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September 18, 2009

SHANNON HOWLAND
BEAR PETROLEUM INC
P O BOX 438
HAYSVILLE KS 67060

RE: LEASE: MORAN 4
LEGAL: 1591'FNL-518'FWL 30-19S-20W
COUNTY: RUSH
API NO: 15165218220000

Dear Ms. Howland:

This letter is to inform you that you have been granted an extension of time in which to close the drilling pits associated with the drilling of the Moran 4 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired April 26, 2009. This extension will expire March 3, 2010. We urge you to make every effort to close these pits within this time frame. In the event there is water standing in these pits, please dewater and dispose of fluids in an authorized disposal facility to expedite closure. Extension of this time frame automatically extends the time period for filing the Closure of Surface Pit form.

Failure to close the pit or request an additional extension prior to the expiration date may result in a fine in accordance with K.A.R. 82-3-602(a). An additional extension will only be granted for good cause and after K.C.C. field staff has made an inspection of the site. Should field staff discover that said pit has been closed before the date of extension request, an administrative penalty may be assessed to you through K.C.C. invoice.

If you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to contact Jonelle Rains at (316) 337-6226.

Very sincerely yours,



Doug Louis
Director

cc: Jonelle Rains
District # 1

MEMORANDUM

From ~~To~~ *Dist 1*

To ~~From~~ Sammy Flaharty *sf*

Date: 9/1/2009

Re: pit extensions

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The following operators have requested additional extensions of time in which to fill the pits associated with the given lease. Please inspect the lease and let me know what your recommendations are. Your time and work are appreciated.

Both wells are owned by Bear Petroleum

Moran 3
664'FNL-2091'FWL 30-16S-20W
Rush County
15165218210000
spud 4/14/08 pit extension expired 8/31/09

Rec' 6 mo. Extension

Moran 4
1591'FNL-518'FWL 30-19S-20W
Rush County
15165218220000
Spud 4/26/08 pit extension expired 8/31/09

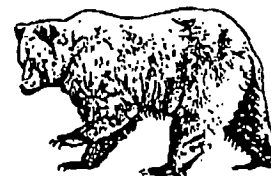
Rec' 6 mo. Extension

*S. Durant
9-3-09*



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KCC – Conservation Division
130 S. Market, Room 2078
Wichita, KS 67202

RE: Pit Closure Extension
Rush County, KS

Dear Sir/Madam:

We are requesting an extension on the pit closure for the Moran #3 API # 15-165-21821-0000 and the Moran #4 API # 15-165-21822-0000. The summer rains have kept the ground to wet to completely close the pits.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Yours Truly,

Shannon Howland
Office Manager