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RE: Request for Time Extension to Complete the following Wells

Case No. 15906, R-14577 approved date February 8, 2018

Applicant/Operator: Marathon Oil Permian, LLC

Proposed Well:

Dee Boot Fee 24 34 26 WXY Well No. 003H, API No. 30-025-44162, Spud: 03/26/18

Dee Boot Fee 24 34 26 WXY Well No. 019H, API No. 30-025-44163 Spud: 03/29/18

Dee Boot Fee 24 34 26 WA Well No. 006H, API No. 30-025-44212, Spud: 04/06/18

Dear Sir or Madam:

The following pertains to your request received by the Division on December 17, 2018 and to the requirements in the captioned hearing order.

You have requested an extension of the 120-day time limit given by the Division in the captioned order in which to complete at least one of the captioned well(s) after commencement of drilling operations on the first of the proposed well(s).

The operator spud these wells on March 26, March 29 and April 6, 2018. They could not complete the well due to the scarcity of completion crews within the area and therefore need additional time to complete the wells. Accordingly, you are requesting a 1-Year time limit to replace the existing time limits.

The operator is hereby given 1-year as a time limit between the spud date of the first of the referenced well(s) to the date the C-104 is approved for at least one of the wells. All other provisions of this order remain in full force and effect.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Heather Riley".

HEATHER RILEY
Director

HR/lrl

cc: Oil Conservation Division – Hobbs
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