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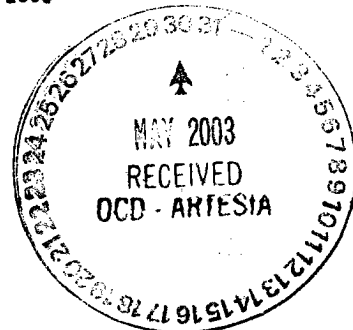
LC-061705-B, LC-068430,

LC-068545, LC-069108,

NM-0506-A, NM-02864,

NM-03075, NM-04473

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Bass Enterprises Production Co.
P. O. Box 2760
Midland, TX 79702

Gentlemen:

Your Applications for Permit to Drill (APDs), for the following wells have expired because drilling has not commenced within one year of the approval date as stated in the General Requirements for Oil and Gas Operations on Federal Leases.

LC-061705-B Poker Lake Unit #134 690'N & 990'E
APD was approved on 08/28/97, last approved APD extension expired on 02/22/03

30-015-29827
Sec. 20, T.24S, R.31E ~~30-015-29827~~

LC-068430 Poker Lake Unit #168 1730'S & 660'W
APD was approved on 03/28/01, last approved APD extension expired on 03/28/03

30-015-31697
Sec. 5, T.24S, R.30E

LC-068545 Poker Lake Unit #164 1980'S & 1980'W
APD was approved on 03/28/01, last approved APD extension expired on 03/28/03

30-015-31694
Sec. 6, T.24S, R.30E

LC-068545 Poker Lake Unit #163 1980'N & 2310'W
APD was approved on 03/28/01, last approved APD extension expired on 03/28/03

30-015-31692
Sec. 6, T.24S, R.30E

LC-068545 Poker Lake Unit #175 660'S & 660'W
APD was approved on 10/09/01

" **32055**
Sec. 33, T.23S, R.30E

LC-069108 Poker Lake Unit #194 1980'N & 2210'W
APD was approved on 04/17/02

" **32276**
Sec. 33, T.23S, R.30E

LC-069108 Poker Lake Unit #193 990'N & 2280'E
APD was approved on 04/17/02

" **32275**
Sec. 33, T.23S, R.30E

NM-0506-A Poker Lake Unit #126 660'S & 660'W
APD was approved on 10/15/96, last approved APD extension expired on 02/22/03

" **29230**
Sec. 22, T.24S, R.31E

NM-02864 Poker Lake Unit #171 1980'S & 1980'E
APD was approved on 04/25/01, last approved APD extension expired on 04/25/03

~~30-015-31756~~ **31756** ^{New}

NM-02864 Poker Lake Unit #174 1980'S & 760'W
APD was approved on 10/09/01

" **32054**
Sec. 33, T.23S, R.30E

NM-02864 Poker Lake Unit #173 660'S & 1980'/W
APD was approved on 10/03/01

30-015-32042 ✓
Sec. 33, T.23S, R.30E

NM-03075 Poker Lake Unit #162 660'N & 1980'/W
APD was approved on 03/28/01, last approved APD extension expired on 03/28/03

" 31693 -pre ✓
Sec. 6, T.24S, R.30E

NM-04473 James Ranch Unit #87 ~~487~~ ^{Comp + prod} 250'S & 1980'/W
APD was approved on 05/09/01, last approved APD extension expired on 05/09/03

" -27986 ✓
Sec. 6, T.23S, R.31E (not accept)

NM-04473 James Ranch Unit #85 2180'S & 185'/W
APD was approved on 05/01/01, last approved APD extension expired on 05/01/03

" 31767 ✓
Sec. 6, T.23S, R.31E

NM-04473 James Ranch Unit #75 1980'S & 2130'/W
APD was approved on 04/23/01, last approved APD extension expired on 04/23/03

" ~~29508~~ 31750 ✓
Sec. 6, T.23S, R.31E

If drilling operations have commenced on the referenced wells, please contact this office at (505) 234-5972 and send all necessary reports (spud, casing/cementing, etc., 1 original and 5 copies for each well) to the Roswell Field Office, 2909 West Second Street, Roswell, New Mexico 88202, so we may correct our records.

If the wells have not been spudded, but site construction activities have occurred, please contact this office at the above telephone number for surface reclamation instructions.

If you wish to drill these wells at a later date, please submit a complete application (1 original and 5 copies for each well) to the Roswell Field Office. Since the original APDs have expired, the resubmitted APDs will be subject to all the processing requirements including the 30-day posting requirement. Please note on the resubmitted APDs that they were previously approved and we will review the expired files for information which will help expedite the processing. If you have any questions please contact Joe Lara at (505) 234-5915 or Betty Hill at (505) 234-5937.

Sincerely,

Joe G. Lara

FOR Mary Jo Rugwell
Assistant Field Manager
Lands & Minerals

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BLM-I&E (CFO/Hobbs)
NMOCD (Artesia/Hobbs)
NM (062, L Askwig)