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COMMENTS:



Dear Darrell,

The purpose of this email is to make BNP's position clear as to the safety of our locations (namely the Peach #1, #4, #2 Pad and the Dunn McCambell A-3 and A-4 location pads). I have flown over the location and island this morning at 10AM CST and have taken measures to contact Republic Air (Johnny Dupont) to hire a pilot or more with water buckets and some off-duty firefighters to spray our locations with fire retardant in order to maintain 100% safety at our locations.

We are on ready and on standby to implement our safety plan in the event the fire nears our locations, however, you have advised me that Randy Larson would need to give us approval to go ahead since he is the incident manager with the wild fire. Further, you advised me that it appeared that you all would not allow me to join to process because you believed you all have the necessary resources in place to maintain safety at these locations. I asked you to speak with Randy immediately and confirm your final position. In the event you would allow us to participate in the process, I need to allow two hours notice for the heli-firefighters so time is of the essence.

I appreciate your prompt attention to this matter.

Best Regards,

Paul Black
Chairman & CEO



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