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IN REPLY REFER TO:
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September 14, 2009

Joe Glennon
Retamco Operating, Inc.
PO Box 790
Red Lodge, MT 59068

Re: Request to Return APD
Well No. McCook 13-24
SWSW, Sec. 24, T14S, R24E
Uintah County, Utah
Lease No. UTU-73460

Dear Mr. Glennon:

The Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the above referenced well received in this office on December 2, 2004 is being returned unapproved per your request in an email message received on September 14, 2009 to Administrative Assistant Marta Call. Your message stated that Retamco Operating, Inc., did not intend to complete permitting or any other efforts to drill in this area at this time. This APD is holding Lease UTU-73460 in suspension. The lease suspension will be terminated once this APD is returned.

Retamco Operating, Inc., has the right to a State Director review of this decision as per the procedures outlined in 43 CFR 3165.3. If you have any questions regarding this matter or APD processing, please contact me at (435) 781-4469.

Sincerely,

Stephanie J. Howard
Acting Assistant Field Manager
Lands & Minerals Resources

cc: UDOGM
Ginger Bowden, Paradigm Consulting, Inc.

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