

**KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION
CLOSURE OF SURFACE PIT**

Form CDP-4
April 2004
Form must be Typed

Operator Name: Downing Nelson Oil Co., Inc	License Number: 30717
Operator Address: P.O. Box 372, Hays, KS 67601	
Contact Person: Ron Nelson	Phone Number: (785) 621 - 2610
Permit Number (API No. if applicable): 195-22,582-00-00	Lease Name & Well No.: Jo Ann Ries #1-17
Type of Pit: <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Pit <input type="checkbox"/> Burn Pit <input type="checkbox"/> Settling Pit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drilling Pit <input type="checkbox"/> Workover Pit <input type="checkbox"/> Haul-Off Pit	Pit Location (QQQQ): _____ - <u>W/2</u> - <u>E/2</u> - <u>SW</u> Sec. <u>17</u> Twp. <u>14</u> R. <u>22</u> <input type="checkbox"/> East <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> West <u>1310</u> Feet from <input type="checkbox"/> North / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> South Line of Section <u>1740</u> Feet from <input type="checkbox"/> East / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> West Line of Section <u>Trego</u> _____ County

Date of closure: 03/25/09

Was an artificial liner used? Yes No

If no, how were the sides and bottom sealed to prevent downward migration of the pit contents?

Sealed with clay soil native and fresh mud.

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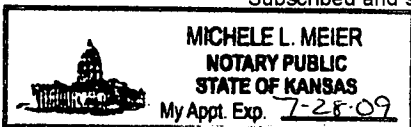
Abandonment procedure of pit:

Allow liquid contents to evaporate, let cuttings dry and backfill.

The undersigned hereby certifies that he / she is _____ a duly authorized agent _____ for **Downing Nelson Oil Co., Inc** (Co.),
a duly authorized agent, that all information shown hereon is true and correct to the best of his /her knowledge and belief.

Ron Nelson
Signature of Applicant or Agent

Subscribed and sworn to me on this 27th day of March, 2009



Michele L Meier
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 7-28-09