

15-189-22431-00-00

WORKOVER PIT APPLICATION  
VERBAL AUTHORIZATION

DATE: 9-23-09

TIME: 2:30

OPERATOR: Ment Energy

CONTACT PERSON: Jack MacLachlan

EASE NAME: Metz A-4

SEC. 11 TWP. 32 RANGE 38 W COUNTY: SV

CONSTRUCTION:

SIZE: WIDTH 10 LENGTH 10 DEPTH 4  
ESTIMATED CAPACITY \_\_\_\_\_ BBLS

EST. DEPTH TO GROUNDWATER (if known): \_\_\_\_\_

TYPE OF FLUID: \_\_\_\_\_ Saltwater  
\_\_\_\_\_ Cement  
 Workover Fluids  
\_\_\_\_\_ Drilling Mud/Cuttings

DOES OPERATOR PLAN TO LINE PIT: \_\_\_\_\_ YES  NO

ESTIMATED TIME BEFORE PIT WILL BE CLOSED: 10 Days

ANY KNOWN WATER WELLS WITHIN 1/4 MILE OF PIT: \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

K.C.C. INFORMATION: IS PIT IN SGA? \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

K.C.C. DISTRICT #1 RECOMMENDATION (Check One):

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Authorization granted with no liner.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Authorization granted, if pit is lined.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Authorization granted, no liner necessary, but free fluids must be removed within \_\_\_\_\_ hours of completion of workover/plugging operations.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. No verbal authorization will be given without on-site inspection.

Remind operator that pit permit form must be filed within five (5) days after verbal authorization.

RESULTS OF INSPECTION:

RECEIVED

SEP 28 2009

KCC WICHITA

Jack MacLachlan Agent

Date 9-23-09



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

November 5, 2009

Merit Energy Co.  
13727 Noel Rd Ste 500  
Dallas, TX 75240-7312

RE: Verbal on Workover Pit  
Metz Lease Well No. A-4  
NE/4 Sec. 11-32S-38W  
Stevens County, Kansas

Dear Sir or Madam:

According to our files we do not have an application for the above referenced workover pit, district staff gave verbal approval on 09/23/2009. According to K.A.R. 82-600(b) workover pits may be permitted through verbal authorization from the appropriate district office subject to the filing of a surface pond application within five days after the verbal authorization.

Please complete surface pond application form (CDP-1) and return to this office within 14 days of the date of this letter. If this pit has been closed please complete the closure of surface pit form (CDP-4). Conservation division forms are available through our office and on the KCC web site: [www.kcc.state.ks.us/conservation/forms](http://www.kcc.state.ks.us/conservation/forms).

If you have any questions please feel free to call me at (316) 337-6243.

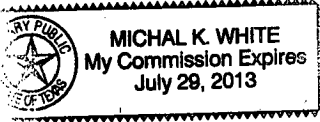
Sincerely,

Kathy Haynes

Environmental Protection and Remediation Department

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

Form CDP-4  
April 2004  
Form must be Typed

Operator Name: MERIT ENERGY COMPANY	License Number: 32446
Operator Address: 13727 NOEL ROAD, SUITE 500 DALLAS, TEXAS 75240	
Contact Person: ANNELIESE BIASETTI	Phone Number: ( 972 ) 628 - 1603
Permit Number (API No. if applicable): 15-189-22431 - 0000	Lease Name & Well No.: METTS A-4
Type of Pit: <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Pit <input type="checkbox"/> Burn Pit <input type="checkbox"/> Settling Pit <input type="checkbox"/> Drilling Pit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Workover Pit <input type="checkbox"/> Haul-Off Pit	Pit Location (QQQQ): SW    NE    NW    NE Sec. 11    Twp. 32    R. 38 <input type="checkbox"/> East <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> West 400      Feet from <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> North / <input type="checkbox"/> South Line of Section 1970      Feet from <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> East / <input type="checkbox"/> West Line of Section STEVENS      County
Date of closure: 10-02-2009	
Was an artificial liner used? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
If no, how were the sides and bottom sealed to prevent downward migration of the pit contents? This pit was for workover fluid. A liner was not necessary due to the size and the pit was filled with fresh water with no well contaminants.	
Abandonment procedure of pit: Filled with pre-existing dirt.	RECEIVED KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION NOV 16 2009 CONSERVATION DIVISION WICHITA, KS
The undersigned hereby certifies that he / she is <u>Anneliese Biasetti</u> for <u>Merit Energy Company</u> (Co.), a duly authorized agent, that all information shown hereon is true and correct to the best of his /her knowledge and belief.	
<u>Anneliese Biasetti</u> Signature of Applicant or Agent	
Subscribed and sworn to me on this <u>12</u> day of <u>November</u> , 2009	
	<u>Michal K. White</u> Notary Public
My Commission Expires: <u>7/29/2013</u>	