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March 21, 2014

Murfin Drilling Company, Inc. 400 S. Vanhouten PO Box 288 Russell, KS 67665

Re: Kraus-Stecklein Unit #1-28 NW/4 Sec. 28-14S-18W Ellis County, Kansas 15-051-26474-00-00

## 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 Kraus-Stecklein Unit 1-28 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired on 02/04/2014. This extension will expire on 06/21/2014. 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 shall result in a monetary penalty in accordance with K.A.R. 82-3-602(a). An additional pit extension may be renewed upon request, but no pit permit extension shall be extended beyond six months after the original deadline.

Please complete the pit closure form (CDP-4) through Kolar (Kansas On-Line Automated Reporting) at <a href="https://kolar.kgs.ku.edu">https://kolar.kgs.ku.edu</a>.

If you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to contact Kathy Haynes at (316) 337-6243.

Sincerely,

Ryan A. Hoffman

Director

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March 14, 2014

Sammy Flaharty Kansas Corporation Commission 130 S. Market, Room 2078 Wichita, KS 67202-3802

## Sammy,

We are asking for an extension on the following due to wet conditions of the pit sites. Pits are still too wet to backfill.

API#	Well Name:	Location:
15-05-126466-00-00	HFM #1-33	33-14S-18W
15-051-26474-00-00	Kraus-Stecklein Unit #1-28	28-14S-18W
15-051-26489-00-00	Befort #1-12	12-15S-19W
15-051-26517-00-00	Bemis I #9	4-12S-17W
15-025-21555-00-00	Harden #1-20	20-32S-21W

Sincerely.

Stan Froetschner

**Production Superintendent** 

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