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October 5, 2017

Cobalt Energy, LLC PO Box 8037 Wichita, KS 67208

Re: Binns A 1-32

SW/4 Sec. 32-15S-33W Logan County, Kansas 15-109-21454-00-00

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 Binns A 1-32 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired on 08/16/2017. This extension will expire on 01/05/2018. 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

H15-109-21454-00-00

Kathy Haynes

From:

Nicholas Hess <

Sent:

Wednesday, October 04, 2017 3:47 PM

To:

Kathy Haynes

Subject:

CDP-4: Binns "A" #1 API 15-109-21454-00-00

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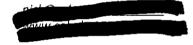
Kathy,

I need an extension on the pit closure for the referenced well, I received a notice of violation dated 10/2/17. Can this email serve as the request, or do you need something else from me?

Thank you,

Nicholas D. Hess, CPL

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