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Subject: RE. PE08-033, Sedona Steering IR Response; Request for Partial Extension

Ms. Dalton,

ODI is granting Kia a one month extension for responding to Requests 8-12 for PE08-033. Responses to Requests 1-7 are due on July 3, 2008. Responses to Requests 8-12 are now due by August 4, 2008.

Regards,

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From: Yvonne Dalton [mailto:YDalton@gordonrees.com]

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Importance: High

Mr. Quandt:

This email confirms Kia's request for an extension of time to provide some of the information in response to the IR for this PE.

We will be prepared to respond to the IR on the July 3, 2008 due date for the following categories: 1-7. We believe at this time that those responses will be complete. Kia will however need some further time to respond to categories 8-12. As I mentioned, the people who are responsible for assembling responsive information are not available after Friday until early July. They are traveling out of the country. In addition, as you know, Kia tries to limit its extension requests but this extension is warranted due to the high level of vendor cooperation which Kia will need, to respond fully to this inquiry. In any case, Kia wanted to inform you sooner rather than later that we would not have information requested in Request Nos. 8-12 by the July 3rd due date.

We would appreciate an extension until August 19, 2008.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Yvonne Dalton

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