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July 26, 2012

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Re: Froelich C 1-30
SWNE Sec. 27-12S-16W
Ellis County, Kansas
API # 15-051-26167-00-00

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 Froelich C #1-30 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired on 07/26/2012. This extension will expire 10/26/2012. 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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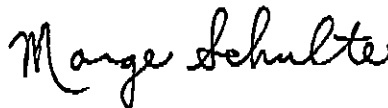
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RE: Request for Pit Closure Extension – Froelich “C” #1-30
API# 15-051-26,167-00-00

Number of pages in this FAX including cover sheet 1**NOTE:**

The current hot weather has helped, but since the above-referenced location is in an area of Shale the drilling pits are taking longer to dry out completely. Therefore, we would like to request an extension.

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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