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December 7, 2016

Cynosure Energy, LLC
1125 17th St Ste 410
Denver, CO 80202

Re: Drill Pit Extension Expiration
Leiker 1-25-15-20
Sec. 25-15S-20W
Ellis County, Kansas
#15-051-26791-00-00

Dear Sir or Madam:

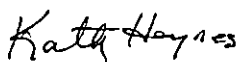
The extension for above reference pit expired on 11/17/2016. According to commission records a Closure of Surface Pit, form CDP-4, or a request for an additional extension has not been received.

If the pit has been closed a Closure of Surface Pit, form CDP-4, should be filed immediately. If pit remains open an additional extension request must be filed by December 19, 2016. Failure to close or timely file the pit closure form may result in an administrative penalty.

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

Your cooperation is appreciated. If you have any questions or concerns feel free to call me at (316) 337-6243 or email at k.haynes@kcc.ks.gov.

Sincerely,


Kathy Haynes
Department of Environmental protection and Remediation

Cc: District Office

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August 17, 2016

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Re: Leiker 1-25-15-20
NW/4 Sec. 25-15S-20W
Ellis County, Kansas
15-051-26791-00-00

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 Leiker 1-25-15-20 well.

The original 365 days for closure expires on 9/01/2016. This extension will expire on 11/17/2016. 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

Cc: File
District



August 16, 2016

Kathy Haynes
Kansas Corporation Commission
Conservation Division
266 N. Main Street, Ste. 220
Wichita, KS 67202-1513

Dear Ms. Haynes,

We are in receipt of your notice to complete Form CDP-4, Surface Pit Closure Form for the Werth #1-19-15-19, API 15-051-26783-00-00. We respectfully request a 90-day extension to get the pit closed as we have been challenged due to the amount of water on location. The landowner, Ken Werth is agreeable to obtaining an extension until conditions allow us to backfill and grade.

We also request that you provide a 90-day extension for the filing of the Form CDP-4 for the Leiker #1-25-15-20, API 15-051-26791-00-00. The location is too wet for us to get any equipment on location.

Thank you.

Best regards,

Debora L Smith

Debora L. Smith
CFO