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September 6, 2012

COG Operating LLC 550 W. Texas Ave., Suite 1300 Midland, TX 79701

Gentlemen:

Your Applications for Permit to Drill (APDs) the referenced wells have expired because drilling has not commenced within two years as per Onshore Order #1.

NMLC029509A MC Federal #48, 990'/N. & 270'/E sec.21, T17S., R32E. APD approved on July 22, 2009, APD expired on July 12, 2011

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If a 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 on a well send all necessary reports (spud, casing/cementing, etc., 1 original and 3 copies) to the BLM, so we may correct our records.

Sincerely,

Don Peterson Assistant Field Manager Lands & Minerals

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