

KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION

TEMPORARY ABANDONMENT WELL APPLICATION

OPERATOR: License# _____
 Name: _____
 Address 1: _____
 Address 2: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ + _____
 Contact Person: _____
 Phone: (_____) _____
 Contact Person Email: _____
 Field Contact Person: _____
 Field Contact Person Phone: (_____) _____

API No. 15- _____
 Spot Description: _____
 _____ - _____ - _____ - _____ Sec. _____ Twp. _____ S. R. _____ E W
 _____ feet from N / S Line of Section
 _____ feet from E / W Line of Section
 GPS Location: Lat: _____, Long: _____
(e.g. xx.xxxxx) (e.g. -xxx.xxxxx)
 Datum: NAD27 NAD83 WGS84
 County: _____ Elevation: _____ GL KB
 Lease Name: _____ Well #: _____
 Well Type: (check one) Oil Gas OG WSW Other: _____
 SWD Permit #: _____ ENHR Permit #: _____
 Gas Storage Permit #: _____
 Spud Date: _____ Date Shut-In: _____

| | Conductor | Surface | Production | Intermediate | Liner | Tubing |
|------------------|-----------|---------|------------|--------------|-------|--------|
| Size | | | | | | |
| Setting Depth | | | | | | |
| Amount of Cement | | | | | | |
| Top of Cement | | | | | | |
| Bottom of Cement | | | | | | |

Casing Fluid Level from Surface: _____ How Determined? _____ Date: _____
 Casing Squeeze(s): _____ to _____ w / _____ sacks of cement, _____ to _____ w / _____ sacks of cement. Date: _____
(top) (bottom) (top) (bottom)
 Do you have a valid Oil & Gas Lease? Yes No
 Depth and Type: Junk in Hole at _____ Tools in Hole at _____ Casing Leaks: Yes No Depth of casing leak(s): _____
(depth) (depth)
 Type Completion: ALT. I ALT. II Depth of: DV Tool: _____ w / _____ sacks of cement Port Collar: _____ w / _____ sack of cement
(depth) (depth)
 Packer Type: _____ Size: _____ Inch Set at: _____ Feet
 Total Depth: _____ Plug Back Depth: _____ Plug Back Method: _____

Geological Data:

| Formation Name | Formation Top | Formation Base | Completion Information |
|----------------|---------------|----------------|--|
| 1. _____ | At: _____ | to _____ Feet | Perforation Interval _____ to _____ Feet or Open Hole Interval _____ to _____ Feet |
| 2. _____ | At: _____ | to _____ Feet | Perforation Interval _____ to _____ Feet or Open Hole Interval _____ to _____ Feet |

UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY I HEREBY ATTEST THAT THE INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

Submitted Electronically

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|---|--|----------------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|
| Do NOT Write in This Space - KCC USE ONLY | Date Tested: _____ | Results: _____ | Date Plugged: _____ | Date Repaired: _____ | Date Put Back in Service: _____ |
| | Review Completed by: _____ Comments: _____ | | | | |
| TA Approved: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Denied Date: _____ | | | | | |

Mail to the Appropriate KCC Conservation Office:

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|  | KCC District Office #1 - 210 E. Frontview, Suite A, Dodge City, KS 67801 | Phone 620.682.7933 |
| | KCC District Office #2 - 3450 N. Rock Road, Building 600, Suite 601, Wichita, KS 67226 | Phone 316.337.7400 |
| | KCC District Office #3 - 137 E. 21st St., Chanute, KS 66720 | Phone 620.902.6450 |
| | KCC District Office #4 - 2301 E. 13th Street, Hays, KS 67601-2651 | Phone 785.261.6250 |

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October 06, 2023

Katherine McClurkan
Merit Energy Company, LLC
13727 Noel Road, Suite 1200
Dallas, TX 75240

Re: Temporary Abandonment
API 15-081-21477-00-00
Branstetter Chester Unit 403
NE/4 Sec.31-27S-33W
Haskell County, Kansas

Dear Katherine McClurkan:

Your application for Temporary Abandonment (TA) for the above-listed well is denied for the following reasons(s):

Shut-in Over 10 years

Pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-111, the well must be plugged, or returned to service, or obtain temporary abandonment status by 11/05/2023.

This deadline does NOT override any compliance deadline given to you in any Commission Order.

You may contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,
Michael Maier
KCC DISTRICT 1