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OKOGA PRAISES BIPARTISAN SENATE CONFIRMATION OF SCOTT PRUITT

OKLAHOMA CITY – The Oklahoma Oil and Gas Association (OKOGA) praised the bipartisan vote today in the U.S. Senate to confirm Oklahoma Attorney General Scott Pruitt as the new administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

“We are proud to have an Oklahoman confirmed with bipartisan support by the U.S. Senate to serve our nation in Washington,” said Chad Warmington, president of OKOGA. **“Scott Pruitt will welcome all stakeholders to the table as the EPA provides support to the states in ensuring clean air and clean water for its citizens. We look forward to supporting his vision of a nation that is pro-energy and pro-environment.”**

Background

The Oklahoma Oil & Gas Association, founded in 1919, is the oldest energy trade association in the United States. Nearly a century later, the association remains dedicated to the advancement and improvement of the oil and natural gas industry within the state of Oklahoma and throughout the nation. It is a non-profit association composed of oil and gas producers, operators, purchasers, pipelines, transporters, processors, refiners, marketers and service companies which represent a substantial sector of the oil and natural gas industry within Oklahoma. The activities of OKOGA include support for legislative and regulatory measures designed to promote both the well-being and best interests of the citizens of this state and a strong and vital petroleum industry within the State of Oklahoma and throughout the United States.

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