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In the Matter of the Appeal of) Clabaugh Ranch, Inc. from WYPDES) Docket No. 06-3811 Permit No. WY0049697)

LANCE OIL AND GAS COMPANY, INC.'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO APPELLANT'S PETITION

Lance Oil and Gas Company, Inc. (Lance), by and through its attorneys, Holland & Hart LLP, respectfully moves the Environmental Quality Council (the Council) for a 14-day extension, up to and including October 10, 2006, to file its Answer or other response to Appellant's Petition. In support of this Motion, Lance states the following:

1. Lance's Answer or other response to Appellant's Petition is due to be filed by 4 p.m. on September 26, 2006. The Council's Order requiring Lance to respond to the Petition was sent to Lance's general address, but not to a named Lance employee. Lance's counsel did not receive a copy of the Order until September 18, 2006. Several of the individuals Lance's counsel must contact to formulate its response are unavailable until after the current filing deadline. Therefore, Lance's counsel requires additional time to investigate and prepare its response to Appellant's Petition.

2. On September 19, 2006, Lance's counsel discussed this extension with Vicci Colgan, counsel for the Department of Environmental Quality, and with Tom Toner, counsel for Appellant. Lance's counsel is authorized to state that both parties consent to the extension. 3. Granting this motion will not prejudice any of the parties or unduly delay this case.

WHEREFORE, Lance respectfully requests that the Council grant a 14-day extension of its deadline for filing Lance's Answer or other response to Appellant's Petition, up to and including October 10, 2006.

Respectfully submitted September 20, 2006.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on September 20, 2006, I served the foregoing LANCE OIL AND GAS COMPANY, INC.'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO APPELLANT'S PETITION to the following by:

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BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COUNCIL STATE OF WYOMING

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ORDER GRANTING LANCE'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE RESPONSE TO APPELLANT'S PETITION

THIS MATTER having come before the Environmental Quality Council upon Motion of Lance Oil and Gas Company, Inc., and the Council having reviewed said Motion and the file herein, and being otherwise fully advised in the premises, finds that good cause exists to grant the Motion;

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Lance's Motion is GRANTED; Lance shall have up to and including October 10, 2006 to Answer or otherwise respond to Appellant's Petition in this matter.

Dated this ____ day of _____, 2006.