

September 17, 2010

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Russell, KS 67665

Re: Gabel #2  
SWNE Sec. 25-17S-25W  
Ness County, Kansas  
API # 15-135-24963-00-00

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 Gabel #2 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired on 09/18/2010. This extension will expire 12/18/2010. 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 Kathy Haynes at (316) 337-6243.

Very sincerely yours,

  
Doug Louis  
Director

Cc: File  
District

*Rec'd 9-15-10*

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September 14, 2010

Kansas Corporation Commission  
Conservation Division  
130 South Market, Room 2078  
Wichita, KS 67202

Re: REQUEST FOR PIT  
CLOSURE EXTENSION

Gentlemen:

Fritzler Trucking squeezed the drilling pits at the following location on September 1st. At that time there was still a small amount of water in them to dry out; and since that time, additional rainfall in the area has prevented them from being completely backfilled. Therefore, we would like to request a pit closure extension.

Gabel #2  
Sec. 25-17S-25W  
Ness County, Kansas

API #15-135-24,963-00-00  
(original pit closure deadline is 9-18-10)

Sincerely,

JOHN O. FARMER, INC.

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