

KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Form CDP-1
April 2004
Form must be Typed

APPLICATION FOR SURFACE PIT

Submit in Duplicate

Operator Name:			License Number:	
Operator Address:				
Contact Person:			Phone Number:	
Lease Name & Well No.:			Pit Location (QQQQ):	
Type of Pit: Emergency Pit Burn Pit Settling Pit Drilling Pit Workover Pit Haul-Off Pit (If WP Supply API No. or Year Drilled) Is the pit located in a Sensitive Ground Water Is the bottom below ground level? Yes No Pit dimensions (all but working pits): Depth from If the pit is lined give a brief description of the material, thickness and installation procedure	Artificial Liner? Yes No Length (feet) om ground level to deepest point: liner Describe proce			
		ccgy,		
Distance to nearest water well within one-mile of pit		Depth to shallowest fresh waterfeet. Source of information:		
feet Depth of water wellfeet			redwell owner electric logKDWR	
Emergency, Settling and Burn Pits ONLY: Producing Formation: Number of producing wells on lease: Barrels of fluid produced daily: Does the slope from the tank battery allow all spilled fluids to flow into the pit? Yes No Submitted Electronically		Drilling, Workover and Haul-Off Pits ONLY: Type of material utilized in drilling/workover: Number of working pits to be utilized: Abandonment procedure: Drill pits must be closed within 365 days of spud date.		
KCC OFFICE USE ONLY Steel Pit RFAC RFAS				
Date Received: Permit Num	ber:	Permi	it Date: Lease Inspection: Yes No	



Kathleen Sebelius, Governor Thomas E. Wright, Chairman Michael C. Moffet, Commissioner Joseph F. Harkins, Commissioner

HAUL-OFF PIT APPLICATION FILING REQUIREMENTS

82-3-607. DISPOSAL OF DIKE AND PIT CONTENTS.

- Each operator shall perform one of the following when disposing of dike or pit contents: (a)
 - (1) Remove the liquid contents to a disposal well or other oil and gas operation approved by the commission or to road maintenance or construction locations approved by the department;
 - (2) dispose of reserve pit waste down the annular space of a well completed according to the alternate I requirements of K.A.R. 82-3-106, if the waste to be disposed of was generated during the drilling and completion of the well: or
 - (3) dispose of the remaining solid contents in any manner required by the commission. The requirements may include any of the following:
 - (A) Burial in place, in accordance with the grading and restoration requirements in K.A.R. 82-3-602 (f);
 - (B) removal and placement of the contents in an on-site disposal area approved by the commission;
 - removal and placement of the contents in an off-site disposal area on acreage owned by the same (C) landowner or to another producing lease or unit operated by the same operator, if prior written permission from the landowner has been obtained; or
 - (D) removal of the contents to a permitted off-site disposal area approved by the department.
- (b) Each violation of this regulation shall be punishable by the following:
 - A \$1,000 penalty for the first violation:
 - (2) a \$2,500 penalty for the second violation; and
 - (3) a \$5,000 penalty and an operator license review for the third violation.

Complete and return with Haul-Off Pit Application, Form CDP1(2004)
Haul-off pit will be located in an on-site disposal area: ☐ Yes ☐ No
Haul-off pit is located in an off-site disposal area on acreage owned by the same landowner: Yes No If yes, written permission from the landowner must be obtained. Attach written permission to haul-off pit application.
Haul-off pit is located in an off-site disposal area on another $\underline{producing}$ lease or unit operated by the same operator: \Box Yes \Box No \Box If yes, written permission from the landowner must be obtained. Attach permission and a copy of the lease assignment that covers the acreage where the haul-off pit is to be located, to the haul-off pit application.



Mark Parkinson, Governor Thomas E. Wright, Chairman Michael C. Moffet, Commissioner Joseph F. Harkins, Commissioner

January 28, 2010

Tim Hellman Lotus Operating Company, L.L.C. 100 S MAIN STE 420 WICHITA, KS 67202-3737

Re: Drilling Pit Application Brenner 1 Sec.14-29S-15W Pratt County, Kansas

Dear Tim Hellman:

District staff has inspected the above referenced location and has determined that an unsealed condition will present a pollution threat to water resources.

District staff has recommended that the Haul-Off pit be lined with bentonite or native clay, constructed <u>without slots</u>, the bottom shall be flat and reasonably level and the free fluids must be removed. The fluids are to be removed from the Haul-Off pit as soon as the Hutchinson Salt section has been drilled through and displacement of the fluids into the Haul-Off pit has occurred. The fluids should be removed again after drilling operations have ceased.

NO completion fluids or non-exempt wastes shall be placed in the Haul-Off pit.

The fluids should be taken to an authorized disposal well. Please call the District Office at (620) 225-8888 when the fluids have been removed. Please file form CDP-5 (August 2008), Exploration and Production Waste Transfer, through SOLAR within 30 days of fluid removal.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact the District Office at (620) 225-8888.