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AMAX EXPLORATION, INC.

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November 10, 1978

Mr. Stanley Green Directing Appropriations Engineer Division of Water Rights 200 Empire Building 231 East, 400 South Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

Re: Permit to drill temperature gradient test holes:

755-25 - SWaNE¹/₄ Section 2, T31S, R12W, SLM 777-14 - NWaSE¹/₄ Section 18, T25S, R6W, SLM 777-15 - NWaSW¹/₄ Section 36, T25S, R7W, SLM 777-16 - NE¹/₄NE¹/₄ Section 14, T26S, R7W, SLM 777-18 - NE¹/₄SW¹/₄ Section 12, T25S, R7W, SLM 779-26 - SWaSW¹/₄ Section 29, T24S, R7W, SLM 777-17 - NWaNW¹/₄ Section 26, T25S, R7W, SLM

in Beaver and Iron Counties

Dear Mr. Green:

To date the referenced temperature gradient test holes have not been drilled. It is the intention of AMAX to commence drilling operations during the spring of 1979.

The referenced permit was due to expire November 24, 1978. We request that an extension until November 24, 1979 be allowed. Please advise as to your decision.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

No. Tarrow

Larry Hall Geothermal Property Manager