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In Reply Refer To NM-103570 3162.4 (P0220)

Parallel Petroleum Corporation 1004 North Big Spring, Ste 400 Midland, TX 79701 (432) 684-3727

RE: Tool Box 1921-13 Federal 1 NM-103570 Sec.13-T19S-R21E 775'/N & 430'/W RECEIVED

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## Gentlemen:

The below referenced Application for Permit to Drill (APD) has expired because drilling has not commenced within two years of the approval date and/or extension, as stated in the General Requirements for Oil and Gas Operations on Federal Leases.

If drilling operations have commenced on the referenced well, please contact this office at (505) 234-5972 and send all necessary reports (spud, casing/cementing, etc., 1 original and 5 copies) to this Office, so we may correct our records.

If the well has not been spudded, but site construction activities have occurred, please contact Jim Amos at 575-234-5909 for surface reclamation instructions.

If you wish to drill this well at a later date, please submit a complete application (1 original and 5 copies) to this Office. Since the original APD has expired, the resubmitted APD will be subject to all the processing requirements including the 30-day posting requirement. Please note on the resubmitted APD that it was previously approved and we will review the expired file for information which will help expedite the processing. If you have any questions please contact Debbie McKinney at (505) 234-5931.

Sincerely,

/s/ JD Whitlock Jr

FOR Don Peterson
Assistant Field Manager
For Land & Minerals

cc: BLM I&E (HFS) NMOCD (Hobbs)