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October 22, 2012

John O. Farmer, Inc. PO Box 352 Russell, KS 67665

Re:

Waugh A #1

SE/4 Sec. 07-15-12E

Wabaunsee County, Kansas API # 15-197-20293-00-00

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 Waugh A #1 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired on 10/17/2012. This extension will expire 01/17/2013. 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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RE:

Request for Pit Closure Extension - Waugh "A" #1

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NOTE:

Larcom & Son Construction was going to finish backfilling the drilling pits associated with the above-referenced well on October 12th but was unable to complete the job due to heavy rains in the Wabaunsee County area over the weekend. Therefore, we would like to request an extension for the closure deadline that will expire 10-17-12

Your consideration in this matter will be greatly appreciated. If you need further information, you can also visit with our foreman, Val Dreher at (785) 483-8356.

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