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June 11, 2007

Oil Conservation Division 1220 S. St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, NM 87505

Attention: Alexis Swoboda Bureau of Land Management 2909 West Second Street Roswell, NM 88021

Attention: Pete Martinez Commissioner of Public Lands Oil, Gas and Minerals Division New Mexico State Land Office P.O. Box 1148

Attention: Ed Martin New Mexico Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Drive

Santa Fe, NM 87504-1148

Santa Fe, NM 87503

Re: Request for extension of time to Commence drilling CHMU #4 well Cat Head Mesa Unit Area Socorro County, New Mexico

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Chaparral CO2, L.L.C.. as the Operator of the Cat Head Mesa Unit Agreement No. NMNM 106852X, Socorro County, New Mexico, requests your approval of time to commence drilling of the referenced well until November 1st, 2007.

You had all previously agreed to extend our spud date on this well until August 1, 2007. Now since fledgling raptors have been discovered still in the nest at the location, Chaparral will be unable to meet that extension date. Since the fledglings must mature and we cannot commence building the location until they have left the nest appears to be some time in late July or even into August. Our drilling contractor has asked that we let them pass us by in the line and move to a later time frame which we could meet with the requested November 1 extension. If not we will have to pay stand by time for the rig not only until the raptors leave the nest but also until we could get the location built. This would be very expensive to endure. An extension to November 1 would resolve this issue easily

If you approve the proposed extension, please so indicate in the space provided below and return a copy of this letter to us.

Very truly yours,

Chaparral CO2, L.L.C

Sandy Ellis

Senior Landman



We approve the extension of time to commence drilling operations of the Cat Head Mesa Unit #4 well to November 1, 2007.	
Bureau of Land Management	Date
New Mexico Commissioner of Public Lands	Date
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division	Date
CC: Sarah Naranjo, BLM Socorro Office	



PATRICK H. LYONS **COMMISSIONER**

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June 22, 2007

Chaparral Energy, LLC 701 Cedar Lake Blvd. Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73114

Attn: Ms. Sandy Ellis

Re: Cat Head Mesa Unit Well No. 4

Drilling Extension to November 1, 2007

Socorro County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Ellis:

We are in receipt of your letter of June 11, 2007. In your letter, you have requested an extension of time in which to drill the Cat Head Mesa Unit Well No. 4.

The Commissioner of Public Lands hereby grants you an extension to November 1, 2007 to commence the drilling of the Cat Head Mesa Unit Well No. 4. This action is subject to like concurrence by the Bureau of Land Management and the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division.

If you have any questions or if we may be of further help, please contact Pete Martinez at (505) 827-5791.

Very truly yours,

PATRICK H. LYONS COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

Oil, Gas and Minerals Division

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Reader File, pc:

BLM Roswell-Attn.: Mr. John Simitz

OCD-Attn.: Mr. Ed Martin