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Dear Mr. Bruce:

Based upon the reasons stated in your letter of February 12, 2006, and in accordance with the provisions of Division Order No. R-12446, Latigo Petroleum, Inc. is hereby granted an additional extension of time until April 15, 2006, in which to commence the drilling of the well pooled by this order.

Sincerely,

Mark E. Fesmire, P.E.

Director

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cc: ✓ Case No. 13551  
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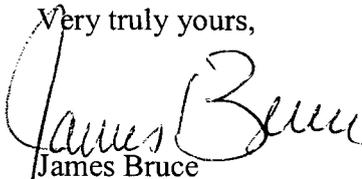
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Re: Order No. R-12446/Case No. 13551/Latigo Petroleum, Inc.

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

By letter dated January 14, 2006, the Division granted Latigo Petroleum, Inc. ("Latigo") a 30 day extension (from January 15, 2006) of the well commencement deadline in the above order. Due to rig availability problems, Latigo requests an extra 60 days in which to commence drilling under the order.

Very truly yours,

  
James Bruce

Attorney for Latigo Petroleum, Inc.