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December 17, 2008

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Dear Mr. Bruce:

Based upon the reasons stated in your letter of December 11, 2008, and in accordance with the provisions of Division Order No. R-12990, BEPCO, L.P. is hereby granted an extension of time until February 28, 2009 in which to complete the well pooled by this order.

Sincerely,

Mark É. Fesmire, P.E. Director

fd/ cc: Case No. 14172 OCD – Artesia



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<u>Via fax</u>

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> Re: BEPCO, L.P. Case No. 14172/Order No. R-12990

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

The above order requires the operator to commence the well by November 30, 2008, and complete it within 120 days thereafter. The operator commenced the well on August 31, 2008, and thus the well must be completed by December 29, 2008. The well has been drilled to TD, and is awaiting final completion. However, the operator has had the frac job on the well canceled twice by the service company, and is still waiting for the frac to be re-sc ieduled. As a result, BEPCO, L.P. requests an extension of the completion date until February 28, 2009.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

James Bruce

Attorney for BEPCO, L.P.

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