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CANCELLATION ADMINISTRATIVE APPROVAL NO. AIO 3.006

Ms. Anna Dube, Well Integrity Coordinator
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Attn: Well Integrity Engineer, PRB-24
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RE: Cancellation of Administrative Approval AIO 03.006 (Well PBU R-20A)

Dear Ms. Dube:

Pursuant to BPXA's request dated October 10, 2006 AOGCC hereby cancels Administrative Approval AIO 03.006, which allows water injection in well PBU R-20A. This well exhibited a surface casing leak, and BPXA did not at the time propose repairing the well to eliminate the problem. The Commission determined that water injection could safely continue in the well, but subject to a number of restrictive conditions set out in the administrative approval.

Since then, BPXA has determined that PBU R-20A's condition has deteriorated to the point that safe operation is no longer supported. The well will remain shut in for evaluation of repair options. Consequently, Administrative Approval AIO 03.006 no longer applies to operation of this well. Instead, injection in well PBU R-20A will be governed by provisions of the underlying Area Injection Order No. 3.

DONE at Anchorage, Alaska and dated October 16, 2006.

The Alaska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

for 
John K. Norman
Chairman


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Commissioner