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November 3, 2017

Hutchinson Oil Co.
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Derby, KS 67037

Re: Hitz 2
NW/4 Sec. 05-23S-12W
Stafford County, Kansas
15-185-23965-00-00

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 Hitz 2 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired on 09/12/2017. This extension will expire on 02/03/2018. 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

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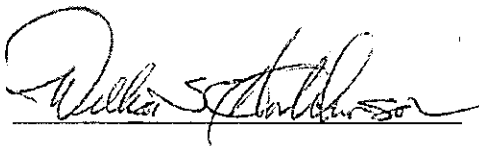
Re: Missing CDP-4
API# 15-185-23965-00-00

Kathy,

Hutchinson Oil Co. would like to request an extension for the pit closure associated with the Hitz #2 well (API# 15-185-23965-00-00). Due to the abundance of rainfall we have been unable to safely close the pits. We have pulled rainwater from our reserve pit in February and June. We have crowded the reserve pit and back-filled working pits on three occasions January, March and August (2017). We checked the pit in October and too soft to walk across.

Please let us know if an extension can be granted.

Thank you,



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