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Sent Via Fax and Mail

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Case No. 12758 Re: Chukar State #001 Dagger Lake 5 State #001 Merit Record 35 #001 Record #004 Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Williams:

Please reference my phone conversation on 10/25/01 with Mr. Gary Wink regarding your letter dated October 11, 2001, Case No. 12758.

Attached please find C-103's prepared for your approval on the following wells:

Chukar State #001 Dagger Lake 5 State #001 Merit Record 35 #001 Record #004

Notice of Intention to: Temporary Abandon Temporary Abandon Plug and Abandon Plug and Abandon

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Additionally, the plugging company we are planning to use will not be able to begin work on the Mcrit Record 35 #001 and Record #004 until February, 2002. (see attached letter from Triple "N" Services, Inc.).

Amtex Energy, Inc. is hereby requesting an extension until March 15, 2002, to complete the work on these 4 wells due to the schedule of Triple "N" Services, Inc., wherein they are unable to begin plug and abandonment operations until February, 2002.

Thank you for your consideration and if you have any questions please call me.

Yours truly,

William J. Savage

William J. Savage President

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