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Jim Kiser, Vice-President, Engineering
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Dear Mr. Kiser:

On January 22, 2008, we received your proposed Notices of Intent to Conduct Geothermal Resource Exploration Operations, one for a gravity survey and one for a magneto-telluric survey, in the vicinity of Hazen, Nevada, assigning them serial numbers N-084629 and N-084630 respectively. We have reviewed your proposals, and considering the nature and impact of the proposed operations we have determined that those activities qualify as "casual use" under 43 CFR 3200.1. They are therefore are not subject to the specific requirements of 43 CFR 3250, in accordance with §3250.10(b)(4). Please keep in mind that even though your activities are not specifically regulated, they are still subject to the general requirements expected of any user of the public lands, such as limiting resource damage during operations and reclamation of any disturbances caused. Because the activities proposed are casual use we will close both case files.

Thank you for informing us of your proposed operations. If you have any questions you may contact Ken Loda, Supervisory Geologist, Delores Cates, Geologist, or Rebecca Lange, Geologist. All are available at the address or phone number above.

Sincerely yours,

Dave Hays

Dave Hays
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cc: Carla James, CCFO