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January 22, 2014

Noble Petroleum, Inc. 3101 N Rock Rd Ste 125 Wichita, KS 67226

Re:

Doyle Creek #30-1 NW/4 Sec. 30-21S-05E Marion County, Kansas API # 15-115-21439-00-00

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 Doyle Creek #30-1 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired on 01/21/2014. This extension will expire 04/21/2014. 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 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,

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Ryan A. Hoffman

Director-

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File District



January 15, 2014

Kansas Corporation Commission Conservation Division 130 S. Market, Room 2078 Wichita, KS 67202

Re: Pit Closure Time Extension

Doyle Creek #30-1 API # 15-115-21439-00-00 D&A 1/25/2013

Dykes #1 API # 15-115-21440-00-00 D&A 2/9/2013

Gentlemen:

The referenced wells are approaching the 1 year time limit allowed for pit closure. Partial closure of the pits has been accomplished. However, the extreme wet fall and cold winter have prevented the complete closure of the pits.

Noble Petroleum, Inc. hereby requests an extension of the allowable time to close these pits. Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

NOBLE PETROLEUM, INC.

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