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CERTIFIED – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
7008 3230 0002 0987 5509

Devon Energy Corporation
20 North Broadway
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102-8260

Re: Automatic Contraction
Rattlesnake Federal Unit
Township 26 South, Range 34 East
Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

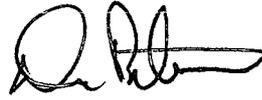
All legal subdivision of lands (i.e., 40 acres by government survey or its nearest lot or tract equivalent) no part of which is the Initial Bone Springs Participating Area "NMNM111795A", Pitchblende Federal Unit Agreement, Lea County, New Mexico, were automatically eliminated from the unit effective March 3, 2012, pursuant to Section 2(e) of the unit agreement and per letter from operator dated July 14, 2010.

You are requested to submit a description of the lands eliminated within 60 days, as required by Section 2(e). Revised Exhibits "A" and "B" shall also be submitted showing lands remaining in the unit area.

Pursuant to 43 CFR 3107.4, these eliminated leases are entitled to an extension since the public interest requirement for the unit has been met. The leases shall continue in effect for the original term of the lease or for 2 years after their elimination from the unit agreement. The 2 year extension will expire March 3, 2014.

Please contact Edward G. Fernandez, at 575-234-2220 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Don Peterson". The signature is stylized with a large initial "D" and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Don Peterson
Assistant Field Manager,
Lands and Minerals

cc: ONRR, Denver
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NM (9210)
NM (P0220)



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JUL 24 2012

CERTIFIED – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
7008 3230 0002 0987 5578

Devon Energy Corporation
333 W. Sheridan Avenue
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102

Re: Amendment Letter for Automatic Contraction
Rattlesnake Federal Unit
Township 26 South, Range 34 East
Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

All legal subdivision of lands (i.e., 40 acres by government survey or its nearest lot or tract equivalent) no part of which is the Initial Delaware Participating Area "NMNM111796A", Rattlesnake Unit Agreement, Lea County, New Mexico, were automatically eliminated from the unit effective March 3, 2012, pursuant to Section 2(e) of the unit agreement and per letter from operator dated July 14, 2010.

You are requested to submit a description of the lands eliminated within 30 days, as required by Section 2(e). Revised Exhibits "A" and "B" shall also be submitted showing lands remaining in the unit area. Please note that the current APDs submitted in this office will be process and approved but not delivered back to operator until the Unit has been terminated, per discussions with Jon Strickler of Devon.

Pursuant to 43 CFR 3107.4, these eliminated leases are entitled to an extension since the public interest requirement for the unit has been met. The leases shall continue in effect for the original term of the lease or for 2 years after their elimination from the unit agreement. The 2 year extension will expire March 3, 2014.

Please contact Edward G. Fernandez, at 575-234-2220 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "J. D. Whitlock".

For Don Peterson
Assistant Field Manager,
Lands and Minerals

cc: ONRR, Denver
NMOCD
NM (9210)
NM (P0220)