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February 5, 2016

Bart Armfield
Chief Executive Officer
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Re: Beechey Point Unit Termination – Request for Hearing

Mr. Armfield:

On October 7, 2014, former Commissioner Balash approved Brooks Range Petroleum Corporation's (BRPC) request for reconsideration of the Beechey Point Unit Notice of Automatic Termination. In its request for reconsideration, BRPC requested a hearing.

The purpose of this letter is to inquire whether BRPC still desires to have a hearing regarding the request for reconsideration. If by requesting a hearing BRPC desires "to discuss [its] commercial intentions . . .," as your request for reconsideration states, please contact my office to set up a meeting. If BRPC would like to have a formal hearing, the please respond in writing and I will set up a date and time convenient to all parties for the formal hearing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jim Shine".

Jim Shine

Special Projects Assistant
Office of the Commissioner

cc: Corri Feigi, Director, Division of Oil and Gas, DNR
Nick Powell, AVCG, LLC
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