## STATE OF KANSAS STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION CONSERVATION DIVISION 200 Colorado Derby Building Wichita, Kansas 67202

## WELL PLUGGING APPLICATION FORM (File One Copy)

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API NUMBER 45-065-22,424-00 (This must be listed; if no API# was issued, pl	ease note drilling completion date.)
WELL OWNER/OPERATOR Ritchie Exploration, Inc.	OPERATOR'S LICENSE NO. 4767 1-43
ADDRESS 125 N. Market, Suite 1000	PHONE # (316) 267-4375
LEASE (FARM) Benoit WELL NO. 1 WEL	
SEC. 11 TWP. 7S RGE. 21W (E) or (W) TOTAL D	
Check One:	
OIL WELL X GAS WELL D&A SWD or I	NJ WELL DOCKET NO
SURFACE CASING SIZE 8 5/8" SET AT 216'	
CASING SIZE 4 1/2" SET AT 3661	
PERFORATED AT 3382'-3386'; 3613.5'-3616'; 36	
CONDITION OF WELL: GOOD X POOR CA	SING LEAK JUNK IN HOLE
PROPOSED METHOD OF PLUGGING In accordance with the rules and regulations	
set forth by the Kansas Corporation Comm	
(If additional space is	needed use back of form.)
IS WELL LOG ATTACHED TO THIS APPLICATION AS REQUIRED? no is aco-1 filed? yes (If not explain.)	
DATE AND HOUR PLUGGING IS DESIRED TO BEGIN Feb	ruary, 1992
PLUGGING OF THIS WELL WILL BE DONE IN ACCORDANCE WITH K.S.A. 55-101 <u>et. seq</u> . AND THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION.	
NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE AUTHORIZED TO BE IN CHAR	GE OF PLUGGING OPERATIONS:
John Niernberger	PHONE # (913) 623-1453
ADDRESS 1705 Anthony Drive, Hays, Kansas 6	7601
PLUGGING CONTRACTOR _ Allied Cementing Co., I	nc.LICENSE NO.
ADDRESS P.O. Box 31, Russell, Kansas 67665	PHONE (316) 793-5861
PAYMENT OF THE PLUGGING FEE (K.A.R. 82-3-118) WII	_ //// /
SIGNED:	HAMA Starte
	(operator of Agent)
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DATE:

Joan Finney Governor

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Commissioner

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## **Kansas Corporation Commission**

NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF WELL PLUGGING APPLICATION

February 10, 1992

Ritchie Exploration Inc 125 N Market 1000 Wichita KS 67202

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Dear Operator:

This letter is to notify you that the Conservation Division is in receipt of your plugging proposal, form CP-1, for the above-captioned well.

Your CP-1 has been reviewed by the Conservation Division central office for completeness and to verify license numbers. The plugging proposal will now be forwarded to the district office listed below for review of your proposed method of plugging. Please contact the district office for approval of your proposed plugging method at least at five (5) days before plugging the well, pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-113 (b). Failure to do so is punishable by an administrative penalty of up to \$1000. If a workover pit will be used during the plugging of the well it must be permitted. A CDP-1 form must be filed and approved prior to the use of the pit.

It has recently come to my attention that the form CP-1 has been filed by operators other than the owner or operator of the well and without the consent of the owner or operator. The Conservation Division's review of form CP-1, either in the central or district office, does not include an inquiry into well ownership or the filing operator's legal right to plug the well.

This notice in no way constitutes authorization to plug the above-captioned well by persons not having legal rights of ownership or interest in the well. This notice is void after ninety (90) days from the above date.

Sincerely,

David P. Williams Production Supervisor

Conservation Division
William R. Bryson
Director
200 Colorado Derby Bldg.
202 W. 1st Street
Wichita, Kansas 67202-1286
Telephone (316) 263-3238

District: #4 2301 E. 13th Hays, KS 67601 (913) 628-1200