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Greetings.

Due to the expansion of lease trading, we want to remind lessees to ensure that delay rental payments are up to date and not due. If a lease is not in "Paid Up" status, meaning that the lease is paid through the entire five year term, rental payments are due on the anniversary of the lease. Failure to pay annual rental payments on non-producing acres will terminate the lease. You may check the status of a particular lease by following this link:

<http://www.land.nd.gov/minerals/mineralapps/lease/leasesearch.aspx>

If drilling activity has commenced, but it is probable that commercial production will not be achieved before expiration of the lease, an extension request should be initiated as early as practical. It is not a good idea to wait until the last minute to make the request. Extension requests can be found:

<http://www.land.nd.gov/minerals/mineralapps/pooling/extensionagreement.aspx>

Additionally, assignments of Trust Land leases must be approved by the Commissioner prior to assigning. Please check with us if you have questions regarding assignments. An online form is available to assist in rapid turnarounds of your assignments. They can be found at: <http://land.nd.gov/Docs/Minerals/AssignmentForm.pdf>

On Wednesday, September 11th, Energynet.com will begin taking bids on a mineral tract owned by the North Dakota State Water Commission. It is a 40.09 acre tract located in McKenzie County, 153-101 Sec. 4. Go to:

http://www.energynet.com/govt_listing.pl, then click on the link for the tract. You will also find several tracts being offered by the State of Colorado in its first online auction initiative.

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The information contained in this email is not intended to convey all the circumstances surrounding this mineral interest and further research may be necessary.