KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION
NOTICE OF INTENT TO DRILL

Must be approved by KCC five (5) days prior to commencing work.

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Date: 1-28-2004

For KCC Use:
Effective Date:
District:
SGA1: [ ] Yes [ ] No

Expected Spud Date: February 28, 2004

OPERATOR:
License # 5252
Name: R.P. Nixon Operations, Inc.
Address: 207 West 12th Street
City/State/Zip: Hays, KS 67601-3898
Contact Person: Dan Nixon
Phone: 785-628-3834

CONTRACTOR:
License # 5184
Name: Shields Drilling Company

Well Drilled For:

- [ ] Oil
- [ ] Gas
- [ ] Seismic
- [ ] Other

Well Class:

- [ ] Infill
- [ ] Pool Ext.
- [ ] Wildcat
- [ ] Other

Type Equipment:

- [ ] Mud Rotary
- [ ] Air Rotary
- [ ] Cable

Spot:

- [ ] 190° N & 100° W

Section:

- [ ] 8

Twp: 14

S. R. 21

Is SECTION: [ ] Regular [ ] Irregular

(Note: Locate well on the Section Plat on reverse side)

County: Trego

Lease Name: Honas Unit

Field Name: MADDEN WEST

Well #: 1

Target Formation(s):

- [ ] Lansing, Cherokee Sand, Arbuckle

Nearest Lease or Unit Boundary: 330' (utilized)

Ground Surface Elevation: 2216' (estimated)

Water well within one-quarter mile:

- [ ] Yes [ ] No

Public water supply well within one mile:

- [ ] Yes [ ] No

Depth to bottom of fresh water:

- [ ] Yes [ ] No

Surface Pipe by Alternate:

- [ ] 1
- [ ] 2

Length of Surface Pipe Planned to be set:

- [ ] 270'

Length of Conductor Pipe required:

- [ ] See Note

Projected Total Depth:

- [ ] 4090'

Formation at Total Depth:

- [ ] Arbuckle

Water Source for Drilling Operations:

- [ ] Well
- [ ] Farm Pond
- [ ] Other

DWR Permit #:

(Note: Apply for Permit with DWR)

Will Cores be taken?

- [ ] Yes [ ] No

KCC DKT:

- [ ] Yes

Potential for lost circulation zone

CONDUCTOR PIPE IS ADVISED

AFFIDAVIT

The undersigned hereby affirms that the drilling, completion and eventual plugging of this well will comply with K.S.A. 55 et. seq.

It is agreed that the following minimum requirements will be met:

1. Notify the appropriate district office prior to spudding of well;
2. A copy of the approved notice of intent to drill shall be posted on each drilling rig;
3. The minimum amount of surface pipe as specified below shall be set by circulating cement to the top; in all cases surface pipe shall be set through all unconsolidated materials present in the well below a minimum of 20 feet into the underlying formation.
4. If the well is dry hole, an agreement between the operator and the district office on plug length and placement is necessary prior to plugging;
5. The appropriate district office will be notified before well is either plugged or production casing is cemented in;
6. If an ALTERNATE II COMPLETION, production pipe shall be cemented from below any usable water surface within 120 days of spud date.

Or pursuant to Appendix "B" - Eastern Kansas surface casing order #133,881-C, which applies to the KCC District 3 area, alternate II cementing must be completed within 30 days of the spud date or the well shall be plugged. In all cases, NOTIFY district office prior to any cementing.

I hereby certify that the statements made herein are true and to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date: 1-27-04

Signature of Operator or Agent: [Signature]

Title: President

Remember to:

- File Drilling Application (form CDP-1) with Intent to Drill;
- File Completion Form ACC-1 within 120 days of spud date;
- File acreage attribute plat according to field pronation orders;
- Notify appropriate district office 48 hours prior to workover or re-entry;
- Submit plugging report (CP-4) after plugging is completed;
- Obtain written approval before disposing or injecting salt water.

If this permit has expired (See: authorized expiration date) please check the box below and return to the address below.

[ ] Well Not Drilled - Permit Expired

Signature of Operator or Agent: [Signature]

Date: [Date]

Mail to: KCC - Conservation Division, 130 S. Market - Room 2078, Wichita, Kansas 67202
IN ALL CASES PLOT THE INTENDED WELL ON THE PLAT BELOW
Plat of acreage attributable to a well in a prorated or spaced field

If the intended well is in a prorated or spaced field, please fully complete this side of the form. If the intended well is in a prorated or spaced field complete the plat below showing that the well will be properly located in relationship to other wells producing from the common source of supply. Please show all the wells and within 1 mile of the boundaries of the proposed acreage attribution unit for gas wells and within 1/2 mile of the boundaries of the proposed acreage attribution unit for oil wells.

API No. 15 - 
Lease: Honas Unit
Well Number: 1
Field: Locker

Number of Acres attributable to well:
QTR / QTR / QTR of acreage: N/2 . NE . SW

Location of Well: County: Trego
2500 feet from N / S Line of Section
3400 feet from E / W Line of Section
Sec. 8 Twp. 14 S. R. 21 East / West

Is Section: □ Regular or □ Irregular

If Section is Irregular, locate well from nearest corner boundary.
Section corner used: □ NE □ NW □ SE □ SW

PLAT
(Show location of the well and shade attributable acreage for prorated or spaced wells.)
(Show footage to the nearest lease or unit boundary line.)

NOTE: In all cases locate the spot of the proposed drilling location.

In plotting the proposed location of the well, you must show:
1. The manner in which you are using the depicted plat by identifying section lines, i.e. 1 section, 1 section with 8 surrounding sections, 4 sections, etc.
2. The distance of the proposed drilling location from the section's south / north and east / west.
3. The distance to the nearest lease or unit boundary line.
4. If proposed location is located within a prorated or spaced field a certificate of acreage attribution plat must be attached: (CQ-7 for oil wells; CG-8 for gas wells).