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February 22, 2008

KRISTOL TAYLOR
SAMUEL GARY JR & ASSOCIATES INC
1560 BROADWAY STE 2100
DENVER CO 80202

RE: LEASE: BRANSON TRUST 1-34
LEGAL: 800'FNL-1700'FWL 34-18S-10W
COUNTY: RICE
API NO: 15159224890000

Dear Ms. Taylor:

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 Branson Trust 1-34 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired July 20, 2007. This extension will expire May 11, 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(c). 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 #

Sittner Et Al Ringwald 1-33
1680'FSL-2400'FEL 33-18S-10W
Rice County
15159224960000
spud 9/30/06 pit extension expired 12/30/07

Mooney Etal 1-5
370'FSL-870'FWL 05-19S-10W
Rice County
15159224930000
spud 8/8/06 pit extension expired 11/08/07

Branson Trust 1-34
800'FNL-1700'FWL 34-18S-10W
Rice county
15159224890000
spud 7/20/06 pit extension expired 10/20/07

Gish-Hoelscher Trust 1-3
620'FSL-2390'FEL 03-18S-10W
Rice county
15159224880000
spud 8/1/06 pit extension expired 11/01/07

Weihe Trust 1-23
2150'FNL-1125'FEL 23-18S-10W
Rice County
15159224870000
spud 8/2/06 pit extension expired 11/2/07

Schroeder Et Al Carter Trust 1-3
630'FNL-1200'FEL 03-18S-10W
Rice County
15159224850000
spud 7/10/06 pit extension expired 10/10/07

2/11/08
Vigil Clothing
give 90 days
Have had 6-8 inches
of snow

MEMORANDUM

To: District 2
From: Sammy K. Flaharty
Date: 1/17/2008
Re: Pit Extensions

*Virgil Clithen 2/11/08
Give 90 days
Have had 6-8 inches
of snow*

The following operators have requested additional extensions of time in which to fill the pits associated with the given lease. Please inspect the lease and let me know what your recommendations are. Your time and work are appreciated.

All wells are for Samuel Gary Jr. & Associates Inc.

Thomas 1-30	Schroeder Maeshuff 4-34
950'FNL-1260'FWL 30-19S-10W	330'FSL-670'FEL 34-17-10W
Rice County	Ellsworth County
15159224950000	15053211850000
spud 8/31/06 pit extension expired 12/31/07	spud 9/12/06 pit extension expired 12/12/07

ORTH 1-5	Zink 1-34
3280'FSL-3580'FEL 05-19S-10W	330'FSL-1250'FEL 34-18W-10W
Rice County	Rice county
15159224980000	15159225030000
spud 9/15/06 pit extension expired 12/15/07	spud 9/20/06 pit extension expired 12/20/07

Samuel Gary Jr. & Associates, Inc.

1560 Broadway, Suite 2100, Denver, CO 80202 (303) 831-4673

January 15, 2008

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

RE: Notice of Violations for CDP-4's (82-3-602) dated January 8, 2008

Dear Ms. Rains,

This letter is in response to your notice of violations for pit closures dated January 8, 2008 that are under Samuel Gary Jr. & Associates, Inc. The Behnke Trusts 1-25 was closed on November 28, 2007 and a CDP-4 was filed on January 9, 2008. Due to ice and snow storms, we have been unable to close the other drilling pits. Our field workers are making every effort to close these pits as soon as possible. Therefore, we hereby request an extension to file CDP-4's for the following wells:

- Mooney Et Al 1-5 15-159-22493-0000
- Branson Trust 1-34 15-159-22489-0000
- Gish-Hoelscher Trust 1-3 15-159-22488-0000
- Weihe Trust 1-23 15-159-22487-0000
- Schroeder Et Al Carter Trust 1-3 15-159-22485-0000

If there are any questions, or if you need any additional information, please contact Tom Fertal at the telephone number shown on the letterhead.

Sincerely,

SAMUEL GARY JR. & ASSOCIATES, INC.



Kristol Taylor
Geo/Engineer Tech

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