedings and claims  
against the company resulting from operations.

Energy Reserves Group, Wichita, Kansas, 1975-1980  
Attorney for operations relating to oil and gas  
exploration and production, responsible for Company  
compliance with Federal and State Regulations,

including audits involving Federal price controls at the Department of Energy, compliance with Federal Power Commission Regulations, and Kansas Corporation Commission issues, including hearings and related litigation.

Imperial Oil Company, Wichita, Kansas, 1980-1985

Attorney in charge of land and legal including all operational contracts, oil and gas leasing, farm outs, farm ins and all marketing contracts relating to oil and gas, title opinions, division orders, and all regulatory compliance including Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Department of Energy and State Corporation Commission work, audits, and related litigation.

Krehbiel Offices, Inc., Pretty Prairie, Kansas, 1986-1998.

Engaged in the general practice of law including criminal law, family law, estate planning, with a focus on oil and gas law, drill site and division order title opinions and related litigation.

Beginning in 1988 this practice shared time with duties as State Representative for Kansas 101<sup>st</sup> District.

Kansas Independent Oil & Gas Association, Wichita, Kansas, 1998-Present.

Executive Vice-President responsible for Government relations including federal and state, legislative and regulatory.

**ELECTIVE PUBLIC OFFICE:**

Elected State Representative for the 101<sup>st</sup> District in parts of Reno and Kingman Counties in Kansas and then re-elected for five consecutive terms. Served as the ranking minority member on the House Energy and Natural Resources Committee, as Vice Chairman of the House Federal and State Affairs Committee, and as a member of the Taxation and Judiciary Committees. Served as Policy Chairman for the House Democratic Party.

**OTHER PUBLIC SERVICE:**

Appointed to the Governor's Committee on Energy Policy by Governor Finney, 1993.

Appointed to the Interstate Oil and Gas Compact  
Commission by Governor Graves, 1998.

**PERSONAL:**

Married to Janice, 27 years, a school teacher in USD  
311, Pretty Prairie Grade School.

Two children, Sarah, age 25, currently a candidate for  
a masters degree in psychology at Kansas State  
University and presently employed by Yates Petroleum  
Company, Denver, Colorado, and Lindsay, age 23, a  
graduate of Kansas Wesleyan University with a BS in  
Chemistry and currently in Pharmacy School at the  
University of Kansas.



## KANSAS GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANTIAL INTERESTS FORM

**INSTRUCTIONS.** This statement (pages 1 through 4) must be completed by individuals who are required to do so by law. Any individual who intentionally fails to file as required by law, or intentionally files a false statement, is subject to prosecution for a class B misdemeanor.

Please read the "Guide" and "Definition" section provided with this form for additional assistance in completing sections "C" through "G". If you have questions or wish assistance, please contact the Commission office at 109 West 9th, Topeka, KS or call 785-296-4219.

**A. IDENTIFICATION:**

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

Krehbiel

Robert

Eugene

Last Name

First Name

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Krehbiel

Janice

Kay

Spouse's Name

23805 So. Dean Road, P.O. Box 7

Number &amp; Street Name, Apartment Number, Rural Route, or P.O. Box Number

Pretty Prairie, Kansas 67570

City, State, Zip Code

620 - 459 - 6669

Home Phone Number (include area code)

316 - 263 - 7297

Business Phone Number (include area code)

**B. THIS FORM IS REQUIRED TO BE FILED BECAUSE YOU ARE:**

(check one or more of the following)

1. State Elected Official (Governor, Lt. Governor, Attorney General, Commissioner of Insurance, State Treasurer, Secretary of State, State Senator, State Representative, Member of State Board of Education or District Attorney);
2. Appointed Member of a State Board, Council, Commission or Authority;
3. Appointed State Position is Subject to Senate Confirmation;
4. Employee of a State Agency or University;
5. General Counsel for a State Agency;
6. Candidate for State Office.

State Corporation Commission

List Name of Agency, Board, University or Elected Position (You may use abbreviations but not acronyms)

NA

Division if applicable (May use acronyms)

Commissioner

Position

\* The last four digits of your social security number will aid in identifying you from others with the same name on the computer list. This information is optional.

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C. OWNERSHIP INTERESTS: List any corporation, partnership, proprietorship, trust, joint venture and every other business interest, including land used for income, and specific stocks, mutual funds or retirement accounts in which either you or your spouse has owned within the preceding 12 months a legal or equitable interest exceeding \$5,000 or 5%, whichever is less. If you or your spouse own more than 5% of a business, you must disclose the percentage held. Please insert additional page if necessary to complete this section.

If you have nothing to report in Section "C", check here .

BUSINESS NAME AND ADDRESS	TYPE OF BUSINESS	DESCRIPTION OF INTERESTS HELD	PERCENT OF OWNERSHIP INTERESTS	HELD BY WEOM
1. Krehbiel Offices, Inc. 131 S. Adams, Pretty Prairie, Ks 67570	Office Bldg	stock	100%	Self
2. Robert E. Krehbiel P.O. Box 7 Pretty Prairie, Ks	Sole Proprietor Farm + Ranch	240 Ac Grass land 200 Ac Grass Livestock	100% Rented 100%	Jt w spouse - Self
3. Robert E. Krehbiel P.O. Box 7 Pretty Prairie, Ks	Sole Proprietor oil + Gas Prod in Edwards + Kingman Co., Ks	Non-operating working interests	10%	Self
4. Robert E. Krehbiel P.O. Box 7, Pretty Prairie, Ks	Sole Proprietor oil & Gas Prod	overriding Royalty Interests	Rent- 1.5% Prod- .173%	Self
5. Commerce Trust Company Wichita, Kansas	401 K Retirement	Retirement Acct	100%	Self
6. American Century Kansas City, Mo	Mutual Funds	IRA	100%	self
7. Waddell & Reed Shawnee Mission, Ks	Mutual Funds	IRA	100%	Self
8. American Century Kansas City, Mo	Mutual Funds	IRA	100%	Spouse
9. American Fidelity Ok City, Ok	Variable Annuity	Retirement Acct	100%	Spouse
10. Pioneer Investments Decatur, Ga.	Mutual Funds	IRA	100%	Spouse

See Attachment for continuation of Page 2 Item C.

D. GIFTS OR HONORARIA: List any person or business from whom you or your spouse either individually or collectively, have received gifts or honoraria having an aggregate value of \$500 or more in the preceding 12 months.

If you have nothing to report in Section "D", check here .

NAME OF PERSON OR BUSINESS FROM WHOM GIFT RECEIVED	ADDRESS	RECEIVED BY:
1.		
2.		
3.		

E. RECEIPT OF COMPENSATION: List all places of employment in the last calendar year, and any other businesses from which you or your spouse received \$2,000 or more in compensation (salary, thing of value, or economic benefit conferred on in return for services rendered, or to be rendered), which was reportable as taxable income on your federal income tax returns.

1. YOUR PLACE(S) OF EMPLOYMENT OR OTHER BUSINESS IN THE PRECEDING CALENDAR YEAR. IF SAME AS SECTION "B", CHECK HERE \_\_\_\_.  
If you have nothing to report in Section "E"1, check here \_\_\_\_.

	NAME OF BUSINESS	ADDRESS	TYPE OF BUSINESS
1.	Kansas Independent Oil & Gas Assoc	105 S. Broadway, Ste 500, Wichita, Ks	Trade Association
2.			

2. SPOUSE'S PLACE(S) OF EMPLOYMENT OR OTHER BUSINESS IN THE PRECEDING CALENDAR YEAR.  
If you have nothing to report in Section "E"2, check here \_\_\_\_.

	NAME OF BUSINESS	ADDRESS	TYPE OF BUSINESS
1.	USD 311	Pretty Prairie, Kansas	School
2.			

- F. OFFICER OR DIRECTOR OF AN ORGANIZATION OR BUSINESS: List any organization or business in which you or your spouse hold a position of officer, director, associate, partner or proprietor at the time of filing, irrespective of the amount of compensation received for holding such position. Please insert additional page if necessary to complete this section.  
If you have nothing to report in Section "F", check here \_\_\_\_.

	BUSINESS NAME AND ADDRESS	POSITION HELD	HELD BY WHOM
1.	Krehbiel Offices, Inc 1315 S. Adams, Pretty Prairie, Ks 67570	President	Self
2.	Robert E Krehbiel, Farmer, Ranch & Oil & Gas Production	Owner	Self
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G. **RECEIPT OF FEES AND COMMISSIONS:** List each client or customer who pays fees or commissions to a business or combination of businesses from which fees or commissions you or your spouse received an aggregate of \$2,000 or more in the preceding calendar year. The phrase "client or customer" relates only to businesses or combination of businesses. In the case of a partnership, it is the partner's proportionate share of the business, and hence of the fee, which is significant, without regard to expenses of the partnership. An individual who receives a salary as opposed to portions of fees or commissions is generally not required to report under this provision. Please insert additional page if necessary to complete this section.

If you have nothing to report in Section "G", check here .

	NAME OF CLIENT / CUSTOMER	ADDRESS	RECEIVED BY
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13.			

H. **DECLARATION:**

I, Robert E. Krehbiel, declare that this statement of substantial interests (including any accompanying pages and statements) has been examined by me and to the best of my knowledge and belief is a true, correct and complete statement of all of my substantial interests and other matters required by law. I understand that the intentional failure to file this statement as required by law or intentionally filing a false statement is a class B misdemeanor.

4-14-2003  
Date

Robert E. Krehbiel  
Signature of Person Making Statement

NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL PAGES 1

Return your completed statement to the Secretary of State, Memorial Hall, First Floor, 120 SW 10th Ave., Topeka, Kansas 66612-1594.

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|-----|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|--------|
| 11. | Emergreen Investments<br>Boston, MA | Mutual Fund               | Retirement Acct | Spouse |
| 12. | KPERs Retirement Fund               |                           | Retirement Acct | Self   |
| 13. | KPERs Retirement Fund               |                           | Retirement Acct | Spouse |
| 14. | Ameritrade                          | Stocks<br>Investment Acct |                 | Self   |

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(for Appointments Office use only)  
KBI Check: NA In Process  Complete

KANSAS GOVERNOR SEBELIUS APPOINTMENT QUESTIONNAIRE

Position for which you are applying: Commissioner, State Corporation Commission

Full Name (please include middle name): Robert Eugene Krehbiel

Home Address: 23805 So. Dean Road, P.O. Box 7, Pretty Prairie, KS 67570 Reno  
(City, State, Zip) (County)

Business Address: 105 So. Broadway, Wichita, KS 67202 Sedgewick  
(City, State, Zip) (County)

Business Name: Kansas Independent Oil & Gas Association

Position Title: Executive Vice President

Home Phone: 620-459-6669 Business Phone: 316-263-7297 Cell Phone: 316-655-6811

Facsimile No: 316-263-3021 E-Mail Address: rkioqbds@sebell.net

Driver's License No: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security No: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: 8-25-46 Place of Birth: Hutchinson, Kansas Kansas resident? Yes

Registered Voter? Yes Party Affiliation: Democrat

Congressional District: 1st Kansas Senate District: 34 Kansas Representative District: 101

Do you have the legal right to live and work in the United States? Yes

Education: BA History from Kansas University; JD Law from Kansas University School of Law

Employment Experience: See Attachment A

Do you hold any professional licenses? If so, please provide numbers: Supreme Court #8044

What special skills could you bring to this position? Thirty years experience relating to energy exploration, production and regulation at state and federal levels.

Previous government appointments: Interstate Oil and Gas Compact Commission 1999-Present  
(Please provide dates)

**EXPERIENCE AND AFFILIATIONS** (Note: All yes answers require a detailed response. Attach a separate sheet if necessary.)

1. Military Service: List rank, date, and type of discharge from active service: *None*
2. Government Experience: List on a separate sheet any experience or association with local, state or federal government (exclusive of elective public office but including advisory, consulting, honorary, or other part-time service or positions), with dates of service: *None*
3. Elective Public Office: List on a separate sheet all elective public offices sought and/or held with dates of service: *See Attachment A*
4. Honors and Awards. List on a separate sheet all scholarships, fellowships, honorary degrees, honorary society memberships, and any other special recognitions for outstanding service or achievements: *None*
5. Organization Affiliations. List on a separate sheet all local, state, and national civic, cultural, educational, charitable, or work-related organizations you have been associated with in the past ten years. Include any position held in the organization and the dates of service. *See Attachment A*
6. Organization Restrictions: To your knowledge, is any organization listed above restricted on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability, marital status, or veteran status? If yes, please describe: No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
7. Issues. Have you ever been publicly identified, in person or by organizational membership, with a particularly controversial national or local issue? If so, please describe. No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
8. Submission of views. Have you ever submitted oral or written views to any governmental authority, whether executive or legislative, or to the news media on any particular controversial issue other than in an official governmental capacity? If yes, please describe. No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
9. Associations. Have you ever had any association with any person, group, or business venture that could be used, even unfairly, to impugn or attack your character and qualifications for the position to which you seek to be appointed? If yes, please describe. No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
10. Opposition. Do you know of any person or group who might take overt or covert steps to attack, even unfairly, your appointment? If yes, please identify and explain the basis for the potential attack on a separate sheet. No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
11. Miscellaneous. List on a separate sheet any factors, other than the information provided above, which particularly qualify you or are relevant to the position to which you are seeking appointment? Include any special skills. *See*

CONFLICTS OF INTEREST: (Yes answers require a detailed response. If necessary, use a separate sheet.)

12. Relationship to governmental employees. Are you or your spouse or other close family members related to any state governmental official or employee? If yes, please provide details. No  Yes
13. Compensation. During the past five years have you or your spouse or other close family members received any compensation or been involved in any financial transaction with the State of Kansas? If yes, please explain. No  Yes  (Legislative Pay as State Rep)
14. Business relationships. Describe on a separate sheet any business relationship, dealing, or financial transaction which you have had during the last five years, whether for yourself, on behalf of a client, or acting as an agent, which you believe may constitute an appearance of impropriety or result in a potential conflict of interest in the position to which you want to be appointed. If none, please so state. none
15. Transactions with officials. During the past five years, have you or your spouse or other close family members received any compensation or been involved in any financial transaction with any state government official? If, yes, please explain on a separate sheet. No  Yes
16. Spouse or other family members. If the nature of employment for your spouse or other close family member is related in any way to the position to which you want to be appointed, please indicate the employer, the position, and the length of time it has been held. If it is not, please so state. It is not.
17. Lobbying activities. Describe briefly on a separate sheet any lobbying activity during the past ten years in which you have engaged for the purpose of influencing the passage, defeat, or modification of any legislative or administrative action. Describe briefly any lobbying activity during the last ten years in which your spouse has engaged for the purpose of influencing the passage, defeat, or modification of any legislative or administrative action that is related in any way to the position to which you are seeking appointment. (Lobbying activity includes any activity performed as an individual or agent of another individual, or of any organization that involves direct communication with an official in the executive branch of state government, or any official of the legislative branch.) If none, please so state. See Attachment B
18. Regulated activities. Describe on a separate sheet any interest that you, your spouse, or other close family member may have (whether as an officer, owner, director, trustee, or partner) in any corporation, firm, partnership, or other business enterprise and any non-profit organization or other institution that is regulated by or receives direct financial benefits from any department or agency of the State of Kansas. If none, please so state. ~~none~~ See Attachment B
19. Other. Please describe on a separate sheet any other matter in which you are involved that is or may be incompatible or in conflict with the discharge of the duties of the position to which you seek to be appointed or which may impair or tend to impair your independence of judgment or action in the performance of the duties of that position. If none, please so state. none

ETHICAL MATTERS: (Yes answers require a detailed response. If necessary, use a separate sheet.)

20. Citations. Have you ever been cited for a breach of ethics for unprofessional conduct by, or been named in a complaint to any court, administrative agency, professional association, disciplinary committee, or other professional group? If yes, please provide details.  
No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
21. Convictions. Have you ever been convicted of or entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere or forfeited collateral for any criminal violation other than a minor traffic offense? (Minor traffic offenses do not include the Kansas offenses of driving under the influence, operating while impaired, reckless driving, or the equivalent offenses in other states.) If yes, please explain.  
No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
22. U.S. Military convictions. Have you ever been convicted by any military court? If yes, please provide details. No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
23. Imprisonment. Have you ever been imprisoned, been on probation, or been on parole? If yes, please provide details. No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
24. Agency proceedings: Civil Litigation. Are you presently, or have you ever been, a party in interest in any administrative agency proceeding or civil litigation that is related in any way to the position to which you are seeking appointment? If yes, please provide details.  
No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
25. Agency proceedings and civil litigation of affiliates and family. Has any business in which you, your spouse, close family member or business associate are or were an officer, director or partner been a party to any administrative agency proceeding or civil litigation relevant to the position to which you are seeking appointment? If yes, please provide details. (With respect to this question, you need only consider proceedings and litigation that occurred while you, your spouse, close family member, or business associate were an officer of that business.)  
No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
26. Other litigation. Other than the litigation described above, have you or any business in which you are or were an officer, director, or partner been a plaintiff or a defendant in a civil lawsuit? If yes, please describe. Is anyone currently threatening to sue you or any business in which you are an officer, director, or partner? If yes, please describe. No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
27. Drivers license. Has your drivers license ever been suspended or revoked? If yes, please describe. No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
28. Parking tickets. Do you have outstanding parking tickets from any jurisdiction in Kansas that have remained unpaid for more than 60 days? If yes, please explain. No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_
29. Security clearance denial. Have you ever been denied a military or other governmental clearance? If yes, please explain. No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_

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Firings. During the past ten years, have you been fired from a job for any reason? Did you quit after being told that you would be fired, or did you leave by mutual agreement because of specific problems? If yes, please provide details. No  Yes

31. Alimony and child support. Are you now, or have you ever been delinquent in the payment of alimony or child support? If yes, please provide details. No  Yes
32. Consumption of alcohol. Are you currently abusing alcohol? No  Yes
33. Controlled substances. Are you currently engaged in the illegal use of a controlled substance or abusing the use of a prescribed controlled substance? If yes, please describe. No  Yes
34. Physical examination. If you receive a conditional offer of appointment or employment, would you be willing to take a physical examination, which may include a drug test? No  Yes
35. Other. Please provide any additional information, favorable or unfavorable, which you feel should be considered in connection with your appointment.

FINANCIAL MATTERS: (Yes answers require a detailed response. If necessary, use a separate sheet.)

36. Delinquencies. Are you delinquent on any federal, state, or local debt? (Include delinquencies for income, property, or other taxes; governmental loans; overpayment of benefits; required payments into or under governmental programs; and other debts or required payments to the government; plus any defaults on or under loans which are or were guaranteed, insured, or subsidized by any unit of government.) If yes, please provide details on a separate sheet of paper. No  Yes

REFERENCES/SIGNIFICANT SUPPORTERS (elected officials, community leaders, friends, etc.)

Name: Jim Slattery Relationship to you: Friend, former Congressman

Telephone: 202-719-7264

Name: Judge Richard Rowe Relationship to you: Friend, Reno Co Dist Ct Judge

Telephone: 620-694-2556

Name: Rep Melvin Minor Relationship to you: Friend, State Representative

Telephone: 785-296-7648

Name: Curt Miller Relationship to you: Friend, Mayor

Telephone: 620-459-6693

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**AUTHORIZATION AND CERTIFICATION:**

The facts set forth in my application are true and complete. False statements, answers, or omissions on this application shall be sufficient cause for nonconsideration or for dismissal after appointment or employment. I also recognize that my selection is based on receipt of satisfactory information from former employers and references, and upon my ability to perform the essential elements, with or without reasonable accommodations, for the position for which I am applying. I herein authorize investigation, without liability, of the information supplied by me in this application for employment or appointment including academic, occupational, health, law enforcement, and government records. I also authorize listed employers and references, without liability, to make full response to any inquiries in connection with this application for appointment or employment. I understand and agree that the terms, conditions, compensation, benefits, hours, schedule, and duration of my appointment or employment may be determined, changed, or modified from time to time at the will of the appointing authority or designee without limitation or condition. I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT I HAVE READ THE FOREGOING PARAGRAPH AND KNOWINGLY MAKE THIS AUTHORIZATION BY SETTING FORTH MY SIGNATURE.

I understand that if I am required to be registered, licensed, or certified by federal or state law or regulation for the position I seek, I will notify the appointing authority immediately if any investigation, limitation, or cancellation of my registration, licensure, or certification occurs. If any investigation, probation, limitation, or cancellation occurs, I understand that my failure to notify my appointing authority as described above will result in the termination of my appointment or employment.

Signature Robert S. Kline

Date March 11, 2003

Please attach a copy of your resume if you have not previously provided one to the Appointments office.

ATTACHMENT B

Page 2, Question 11: Past experience in legal, legislative, regulatory and political arenas provides a unique combination of skills relevant to this position.

Page 3, Question 17: The Executive Vice President of the Kansas Independent Oil & Gas Association serves as an advocate and legislative liaison, both State and Federal, for producers of oil and gas. I have served in this capacity since June 1, 1998 to the present. Spouse does not engage in lobbying activities.

Page 3, Question 18: I own non-operating interests in three gas wells, one in Edwards County, Kansas, one in Kingman County, Kansas, and one in Reno County, Kansas. I own a non-operating interest in one oil well in Ford County, Kansas. Spouse shares my interest in these wells as a joint tenant with rights of survivorship.