NOTICE OF INTENT TO DRILL

KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION

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

For KCC Use: 11-06-04
Effective Date: 
District #

SGA? [ ] Yes [ ] No

Expected Spud Date: November 15 2004

OPERATOR: License# 32825
Name: Pioneer Exploration,LTD.
Address: 15603 Kuykendahl Suite 200
City/State/Zip: Houston, Texas 77090
Contact Person: Sheila Bolding
Phone: 281-696-9400 Ext 234

CONTRACTOR: License# 37006
Name: Ace Drilling

Well Drilled For: [ ] Oil [ ] Gas [ ] Geological Survey [ ] Other
Well Class: [ ] Enhanced Recovery [ ] Infield [ ] Mud Rotary
[ ] Storage [ ] Pool Ext. [ ] Air Rotary
[ ] Disposal [ ] Wildcat [ ] Cable
Seismic: [ ] # of Holes [ ] Other

Spot
NE [ ] SE [ ] SW
Sec. 31 [ ] Twp. 30 [ ] S. R. 8
[ ] East [ ] West
990 feet from N / 990 feet from E
Is SECTION [ ] Regular [ ] Irregular?
NE 2310
(Note: Locate well on the Section Plat on reverse side)

County: Kingman
Lease Name: Conrardy Messenger Well # 3-31
Field Name: Spivey Grabs Basil
Is this a Prorated / Spaced Field? [ ] Yes [ ] No
Target Formation(s): Mississippian
Nearest Lease or unit boundary: 330'

Ground Surface Elevation: 1678
Water well within one-quarter mile: [ ] Yes [ ] No
Public water supply well within one mile: [ ] Yes [ ] No
Depth to bottom of fresh water: [ ] 150 feet
Depth to bottom of usable water: 180
Surface Pipe by Alternate: [ ] 1 [ ] 2
Length of Surface Pipe Planned to be set: [ ] 250' [ ] None
Length of Conductor Pipe required: 4700
Projected Total Depth: 4500
Formation at Total Depth: 330'
Water Source for Drilling Operations:
[ ] Well [ ] Farm Pond [ ] Other

DWR Permit #: (Note: Apply for Permit with DWR)
Will Cores be taken? [ ] Yes [ ] No
If Yes, proposed zone:

AFFIDAVIT

The undersigned hereby affirms that the drilling, completion and eventual plugging of this well will comply with K.S.A. 55-244.

RECEIVED KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
OCT 21 2004

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 plus 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 any available usable water surface within 120 days of spud date.
Or pursuant to Appendix "B" - Eastern Kansas surface casing order #133,891-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: 10-19-04 Signature of Operator or Agent:

For KCC Use ONLY
API #15 - 09S 21923 00 00
Conductor pipe required [ ] None feet
Minimum surface pipe required 200 feet per Acre
Approved by
This authorization expires: 11-04-05
(This authorization void if drilling not started within 6 months of effective date)

Spud date: Agent:

REMEMBER TO:
- File Drill Pit Application (form CDP-1) with Intent to Drill;
- File Completion Form ACO-1 within 120 days of spud date;
- File acreage attribution plat according to field proration 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:
Date:

Mall 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.

Location of Well: County: Kingman
990 feet from N / ☑ S Line of Section
2310 feet from E / ☑ W Line of Section
Sec. 31 Twp. 30 S. R. 8 ☑ 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: (CO-7 for oil wells; CG-8 for gas wells).
November 1, 2004

Ms. Shelia Bolding
Pioneer Exploration, Ltd.
15603 Kuykendahl Ste 200
Houston, TX 77090

Re: Drilling Pit Application
Conrady Messenger Lease Well No. 3-31
SW/4 Sec. 31-30S-08W
Kingman County, Kansas

Dear Ms. Bolding:

District staff has inspected the above referenced location and has determined that the reserve pit shall be constructed without slots, the bottom shall be flat and reasonably level, and the free fluids must be removed. The fluids are to be removed from the reserve pit as soon as the Hutchinson Salt section has been drilled through and displacement of the fluids into the reserve pit has occurred. The fluids should be removed again within 72 hours after drilling operations have ceased.

If production casing is set all completion fluids shall be removed on a daily basis.

The fluids should be taken to an authorized disposal well. Please call the District Office at (316) 630-4000 when the fluids have been removed. Also, please file the enclosed CDP-5, Surface Pond Waste Transfer, within 30 days of fluid removal.

A copy of this letter should be posted in the doghouse along with the approved Intent to Drill.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact the undersigned at the above address.

Sincerely,

Kathy Haynes
Environmental Protection and Remediation Department

cc: Doug Louis