

District I  
1625 N French Dr, Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
1301 W Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210  
District III  
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
District IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-144  
June 1, 2004

Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office.  
For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe office

**Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure**

Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes ☐ No ☐

Type of action Registration of a pit or below-grade tank ☐ Closure of a pit or below-grade tank ☐

Operator: <u>JAM Oil LLC</u> Telephone: <u>(575) 365-6266</u> e-mail address: <u>amanda.johnson@plateau.net</u>		
Address: <u>PO Box 1382 Artesia, NM 88211</u>		
Facility or well name: <u>Johnson IL #1</u> API # <u>30-005-60440-00-00</u> U/L or Qtr/Qtr <u>30 T 6S R 26E</u>		
County: <u>Chaves</u> Latitude _____ Longitude _____ NAD 1927 <input type="checkbox"/> 1983 <input type="checkbox"/>		
Surface Owner Federal <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indian <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>Pit</b> Type: Drilling <input type="checkbox"/> Production <input type="checkbox"/> Disposal <input type="checkbox"/> Workover <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency <input type="checkbox"/> Lined <input type="checkbox"/> Unlined <input type="checkbox"/> Liner type: Synthetic <input type="checkbox"/> Thickness _____ mil Clay <input type="checkbox"/> Pit Volume _____ bbl	<b>Below-grade tank</b> Volume <u>?</u> bbl Type of fluid: <u>water</u> Construction material: <u>fiberglass</u> Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> If not, explain why not: <u>?</u>	<b>JAN 17 2008</b> <b>OCD-ARTESIA</b>
Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high water elevation of ground water)	Less than 50 feet (20 points) 50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet (10 points) <u>100 feet or more</u> (0 points)	
Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)	Yes (20 points) <u>No</u> (0 points)	
Distance to surface water (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas, irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)	Less than 200 feet (20 points) 200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet (10 points) <u>1000 feet or more</u> (0 points)	
<b>Ranking Score (Total Points)</b>		<u>0 points</u>

**If this is a pit closure:** (1) Attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit's relationship to other equipment and tanks (2) Indicate disposal location (check the onsite box if you are burying in place) onsite ☐ offsite ☐ If offsite, name of facility \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Attach a general description of remedial action taken including remediation start date and end date (4) Groundwater encountered No ☒ Yes ☐ If yes, show depth below ground surface \_\_\_\_\_ ft and attach sample results (5) Attach soil sample results and a diagram of sample locations and excavations

Additional Comments: <u>Remove water and dispose down injection well. Then we'll remove tank or fill it in w/ fresh soil. Reseed top of soil. We'll start as soon as OCD allows us to and finish 1 month later.</u>
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I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that the above-described pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines <input type="checkbox"/> , a general permit <input type="checkbox"/> , or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan <input type="checkbox"/> .		
Date: <u>1-16-08</u>	Printed Name/Title: <u>Amanda Johnson/President</u> Signature: <u>Amanda Johnson</u>	
Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does not relieve the operator of liability should the contents of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve the operator of its responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations		
Approval: Printed Name/Title: <u>SEE ATTACHED STIPULATIONS</u>	Signature: <u>[Signature]</u>	Date: <u>January 23, 2008</u>

Ms. Johnson,

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division District 2 (OCD) is in receipt of Form C-144 dated 01/16/08 and received by OCD 01/17/08 requesting removal of a below grade tank. The request to remove the below grade tank is hereby granted subject to the following stipulations. Tank removal and site remediation activities are to be completed on or before February 25, 2008.

**Stipulations for removal/closure of below grade tank:**

- Notify OCD District Office 48 hours prior to removal of tank.
- Upon removal of tank, soil samples are to be obtained from excavation bottom and/or any area of visibly identifiable contamination in or around area that the tank was located. Obtained samples shall be submitted to a certified laboratory for analyses.
- Notify the OCD 48 hours prior to obtaining samples where analyses of samples obtained are to be submitted to the OCD.
- Results of analytical data obtained through sampling shall be forwarded to OCD for approval *prior* to any backfilling activities.
- When project is finalized, please submit a Form C-144 indicating removal/closure actions are complete.

Note:

Data indicates ground water levels *may be* less than 100'.

When remediating contaminants resulting from leaks, spills and releases of oilfield wastes or products, please refer to the guide entitled *Guidelines for Remediation of Leaks, Spills, and Releases* located on our web site at <http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd> (click on the following items as they come up: 1) Publications 2) Environmental Handbook 3) Miscellaneous Guidelines 4) Remediation of Leaks, Spills and Releases).

Please be advised that OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other applicable federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

If I can be of assistance with this matter, please don't hesitate to contact me at my e-mail (preferred) or phone number listed below.

Sincerely,  
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