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November 6, 2008

STEVE M DILLARD
PICKRELL DRILLING CO INC
100 S MAIN STE 505
WICHITA KS 67202-3738

RE: LEASE: ASPER A 3

LEGAL: 1980' FSL-660'FEL 30-31S-08W

COUNTY: HARPER

API NO: 15077216000000

Dear Mr. Dillard:

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 Asper A 3 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired November 1, 2008. This extension will expire March 2, 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 # 2

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Jonelle Rains Kansas Corporation Commission 130 S. Market, Room 2078 Wichita, Kansas 67202-3802

Re:

#3 Asper "A"

C NE SE, Section 30-31S-8W Harper County, Kansas **Extension Request** 

Ms. Rains:

The expiration of time for the filling of the drilling pits on the above referenced well will expire on November 2, 2008. An extension of time is requested due to the recent rainfall and the pits still being too wet to fill.

Please grant us an extension of time so we can close the above referenced pits when they are truly ready.

Sincerely,

PICKRELL DRILLING COMPANY, INC.

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