

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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October 19, 2021

TRANSMITTED VIA EMAIL

Mr. Kelly Harden Harden Fossil Fuels, Inc. P.O. Box 5910 Stratford, Oklahoma 74872 kellyharden@prodigy.net

Re:

Proposed Administrative Order and Non-Issuance of the Final Administrative Order

Well Number: 5

EPA Inventory ID: OS5322000

Docket Number: SDWA-06-2021-1118

Dear Mr. Harden:

As you are aware, on August 18, 2021, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) emailed Harden Fossil Fuels, Inc. a Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) Proposed Administrative Order to address specific SDWA violations. After receipt of the EPA correspondence, Harden Fossil Fuels, Inc. addressed the violations specified in the Proposed Administrative Order; therefore, EPA shall not issue the corresponding Final Administrative Order. Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please contact Jeanne Eckhart of my staff, at 214-665-8174.

Sincerely,

Bryant Smalley

Chief

Water Enforcement Branch

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