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January 20, 2009

MICHELLE D HENNING
VESS OIL CORPORATION
1700 WATERFRONT PARKWAY BLDG 500
WICHITA KS 67206

RE: LEASE: STAIRRETT C 4
LEGAL: 1650'FNL-1630'FWL 24-21S-25W
COUNTY: HODGEMAN
API NO: 15083215390000

Dear Ms. Henning:

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 Stairrett C 4 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired November 26, 2008. This extension will expire March 5, 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 # 1

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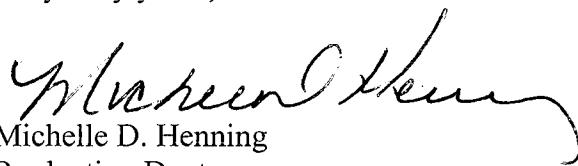
Re: API 15-083,21539-0000
Stairrett C #4
Sec. 24-21S-25W
Hodgeman County, KS

Dear Jonelle:

We have received the Notice of Violation regarding the drilling pit closure on the above captioned well and would like to request an extension of time to fill the pits. We hope to have them filled in the next 2 weeks.

We appreciate your consideration.

Very truly yours,



Michelle D. Henning
Production Dept.

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