



KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION 1038484  
 OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION

Form CDP-1  
 April 2004  
 Form must be Typed

**APPLICATION FOR SURFACE PIT**

Submit in Duplicate

Operator Name: <b>Cimarex Energy Co.</b>		License Number: <b>33094</b>	
Operator Address: <b>348 Rd. DD</b>		<b>Satanta KS 67870</b>	
Contact Person: <b>Melissa Imler</b>		Phone Number: <b>620-276-3693</b>	
Lease Name & Well No.: <b>GOVERNMENT A-1</b>		Pit Location (QQQQ): <b>SW - NW - SE - SW</b> Sec. <u>3</u> Twp. <u>26</u> R. <u>34</u> <input type="checkbox"/> East <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> West <u>4,539</u> Feet from <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> North / <input type="checkbox"/> South Line of Section <u>1,420</u> Feet from <input type="checkbox"/> East / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> West Line of Section <b>Finney</b> County	
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 <small>(If WP Supply API No. or Year Drilled)          15-055-20272-00-01</small>		Pit is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Proposed <input type="checkbox"/> Existing If Existing, date constructed: _____ Pit capacity: <u>50</u> (bbbls)	
Is the pit located in a Sensitive Ground Water Area? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Chloride concentration: _____ mg/l <i>(For Emergency Pits and Settling Pits only)</i>	
Is the bottom below ground level? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Artificial Liner? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Pit dimensions (all but working pits): <u>10</u> Length (feet) <u>7</u> Width (feet) <input type="checkbox"/> N/A: Steel Pits		Depth from ground level to deepest point: <u>4</u> (feet) <input type="checkbox"/> No Pit	
If the pit is lined give a brief description of the liner material, thickness and installation procedure.  <b>The pit will be lined with black plastic @ 12 mil of thickness. Then will be laid into place and secured with dirt around the edges.</b>		Describe procedures for periodic maintenance and determining liner integrity, including any special monitoring.  <b>The pit is for short term use. It will be drained and hauled to an approved location as soon as the plugging procedure is completed. The liner will then be removed and the pit filled.</b>	
Distance to nearest water well within one-mile of pit <u>939</u> feet    Depth of water well <u>355</u> feet		Depth to shallowest fresh water <u>100</u> feet. Source of information: <input type="checkbox"/> measured <input type="checkbox"/> well owner <input type="checkbox"/> electric log <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> KDWR	
<b>Emergency, Settling and Burn Pits ONLY:</b> Producing Formation: _____ Number of producing wells on lease: _____ Barrels of fluid produced daily: _____ Does the slope from the tank battery allow all spilled fluids to flow into the pit? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		<b>Drilling, Workover and Haul-Off Pits ONLY:</b> Type of material utilized in drilling/workover: <u>cement</u> Number of working pits to be utilized: <u>1</u> Abandonment procedure: <u>The pit will be allowed to dry thoroughly and then be filled and contoured back to it's original topography.</u> Drill pits must be closed within 365 days of spud date.	
<b>Submitted Electronically</b>			
<b>KCC OFFICE USE ONLY</b>			
Date Received: <u>05/24/2010</u>		Permit Number: <u>15-055-20272-00-01</u>	
Permit Date: <u>05/24/2010</u>		Lease Inspection: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	



*Mark Parkinson, Governor  
Thomas E. Wright, Chairman  
Joseph F. Harkins, Commissioner  
Ward Loyd, Commissioner*

May 24, 2010

Melissa Imler  
Cimarex Energy Co.  
348 Rd. DD  
Satanta, KS 67870

Re: Drilling Pit Application  
GOVERNMENT A-1  
Sec.03-26S-34W  
Finney County, Kansas

Dear Melissa Imler:

District staff has inspected the location and has determined that an unsealed condition will present a pollution threat to water resources.

District staff has recommended that the Workover pit be lined. If a plastic liner is to be used it must have a minimum thickness of 10 mil. Integrity of the liner must be maintained at all times.

**NO completion fluids or non-exempt wastes shall be placed in the Workover pit.**

The free fluids in the Workover pit should be removed as soon as practical after drilling operations have ceased. The fluids should be taken to an authorized disposal well. Please call the District Office at (620) 225-8888 when the fluids have been removed. Please file form CDP-5 (August 2008), Exploration and Production Waste Transfer, through SOLAR within 30 days of fluid removal.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact the District Office at (620) 225-8888.