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January 16, 2015

Messenger Petroleum, Inc.
525 South Main St
Kingman, KS 67068

Re: Kinsler-Dixon 1
NW/4 Sec. 04-29S-08W
Kingman County, Kansas
15-095-22280-00-00

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 Kinsler-Dixon 1 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired on 11/19/2014. This extension will expire on 4/19/2015. 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, **but not the time period for filing the waste transfer form (CDP-5).**

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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MESSENGER PETROLEUM, INC.

To: KCC
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01-13-2015

Attn: Kathy Haynes

Re: Surface Pit Closure Form (CDP-4)
Kinsler-Dixon #1
NE SW NW 4-29S-8W, Kingman Co., KS
API # 15-095-22280-00-00

Dear Kathy Haynes:

I have received your letter of 01-02-2015, informing me that Messenger Petroleum, Inc. has not filed a CDP-4 for the above referenced well. Messenger Petroleum, Inc. is requesting a 6 month extension for completing this task. The soil in this area has been too wet to finish closing the pits, AND the landowner has requested that the pits be completely dry prior to closure. The pits have been crowded and are approximately 65% closed to date. Efforts have been made to close the pits, but it still remains too wet for closure at this time; therefore MPI is requesting an extension of time to complete the closure of said pits.

Thank you for your time and consideration on this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jon F. Messenger

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