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June 29, 2009

R & B OIL & GAS INC  
912 N LOGAN  
P O BOX 195  
ATTICA KS 67009

RE: LEASE: GRABS A 4  
LEGAL: 660'FNL-1980'FEL 13-31S-09W  
COUNTY: HARPER  
API NO: 15077216100000

Dear Sir/Madam:

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 Grabs A 4 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired January 23, 2009. This extension will expire December 22, 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 Lewis  
Director

cc: Jonelle Rains  
District # 2



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Ms. Rains,

R+B Oil would like to request a 6 month extension for the Grabs A4 pit, due to the fact that the pit is still too wet to close.

RE: NOTICE OF VIOLATION - 82-3-602

Dear Sir or Madam:

K.A.R. 82-3-602(a) states that drilling pits shall be closed within a maximum of 365 calendar days after the spud date of a well. Any pit permit may be extended upon written request by the operator and with the approval of the director. Failure to close any pit or to file an extension within the prescribed time limits shall be punishable by a \$250 penalty.

Thank You,  
Jane Swamy

K.A.R. 82-3-602(c) states "Each operator of a pit shall file a pit closure form ... within 30 days after the closure of the pit. Failure to file the pit closure form in accordance with this subsection shall be punishable by a \$100 penalty".

According to our records a Closure of Surface Pit, form CDP-4 (April 2004), has not been filed and is past due for the following well:

| <u>API NO.</u> | <u>WELL</u> | <u>LOCATION</u> | <u>COUNTY</u> | <u>SPUDDATE</u> | <u>EXTENSION EXPIRATION</u> |
|----------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| 15077216100000 | GRABS A4    | 13-31-9W        | HARPER        | 1/23/2008       | 4/23/2009                   |

This requested information must be submitted by **June 19, 2009**. Failure to submit the requested information by this date may subject **R & B Oil & Gas, Inc.** to the assessment of the above referenced penalty(s). Conservation division forms are available through our office and on the KCC web site: <http://kcc.ks.gov/conservation/forms/>

Should you have any questions or concerns please contact Sammy Flaharty at (316) 337-6227.

Sincerely,

*Jonelle Rains*

Jonelle Rains, Supervisor  
Department of Environmental Protection and Remediation

**Sammy Flaharty**

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**From:** Steve VanGieson  
**Sent:** Monday, June 22, 2009 10:14 AM  
**To:** Sammy Flaharty  
**Subject:** RE: PIT EXTENSIONS

PLEASE GIVE A 6 MONTH EXTENSION TO THESE WELLS THANKS STEVE.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Sammy Flaharty  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 03, 2009 4:35 PM  
**To:** Steve VanGieson  
**Subject:** PIT EXTENSIONS

*Grabs AH*

Hi Steve, I've got a pit for you to check on for an extension. The pit belongs to R & B Oil & Gas Inc. It is located 660'FNL-1980'FEL of 13-33S-09W in Harper County. The api # is 15077216100000. Their last extension expired 4/23/09. The well was spudded 1/23/08. Let me know what you think. They are asking for a 6 month extension because the pit is too wet to close. Thanks for your help Steve.  
Sammy