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March 16, 2009

STEPHEN M ARNOLD
BUFFALO CREEK EXPLORATION INC
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RE: LEASE: SIEFERS 1
LEGAL: 1650'FNL-2310'FWL 18-20S-11W
COUNTY: BARTON
API NO: 15009251480000

Dear Mr. Arnold:

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 Siefers 1 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired January 25, 2009. This extension will expire May 25, 2009. 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 #4

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We are asking the KCC to extend the time needed to backfill the surface pits on the Seifers Lease we drilled located in Barton County for the weather has not allowed us to close them.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "SMA", followed by a large, stylized loop.

Stephen M Arnold, CFO