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In Reply Refer To LC 3162.4 (P0220)

Your Reference:

LC 032096A WBDU #125 1190'/N & 1310'/E sec.17, T. 21 S., R. 37 E. 30-025-38548

APD approved on 12/04/06, last approved extension expired on 12/04/09.

LC 032096A WBDU #126 1330'/S & 120'/E sec.17, T. 21 S., R. 37 E. 30-025-38549

APD approved on 12/01/06, last approved extension expired on 12/01/09.

Apache Corporation 6120 South Yale, Ste. 1500 Tulsa, OK 74136-4224

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Gentlemen:

Your Applications for Permit to Drill (APDs), the above referenced wells have expired because drilling has not commenced within one year of the last approved extension date as stated in the General Requirements for Oil and Gas Operations on Federal Leases.

If drilling operations have commenced on the referenced wells, please contact Jim Amos of this office at (575) 234-5909 and send all necessary reports (spud, casing/cementing, etc., 1 original and 3 copies for each well) to us, 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 3 copies for each well) to this 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 Betty Hill at (575) 234-5937.

Sincerely,

/s/ Don Peterson

Don Peterson Assistant Field Manager Lands & Minerals

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NM 3622 Scout 17 Federal #1 1460'/S & 590'/W sec.17, T. 19 S., R. 34 E. 30-025-38754 APD approved on 12/29/06, last approved extension expired on 12/29/09.

NM 3622 Scout 17 Federal #2 810'/S & 660'/W sec.17, T. 19 S., R. 34 E. 30 - 025 - 38 2 4 4 APD approved on 12/29/06, last approved extension expired on 12/29/09.

NM 3622 Scout 18 Federal #10 2210'/N & 660'/W sec.18, T. 19 S., R. 34 E. 30 - 025 - 38 250

APD approved on 01/03/07, last approved extension expired on 01/03/10.

NM 3622 Scout 18 Federal #11 2250'/N & 2140'/E sec.18, T. 19 S., R. 34 E. 30 - 025-38245

APD approved on 01/03/07, last approved extension expired on 01/03/10.

NM 3622 Scout 18 Federal #12 2240'/N & 750'/E sec.18, T. 19 S., R. 34 E. 30 - 025 - 38 246 APD approved on 01/03/07, last approved extension expired on 01/03/10.

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Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado 600 N Marienfeld St., Ste. 600 Midland, TX 79701

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