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January 23, 2009

CONNIE J AUSTIN THE BILL BOWMAN OIL COMPANY 2640 W RD NATOMA KS 67651

RE: LEASE: GILLILAND 1

LEGAL: 1800'FNL-500'FWL 16-09S-19W

COUNTY: ROOKS

API NO: 15163236710000

Dear Ms. Austin:

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 Gilliland 1 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired January 21, 2009. This extension will expire April 21, 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,

Director

cc: Jonelle Rains District # 4



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Bowman, William F. 2640 W RD NATOMA KS 67651

December 31, 2008

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Re: Closure of Drilling Pits
GILLILAND Lease Well No. 1
SWNW 16-9S-19W
ROOKS County, Kansas
API No. 15163236710000

CONSERVATION DIVISION WICHITA, KS

Dear Sirs:

The above referenced well was spudded on 1/21/2008. 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 1/20/2009. 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 1/20/2009. TO FILE FOR AN EXTENSION, PLEASE SEND A COPY OF THIS LETTER WITH THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION COMPLETED:

Date of location inspection by operator/agent:
Reason for extension: attached letter of Pit Closure Extension
Estimated period of time until pit closure: <u>as soon</u> as <u>weather permits</u>
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.

The Bill Bowman Oil Company **2640 W Road** Natoma, Kansas 67651 (785) 885-4830

October 17, 2008

Kansas Corporation Commission Conservation Division 130 S. Market, Room 2078 Wichita, Kansas 67202

Attention: Sammy Flaharty

RE: Pit Extention Request

The Bill Bowman Oil Company - Gilliland #1, SW NW of Section 16-T9S-R19W,

Rooks County, Kansas API #163-23671-0000

Spud Date January 21, 2008

Dear Sammy,

I am writing to request an Extension of Closure for the Drilling Pits for the above referenced well. These pits were supposed to be filled back to Ground Level by January 21, 2009.

We have had an excess amount of rain this year, so do to weather conditions, we have been unable to close these pits by the scheduled time.

Enclosed is a copy of the Application for Surface Pit - Form CDP-1, of the above referenced well. We would appreciate an extension for closure, and as soon as weather permits, these pits will be filled back in to ground level, and a Pit Closure - Form CDP-4, will be filed with the KCC.

If you have any questions, please call 785-434-2286. Thank you for your time concerning this matter.

Sincerely,

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Agent for The Bill Bowman Oil Company