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February 4, 2011

MIDCO Exploration, Inc.
414 Plaza Drive Ste 204
Westmount, IL 60559

Re: Theis 1-20
SESWNW Sec. 20-33S-25W
Clark County, Kansas
API # 15-025-21495-00-00

Dear Sir or Madam:

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 Theis 1-20 well.

The original 365 days for closure expires on 02/17/2011. This extension will expire 05/17/2011. 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

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District

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Company API Number

API # 15-025-21495-00-00 Well THEIS 1-20 Cty CLARK Dkt

Oper 5254 MIDCO EXPLORATION, INC. A Lgcy Oper

Work Oper C-1 Oper MIDCO EXPLORATION, INC.

WL Type OG WL Stat IN Status Source: CP111 Status Dt: 07/22/2010

Location 20-33S-25W SESWNW, 2310 FNL 1020 FWL District # 01

Dates

Intent Apprv:	01/15/2010	Compl:	04/27/2010	TA Status:	TA	CP-111
Permit Expire:	01/15/2011	Compl Rpt Rec:	05/21/2010	Approved TA		
ACO-1 Spud:	02/17/2010	Plugged:		Status Eff:	07/29/2010	
District Spud:	02/17/2010	TA Exp Dt: 07/29/2011				
				Shut-In Dt: 04/27/2010		

Drilling

SC Int:	200	Spud Ltr:	<input type="checkbox"/>	CP 1:			
PIT CIs EXT	05/17/2011	SGWA:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CP 2,3:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Date CP-2/3 Rec'd:	
Pit CIs:		RFAC:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CP 4:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Date CP-4 Rec'd:	
PIT Status:	Active Extension/Closure Dela	RFA:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CDP 5:	Y		
Dewater:	O	PitLiner:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Steel:	<input type="checkbox"/>		
BBS	320						

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January 24, 2011

Ms. Kathy Haynes
Kansas Corporation Commission
Conservation Division
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Wichita, KS 67202-3802

Re: Closure of Drilling Pit
Theis #1-20
SE SW NW Sec. 20-33S-25W
Clark County, Kansas
API No. 15-025-21495-00-00

Dear Kathy,

The above referenced well was spudded on 2/17/10 and a Closure of Surface Pit, form CDP-4, is due 2/17/11. We anticipate plugging the well in the next 60 days and would like to use the pit in the plugging process. Therefore, we are requesting an extension of at least 180 days.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

MIDCO EXPLORATION, INC.



Earl J. Joyce, Jr.

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