**Permits of state authorities and agencies (OPS.03.01.03)**

Based on regulatory documents and rules, accepted in the Republic of Kazakhstan, conduct of oil and gas operations on a stage of well construction requires obtaining of permits for works from the state authorities and agencies.

Obtaining of Permit from the state authorities and agencies is necessary in the following cases:

* If drilling contractor is a foreign company – permit from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for initial assembly of drilling equipment.
* Permits issued by the authorized representatives of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for putting of drilling unit into operation after finishing of assembling works.
* Permits issued by the authorized representatives of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for uncovering of producing horizon, well testing and development.
* When well is completed, obtaining of permits from the authorized representatives of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for putting of well on production.
* Permits for further works after any troubles noted in prohibit issued earlier were eliminated.

Control over situations potentially hazardous where showings of oil and gas and blowouts are possible in the course of hole-making is conducted by Uzbek paramilitary blowout and gas safety unit (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_).

After the representative of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ inspects the site, he shall issue a permit in a standard form for:

* Well deepening after tubing running, BOP assembly and pressure test;
* Formation productivity test in the course of drilling with use of formation tester (in the presence of work plan, agreed with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ authorities);
* Drilling out of cement plug with producing horizon opened;
* Oil, acid or water bath, with producing horizon opened (in the presence of work plan, agreed with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ authorities);
* Elimination of serious breakdowns in wells opened the producing horizon (in the presence of work plan, agreed with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ authorities);
* Uncovering the producing horizon (jointly with representatives of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ authorities);
* Perforation works;
* Well testing (in the presence of work plan, agreed with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ authorities);
* Restart of works after the troubles noted in any previous prohibits to works were eliminated.

To avoid forced outage of equipment expecting arrival of representative of state authorities, the respective state authorities and agencies shall be notified three days prior the planned date of inspection.

(Persons in charge: drilling supervisor, drilling Contractor, Drilling department of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Company).