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IN REPLY REFER TO:

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NM-86153, NM-86154, NM-81633, NM-96212, NM-97863, NM-98192, NM-99020, NM-99027, NM-99040, LC-029387-A, LC029387-D

Concho Resources, Inc. 110 West Louisiana, Suite 410 Midland, TX 79701

Exp [nt 7-7-01

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-86153 6-Tomcat"21" Fed 660'/N & 1980'/E Sec. 21, T. 23S., R. 32E., approved 01/25/99, and extension approved 06/06/00 NM-86154 3-Diamondtail "24" Fed. 2310'/S & 2310'/W Sec. 24, T. 23S., R32E., approved 01/24 97 and extension approved 06/06/00 NM-81633 2-Checkers "24" Fed. 760'/S & 990'/E Sec. 24, T. 22S., R. 32E., approved 01/23/97, and extension approved 06/06/00 Sec. 24, T. 22S., R. 32E., approved 12/19/96, NM-81633 4-Checkers "24" Fed. 790'/N & 790'/E and extension approved 08/25/00 1980'/S & 1650'/W Sec. 6, T. 20S., R. 28E., approved 01/15/98, NM-96212 7-Angell "6" Fed. and extension approved 10/19/00 NM-97863 4-Hackberry "29" Fed 2080'/N & 1650'/E Sec. 29, T. 22S., R. 26E., approved 12/30/97, and extension approved 09/01/00 Sec. 9, T. 23S., R. 32E., approved 01/26/00 NM-98192 1-Tomcat "9" Fed. 660'/S & 660'/W Sec. 9, T. 23S., R. 32E., approved 06/29/00 1980'/S & 1980'/W Sec. 25, T. 23S., R. 25E., approved 12/03/98. 30-015 - 30524 (X NM-98192 2-Tomcat "9" Fed. 1250'/S & 1980'/E NM-99020 1-Ruger "25" Fed. and extension approved 01/10/00 NM-99027 1-Carbon Valley "13" Fed. 660'/N & 1650'/E Sec. 13, T. 16S., R. 27E., approved 12/07/98_ Sec. 17, T. 19S., R. 31E., approved 05/20/98 NM-99040 2-Ranger "17" Fed. 1880'/N & 1980'/E LC-029387-A 7-West Shugart "29" Fed. 990'/S & 990'/E Sec. 29, T. 18S., R. 31E., approved 07/05/00_ LC-029387-A 8-West Shugart "29" Fed. 1850'/S & 990'/E Sec. 29, T. 18S., R. 31E., approved 07/05/00_ LC-029387-D 5-West Shugart "30" Fed. 1980'/S & 660'/W Sec. 30, T. 18S., R. 31E., approved 03/05/97,___ and extension approved 06/06/00

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 the Roswell Field Office, 2909 West Second Street, Roswell, New Mexico 88202, so we may correct our records.