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October 30, 2008

BRYAN HESS  
HESS OIL COMPANY  
P O BOX 1009  
MCPHERSON KS 67460

RE: LEASE: KATHLEEN 1  
LEGAL: 350'FSL-1525'FWL 03-14S-22W  
COUNTY: TREGO  
API NO: 15195224890000

Dear Mr. Hess:

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 Kathleen 1 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired October 18, 2008. This extension will expire December 31, 2008. 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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October 7, 2008

Re: Closure of Drilling Pits  
KATHLEEN Lease Well No. 1  
SWSESW 3-14S-22W  
TREGO County, Kansas  
API No. 15195224890000

Dear Sirs:

The above referenced well was spudded on 10/18/2007. 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 10/17/2008. 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 10/17/2008. **TO FILE FOR AN EXTENSION, PLEASE SEND A COPY OF THIS LETTER WITH THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION COMPLETED:**

Date of location inspection by operator/agent: 10-23-08

Reason for extension: Too much rain

Estimated period of time until pit closure: 2 months

**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.

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Company  Find API Number 15-195-22489- -

API # 15-195-22489-00-00 Well KATHLEEN 1 City TREGO Dkt

Oper 5663 HESS OIL COMPANY A Lgcy Oper

Work Oper C-1 Oper HESS OIL COMPANY

WL Type DH1 WL Stat PA Status Source: CP23 Status Dt: 10/24/2007

Location 3-14S-22W SWSESW, 350 FSL 1525 FWL District # 04

**Dates**

Intent Apprv:	09/26/2007	Compl:	10/24/2007
Permit Expire:	03/26/2008	Compl Rpt Rec:	11/28/2007
ACO-1 Spud:	10/18/2007	Plugged:	10/24/2007
District Spud:	10/18/2007		

SC Int:	200	SGWA:	CP 1:	
PIT Cls EXT:		RFAC:	CP 2.3:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Date CP-2/3 Recvd: 10/25/2007
Pit Cls:		RFAS:	CP 4:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Date CP-4 Recvd: 11/28/2007
PIT Status:	Request Received for Extension	Pit Liner:	CDP 5:	
Dewater:		Steel:		
BBLs:				