## Kansas Corporation Commission Oil & Gas Conservation Division

Form CDP-4 April 2004 Form must be Typed

## **CLOSURE OF SURFACE PIT**

Operator Name: Ritchie Exploration, Inc.	License Number: 4767
Operator Address: PO Box 783188 Wichita, KS 67278-3188	
Contact Person: John Niernberger	Phone Number: ( 316 ) 691 - 9500
Permit Number (API No. if applicable): 15-057-20628-0000	Lease Name & Well No.: Derstein A #1
Type of Pit:	Pit Location (QQQQ):
Emergency Pit Burn Pit	approx _ SE _ NE _ SW
☐ Settling Pit	Sec. 16 Twp. 28 R. 22 ☐ East
Workover Pit Haul-Off Pit	1645 Feet from North / ✓ South Line of Section
	2419 Feet from ☐ East / ✓ West Line of Section
	Ford County
Date of closure: 8/2/09  Was an artificial liner used? Yes No  If no, how were the sides and bottom sealed to prevent downward migration of the pit contents?  Native muds and clays.	
Abandonment procedure of pit:  Backfilled and leveled as close as possible to it's natural s	RECEIVED  state.  AUG 2 7 2009  KCC WICHITA
The undersigned hereby certifies that he / she is Production Manager for Ritchie Exploration, Inc. (Co.), a duly authorized agent, that all information shown hereon is true and correct to the best of his /her knowledge and belief.  Signature of Applicant or Agent	
Subscribed and sworn to me on this 26th day of August , 2009  DEBRA K. PHILLIPS  Notary Public - State of Kansas  My Appt Expres 5-4-11  My Commission Expires: 5-4-11	