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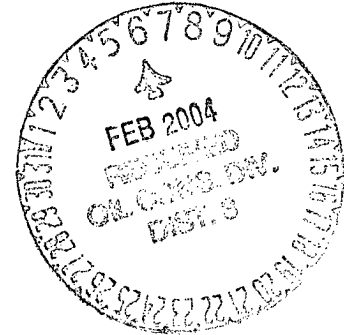
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Black Hills Exploration & Production  
dba Mallon Oil Company  
350 Indiana St., Ste. 400  
Golden, CO 80401



Gentlemen:

Upon reviewing our records we found the below-mentioned Applications for Permit to Drill (APDs) have expired.

<u>Contract #</u>	<u>Well Name/No.</u>	<u>Date APD Expired</u>
701-98-0013	29-02-06 #4 - 30-039-26857	October 30, 2003
701-98-0013	29-02-07 #4 - 039-26861	October 30, 2003
701-98-0013	29-02-33 #2 - 039-26819	September 21, 2003

The wells have not been drilled. Therefore new APDs must be filed if Mallon Oil Company plans to drill these wells in the future.

If you have questions, please contact me at (505) 761-8910.

Sincerely,

*Angie Medina-Jones*

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ABANDONED LOCATION