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February 8, 2018

Downing-Nelson Oil Co., Inc.  
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Re: Dietz-Zwenger Unit 1-30  
SE/4 Sec. 30-14S-18W  
Ellis County, Kansas  
15-051-26843-00-00

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter is to inform you that you have been granted an additional extension of time in which to close the drilling pits associated with the Dietz-Zwenger Unit 1-30 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired on 09/28/2017. This extension will expire 03/28/2018. **No additional extensions will be granted.** 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 prior to the expiration date shall result in a monetary penalty in accordance with K.A.R. 82-3-602(a).*

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,

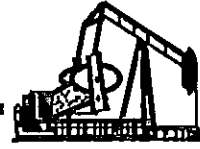
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This letter is to request an extension for closing the pit on:

Dietz-Zwenger Unit 1-30  
SE/4 Sec. 30-14s-18w  
Ellis County, Kansas  
15-051-26843-00-00

I have contacted Schmitberger Construction to close the pits, they have closed the working pits and have squeezed the reserve pit several times. They say that the reserve pit is still too wet to close, the last time pit was squeezed was 01/05/18. I am requesting another extension for the reserve pit. Please let me know if you have any question concerning this request.

Thank you,

Michele Meier

Downing & Nelson Oil Company, Inc.