

Mark Parkinson, Governor Thomas E. Wright, Chairman Joseph F. Harkins, Commissioner Ward Loyd, Commissioner

May 27, 2010

Great Plains Energy, Inc. PO Box 292 Wahoo, NE 68066

Re:

Sauvage 9

SWNE Sec. 35-04S-30W Decatur County, Kansas API # 15-039-21080-00-00

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter is to inform you that you have been granted an additional extension of time in which to close the drilling pits associated with the drilling of the Sauvage 9 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired on 11/21/2009. This extension will expire 08/26/2010. 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.

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Very sincerely yours,

Doug Louis Director

Cc:

Jonelle Rains

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Great Plains Energy, Inc. Daniel F. Blankenau PO Box 292 Wahoo, NE 68066

Kansas Corporation Commission Kathy Hynes Finney State Office Building 130 S. Market, Room 2078 Wichita, KS 67202-3802

RE: Request for Pit Closure Extension

Dear Madam:

I request an extension for final Pit Closure on the following wells:

| API NO. | WELL | LOCATION | COUNTY | SPUDATE |
|----------------|----------------------|----------|---------|------------|
| 15039210810000 | Sauvage Family 1 | 35-4-30W | DECATUR | 11/14/2008 |
| 15039210800000 | Sauvage 9 | 35-4-30W | DECATUR | 11/21/2008 |
| 15039210910000 | Wasson Bros. Farms 9 | 36-4-30W | DECATUR | 3/19/2009 |

Our dirt contractor indicates they are 70% finished. The reason for the delay has been rain and "farming caused" access problems.

Sincerely,

Daniel F. Blankenau

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