

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
FORT WORTH DIVISION

UNITED STATES SECURITIES §  
AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION, §

**Plaintiff,** §

**v.** §

THE HEARTLAND GROUP VENTURES, LLC; §  
HEARTLAND PRODUCTION AND RECOVERY §  
LLC; HEARTLAND PRODUCTION AND §  
RECOVERY FUND LLC; HEARTLAND §  
PRODUCTION AND RECOVERY FUND II LLC; §  
THE HEARTLAND GROUP FUND III, LLC; §  
HEARTLAND DRILLING FUND I, LP; CARSON §  
OIL FIELD DEVELOPMENT FUND II, LP; §  
ALTERNATIVE OFFICE SOLUTIONS, LLC; §  
ARCOOIL CORP.; BARRON PETROLEUM §  
LLC; JAMES IKEY; JOHN MURATORE; §  
THOMAS BRAD PEARSEY; MANJIT SINGH §  
(AKA ROGER) SAHOTA; and RUSTIN §  
BRUNSON, §

No. 4-21CV-1310-O-BP

**Defendants,** §

**and** §

DODSON PRAIRIE OIL & GAS LLC; PANTHER §  
CITY ENERGY LLC; MURATORE FINANCIAL §  
SERVICES, INC.; BRIDY IKEY; ENCYIPHER §  
BASTION, LLC; IGROUP ENTERPRISES LLC; §  
HARPRIT SAHOTA; MONROSE SAHOTA; §  
SUNNY SAHOTA; BARRON ENERGY §  
CORPORATION; DALLAS RESOURCES INC.; §  
LEADING EDGE ENERGY, LLC; SAHOTA §  
CAPITAL LLC; and 1178137 B.C. LTD., §

**Relief Defendants.** §

**NOTICE OF HEARING AND SERVICE OF COURT ORDER SETTING HEARING ON RECEIVER'S FEE APPLICATION FOR SERVICES PERFORMED BETWEEN JANUARY 1, 2023 AND MARCH 31, 2023, AND BRIEF IN SUPPORT [ECF NO. 361]**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE OF THE FOLLOWING MATTER:**

Deborah D. Williamson, in her capacity as the Court-appointed Receiver (the "Receiver") for the Receivership Parties (as defined in the Receivership Order) and the receivership estates (collectively, the "Receivership Estates") in the above-captioned case (the "Case"), hereby files this *Notice of Hearing and Service of Court Order Setting Hearing on Receiver's Fee Application for Services Performed Between January 1, 2023 and March 31, 2023, and Brief in Support [ECF No. 361]* (the "Notice"), which is filed as a result of this Court's May 17, 2023 *Order [ECF No. 362]* (the "Order"). The Order set a telephonic hearing on the foregoing application on **Thursday, June 8, 2023, at 4:00 p.m. Central** and requires the Receiver to serve a copy of the Order on "all unrepresented parties and interested persons" by May 18, 2023, at noon. The Receiver files this Notice in compliance with the Order. Attached to this Notice as **Exhibit A** is a copy of the Order.

Dated: May 17, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

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**COUNSEL TO RECEIVER**

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on May 17, 2023, the foregoing document was served via CM/ECF on all parties appearing in this case and on the following unrepresented parties on this Court's docket and interested persons via email and first-class U.S. mail:

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**EXHIBIT A**

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Civil Action No. 4:21-cv-01310-O-BP

**ORDER**

Before the Court are Receiver’s Fee Application for Services Performed Between January 1, 2023 and March 31, 2023 and Brief in Support (ECF No. 361). Any party or person opposing the Application **SHALL FILE** a response by **June 5, 2023**. The Court **SETS** the Application for a **hearing**, via telephone, on **June 8, 2023, at 4:00 p.m.**

The Clerk will furnish the call-in number and code to access the hearing to the parties’ counsel of record. By **May 18, 2023, at noon**, the Receiver **SHALL** transmit a copy of this Order to all unrepresented parties and interested persons, and the Receiver thereafter **SHALL** file proof of such transmission. If any other party or person wishes to participate in the telephonic hearing, the party or person **SHALL** file an appropriate request with the clerk or place a telephone call to Ms. Elsherie Moore, courtroom deputy clerk, at (817) 850-6664.

It is so **ORDERED** on May 17, 2023.

  
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Hal R. Ray, Jr.  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE