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Range Operating New Mexico, Inc.  
100 Throckmorton Street, Suite 1200  
Fort Worth, Texas 76102

Gentlemen:

Your Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the well listed below has expired because drilling has not commenced per Onshore Order #1:

<u>LEASE</u>	<u>WELL NAME AND LOCATION</u>	<u>ORIGINAL EXPIRATION</u>
NMLC032573B	ELLIOTT B FEDERAL 21 230'FSL & 103'FEL, SESE, sec. 6, T. 22 S., R. 37 E.	30-025-39383 3/12/2011

If the well has not been spud, but site construction activities have occurred please contact Jim Amos at (575) 234-5909 for surface reclamation instructions. If drilling operations have commenced send all necessary reports (spud, casing/cementing, etc., 1 original and 3 copies) to the BLM so we may correct our records.

If you wish to drill this wells at a later date, please submit a complete application (1 original and 3 copies) to this office. Since the original APD has expired, the resubmitted APD will be subject to all processing requirements including the \$6,500 application fee and the 30-day posting period. Please note on the resubmitted APD that it was previously approved and we will review the expired file for information which will help expedite the processing.

If you have any questions, please contact Jim Hughes at (575) 234-5949.

Sincerely,

Don Peterson  
Assistant Field Manager, Lands & Minerals

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