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IN REPLY REFER TO: 3162.4 NM-86550, NM-85893, NM-81586, NM-94651, NM-100851, NM-81272

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Pogo Producing Company P O Box 10340 Midland, Texas 79702-7340

Dear Operator:

Your Application for Permit to Drill (APD), for the following wells has expired because drilling has not commenced within one year of the approval date as stated in the General Requirements for Oil and Gas Operations on Federal Leases.

NM-86550 2-Yvonne 21 Fed. 1300'/N & 1980'/W Sec. 21-T24S-R29E approved 7/17/97 and extension approved 7/31/98

NM-85893 4-Cedar Canyon 21 Fed. 660'/N & 1300'/W Sec. 21-T24S-R29E approved 7/17/97 and extension approved 7/31/98

NM-81586 10-Riverbend 'A' Fed. 330'/N & 1160'/E Sec. 23-T24S-R29E Approved 12/18/96 and extension approved 7/31/98

NM-81586 16-Riverbend '23' Fed. 1650'/N & 2310'/E Sec. 23-T24S-R29E approved 5/15/97 and extension approved 5/21/98

NM-94651 6-Cedar Canyon '28' Fed. 1650'/N & 1650'/W Sec. 28-T24S-R29E
approved 11/12/98

NM-100851, 2-Cedar Canyon '29' Fed. 990'/N & 330'/E Sec. 29-T24S-R29E approved 1/23/98

NM-81272 12-Prize Fed. 1650'/S & 2310'/E Sec. 22-T22S-R32E approved 7/13/98

NM-81272 15-Prize Fed. 990'/N & 2310'/E Sec. 22-T22S-R32E approved 7/23/98

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,