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March 20, 2009

SHIRLEY STOTLER COLT ENERGY INC P O BOX 388 1112 RHODE ISLAND RD IOLA KS 66749

RE: LEASE: SALE 9-23

LEGAL: 2240'FSL-400'FEL 23-32S-17E

COUNTY: LABETTE API NO: 15099241980000

Dear Ms. Stotler:

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 Sale 9-23 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired May 21, 2008. This extension will expire July 14, 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 yours

cc: Jonelle Rains District # 3



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## MEMORANDUM

To:

District 3

From: Sammy K. Flaharty

Date: March 6, 2009

Re:

Pit Extensions

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.

Colt Energy Inc. Sale 9-23 2240'FSL-400'FEL 23-32S-17E Labette County Api 15099241980000 Spud 5/21/07 pit extension expired 2/28/09 Steve West called 3/16/09
Steve West of till 18/19/09

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March 3, 2009

Sammy Flaharty
Dept of Environmental Protection and Remediation
KCC Conservation Office
Wichita State Office Bldg.
130 S. Market, Room 2078
Wichita, Kansas 67202-1286

RE: Sale 9-23 2240FSL 400FEL 23-32S-17E Labette County, KS API-15-099-24198 CDP-4

## Dear Sammy:

Enclosed find a request for time extension to close the drill pit for Sale 9-23 located 23-32-17E Labette County, KS.

Due to the pit location at this time is not possible to get it closed so I am requesting an extension of time to May 14,2009. Hopefully we will be able to get it closed during the time.

If you have any questions, contact me at 620-365-3111.

Sincerely,

COLT ENERGY, INC.

Shirley Stotler Production Clerk

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Encl.