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February 26, 2014

Mai Oil Operations, Inc.
8411 Preston Rd Ste 800
Dallas, TX 75225

Re: Kenneth Axman 1
SW/4 Sec. 23-17S-15W
Barton County, Kansas
15-009-25766-00-00

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 Kenneth Axman 1 well.


The original 365 days for closure expired on 10/29/2013. This extension will expire on 05/26/2014. 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 <https://kolar.kgs.ku.edu>.

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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District



To: KCC

Environmental Protection and Remediation Dept.

Attn: Kathy Haynes

From: Mai Oil Operations, Inc.

Allen Bangert

Re: Notice of Violation

Pit Closure, API #15009257660000, Kenneth Axman #1

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The above pit was checked 02/18/2014 and was not ready to be closed yet. No standing fluid but still wet. Mai Oil Operations would request an extension of time to allow pits to fully dry before closing.

Sincerely,

Allen Bangert

Prod. Supt.