

**MISSISSIPPI STATE OIL & GAS BOARD  
APPLICATION FOR EARTHEN PIT  
(DESIGNATE TYPE OF APPLICATION)**

ORIGINAL PERMIT

CHANGE OF PIT TYPE

CHANGE OF PIT OPERATOR

DESCRIPTION OF PIT AND LEASE

Operator	Address	
Pit, Lease, or Location Name	Field	County
Approximate Pit Location		Section / Township / Range

Designate Type of Pit applied for:

- Saltwater Storage and evaporation
- Emergency saltwater storage
- Burn
- Test (Emergency or Stanby)

Old pit not previously permitted by the Board:

Date originally constructed \_\_\_\_\_ Prior usage or type \_\_\_\_\_

Date reconstruction to start \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated completion date \_\_\_\_\_

Construction of new pit:

Date construction to start \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated completion date \_\_\_\_\_

Pit size, barrels capacity \_\_\_\_\_

Type of lining (thickness, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Type of fluids, etc. to be placed in pit \_\_\_\_\_

Distance to nearest well tank batttery, etc., or fire hazard \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS: (State reasons or necessity for using pit; including oil wells, leases, etc. to utilize pit.)

**CERTIFICATE**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, declare under penalties prescribed by law that I am authorized to make this report, that this report was prepared by me or under my supervision and direction, and that data and facts stated therein are true, correct, and complete, to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_

PERMIT NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVAL DATE \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED BY \_\_\_\_\_

NOTICE: BEFORE SENDING THIS FORM, BE SURE THAT ALL INFORMATION REQUESTED IS GIVEN. SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE SIDE OF FORM.

<p><b>MISSISSIPPI STATE OIL &amp; GAS BOARD APPLICATION FOR EARTHEN PERMIT</b></p> <p>FORM 18</p> <p>Authorized by Order No. 252-73 Effective November 1, 1973</p>
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# INSTRUCTIONS

Application must be filed in triplicate. Do not begin operations to construct or reconstruct any pit until approved from the Board has been received and a permit number assigned. Pits must not be used prior to inspection by a representative of the State Oil and Gas Board.

Refer to Statewide Rule 45 for requirements of construction, use, maintenance, and abandonment of pits.

A change of operator of an existing pit requires a new application to be filed within 30 days therefrom. A change in pit type must be applied for and approved by the Board prior to new usage.

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## FOR STATE OIL & GAS BOARD USE ONLY

### I. INSPECTION

DATE	INSPECTOR	REMARKS

### II. EMERGENCY USE AUTHORIZATION

DATE	GRANTED BY	DURATION

### III. ABANDONMENT

DATE	GRANTED BY	INSPECTION