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January 11, 2016

Ritchie Exploration, Inc.
PO Box 783188
Wichita, KS 67278-3188

Re: Deges 36D 1
SE/4 Sec. 36-10S-29W
Sheridan County, Kansas
15-179-21381-00-00

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 Deges 36D 1 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired on 11/05/2015. This extension will expire on 4/11/2016. 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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January 7, 2016

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Sec. 36-10S-29W
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To Kathy Haynes:

Please grant us a 90 day extension to complete the final closure of surface pits on the Deges 36D #1 the area is to wet to complete the location work.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call the undersigned or Peter Fiorini at (316) 691-9500. Thank you for all of your help in this matter.

Sincerely,

Debbie Phillips
Accounting Supervisor

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