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September 12, 2008

MARSHA TYREE
KENNETH W CORY LTD
6565 WEST LOOP SOUTH STE 780
BELLAIRE TX 77401

RE: LEASE: AST 1
LEGAL: 2065'FSL-330'FWL 23-30S-01E
COUNTY: SUMNER
API NO: 15191224990000

Dear Ms. Tyree:

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 Ast 1 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired December 16, 2007. This extension will expire December 3, 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 #2

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August 28, 2008

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KCC DISTRICT #2
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WICHITA, KS

Kansas Corporation Commission
Conservation Division
Attn: Steve Van Geizen
130 S. Market, Room 2078
Wichita, KS 67202

Re: Pit Closure Extension Request
Ast #1
NW NW SW
2065 FSL & 330 FWL
Sec 23-30S-1E
Sumner County, Kansas
API: 1519122499000

9-3-08
3 month Extension
[Signature]

Dear Mr. Van Geizen:

Kenneth W. Cory, Ltd. continues to be unable to close the drilling pit constructed for the captioned well. We have made every effort to close the pit within the time frame; however, due to the inclement weather, we have been unable to do so. Therefore, we are again requesting an extension of time in which to close the pit.

We appreciate your consideration of our request. Should you require additional information, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

[Signature: Marsha Tyree]

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