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April 26, 2004

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Dear Mr. Bruce:

Based upon the reasons stated in your letter of April 20, 2004, and in accordance with the provisions of Division Order No. R-12104, Samson Resources Company is hereby granted an extension of time until July 15, 2004, in which to commence drilling the well pooled by this order.

Sincerely,


JOANNA PRUKOP
Cabinet Secretary and
Acting Division Director

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cc: ✓ Case No. 13207
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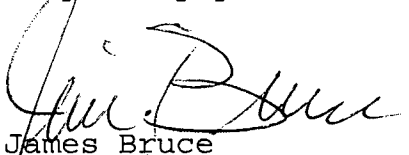
Carol Leach
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Re: Case No. 13207; application of Samson Resources Company
for compulsory pooling, Lea County

Dear Ms. Leach:

Order No. R-12104, entered in the above case, requires a well to be commenced by May 15th. Due to the "Prairie Chicken booming season" (mid-March to mid-June), the Bureau of Land Management will not allow applicant to commence the well until late June. Therefore, applicant requests a 60 day extension of the well commencement deadline. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Very truly yours,



James Bruce

Attorney for Samson Resources Company