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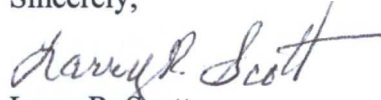
Mr. Geoffrey Leking  
NMOCD District  
1625 French Drive  
Hobbs, NM 88240  
Via E-Mail

RE: Lusk 31 Federal #3, API 3002539593

Dear Geoffrey:

During the first week of September 2010, the drilling pit at the above-referenced location ceased accepting fluids and we released the workover rig. The cold weather of late has backed up all of the crews to the point that closure of the drilling pit by the first week in March is problematic. We respectfully request a 3-month extension to close the pit to April 15. Thanks in advance.

Sincerely,

  
Larry R. Scott