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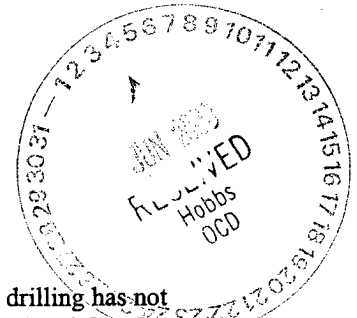
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Gruy Petroleum Management Co.
P. O. Box 140907
Irving, TX 75014-0907

Gentlemen:

Your Applications for Permit to Drill (APDs), for the following wells have 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-052	Mallon 35 Federal #6	1720'N & 1680'W	Sec. 35, T.19S, R.34E	30-025-32988
APD was approved on 06/06/95, last approved APD extension expired on 02/28/03				
NM-052	Mallon 35 Federal #5	400'N & 1680'W	Sec. 35, T.19S, R.34E	30-025-32987
APD was approved on 06/06/95, last approved APD extension expired on 02/28/03				
NM-04452	Mallon 27 Federal #3	1980'N & 660'W	Sec. 27, T.19S, R.34E	30-025-34300
APD was approved on 02/11/98, last approved APD extension expired on 01/22/03				
NM-04452	Mallon 27 Federal #1	990'S & 1980'W	Sec. 27, T.19S, R.34E	30-025-34349
APD was approved on 03/16/98, last approved APD extension expired on 01/22/03				
NM-056376	Mallon 30 Federal #34	660'S & 1980'E	Sec. 30, T.19S, R.34E	30-025-34387
APD was approved on 04/06/98, last approved APD extension expired on 02/28/03				
NM-056376	Mallon 28 Federal #2	1980'N & 1980'W	Sec. 28, T.19S, R.34E	30-025-34315
APD was approved on 02/26/98, last approved APD extension expired on 02/28/03				
NM-57285	Mallon 33 Federal #2	660'N & 1980'W	Sec. 33, T.19S, R.34E	30-025-34438
APD was approved on 06/16/98, last approved APD extension expired on 02/28/03				
NM-57285	Mallon 28 Federal #44	660'S & 330'E	Sec. 28, T.19S, R.34E	30-025-34442
APD was approved on 06/22/98, last approved APD extension expired on 02/22/03				
NM-57285	Mallon 28 Federal #3	560'S & 1980'W	Sec. 28, T.19S, R.34E	30-025-34316
APD was approved on 02/26/98, last approved APD extension expired on 01/22/03				
NM-57285	Mallon 27 Federal #14	660'S & 660'W	Sec. 27, T.19S, R.34E	30-025-34678
APD was approved on 06/25/98, last approved APD extension expired on 02/22/03				



If drilling operations have commenced on the referenced wells, please contact this office at (505) 234-5972 and send all necessary reports (spud, casing/cementing, etc., 1 original and 5 copies for each well) to the Roswell Field Office, 2909 West Second Street, Roswell, New Mexico 88202, so we may correct our records.

If the wells have not been spudded, but site construction activities have occurred, please contact this office at the above telephone number for surface reclamation instructions.

If you wish to drill these wells at a later date, please submit a complete application (1 original and 5 copies for each well) to the Roswell Field Office. Since the original APDs have expired, the resubmitted APDs will be subject to all the processing requirements including the 30-day posting requirement. Please note on the resubmitted APDs that they were previously approved and we will review the expired files for information which will help expedite the processing. If you have any questions please contact Joe Lara at (505) 234-5915 or Betty Hill at (505) 234-5937.

Sincerely,

/s/ Mary J. Rugwell

Mary Jo Rugwell
Assistant Field Manager
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