

Mark Parkinson, Governor Thomas E. Wright, Chairman Michael C. Moffet, Commissioner Joseph F. Harkins, Commissioner

January 8, 2010

PICKRELL DRILLING COMPANY INC 100 S MAIN STE 505 WICHITA KS 67202

RE: LEASE: ASPER A 3

LEGAL: 1920'FSL-660'FEL 30-31S-18W

COUNTY: HARPER

API NO: 1507721600000 🚱

Dear Sir/Madam:

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 Asper A 3 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired November 1, 2008. This extension will expire April 4, 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,

Director

cc: Jonelle Rains District # 2

Sammy Flaharty

From: Steve VanGieson

Sent: Monday, January 04, 2010 10:40 AM

To: Sammy Flaharty

Subject: RE: additional pit extension

SAMMY GIV'EM 90 DAYS STEVE

----Original Message-----From: Sammy Flaharty

Sent: Thursday, December 31, 2009 2:52 PM

To: Steve VanGieson

Subject: FW: additional pit extension

Hi Steve, I was going through my district file and I came across this well which I had not heard back from you yet. Please let me know what to do about it. I appreciate your help. Thanks

Sammy

-----Original Message-----From: Sammy Flaharty

Sent: Friday, October 30, 2009 12:26 PM

To: Steve VanGieson

Subject: additional pit extension

Steve, I received a letter requesting an additional pit extension from Pickrell Drilling Co. Inc. They state the pits were crowded but what is left is very muddy and wet. The pits are as follows:

Asper A 3 1920'FSL-660'FEL 30-31S-18W Harper County 15077216000000 Spud 11/1/07 pt extension expires 11/01/09

So let me know what you think and how long to give them. Thanks for your help Steve. Sammy



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Pickrell Drilling Company, Inc. 100 S MAIN STE 505 WICHITA KS 67202

October 31, 2008

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Re: Closure of Drilling Pits
ASPER "A" Lease Well No. 3

NESE 30-31S-8W HARPER County, Kansas API No. 15077216000000

Dear Sirs:

The above referenced well was spudded on 11/1/2007. According to K.A.R. 82-3-602, "Drilling pits ... shall be closed within a maximum of 365 calendar days after the spud date of a well". The subject drilling pits must be closed by 10/31/2008. A Closure of Surface Pit, form CDP-4 (April 2004), should be filed within 30 days after the drilling pits are closed. **Conservation division forms are available through our office and on the KCC web site:** http://kcc.ks.gov/conservation/forms/

Should an extension be warranted, it must be received by 10/31/2008. TO FILE FOR AN EXTENSION, PLEASE SEND A COPY OF THIS LETTER WITH THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION COMPLETED:

Date of location inspection by operator/agent:	10-28-09
	were crowded. Today when the pit was in the pits and they are water saturated.
Estimated period of time until pit closure:	Dependent upon weather conditions.

Failure to timely close the pit, file a request for an extension or file the closure form within the allotted time periods may result in assessment of an administrative penalty.

Your cooperation in this process is appreciated. If you have any questions or concerns, please call **Sammy Flaharty** at (316) 337-6227.

This request for an extension was mailed to the KCC on 10-28-09.

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