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to Appropriate NM OIL CONSERVATION ARTESIA DISTRICT

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Date: 07/16/18	GAS CAPTURE PLAN	RECEIVED		
☐ Original	Operator & OGRID No.:	BOPCO, LP [260737]		
□ Amended - Reason for Amendm	ent: SHL moved			

This Gas Capture Plan outlines actions to be taken by the Operator to reduce well/production facility flaring/venting for new completion (new drill, recomplete to new zone, re-frac) activity.

Note: Form C-129 must be submitted and approved prior to exceeding 60 days allowed by Rule (Subsection A of 19.15.18.12 NMAC).

## Well(s)/Production Facility - Name of facility: Poker Lake Unit 20 BD West CTB

The well(s) that will be located at the production facility are shown in the table below.

Well Name	API	Well Location (ULSTR)	Footages	Expected MCF/D	Flared or Vented	Comments
his in the wint roll of the 180 - 015	45492	M-20-25S-30E	330' FSL & 450' FWL	2900	Flared/Sold	
Poker Lake Unit 20 BD 901H		M-20-25S-30E	330' FSL & 480' FWL	2600	Flared/Sold	-
Poker Lake Unit 20 BD 121H		M-20-25S-30E	330' FSL & 510' FWL	4500	Flared/Sold	
Poker Lake Unit 20 BD 122H		M-20-25S-30E	330' FSL & 540' FWL	4500	Flared/Sold	
Poker Lake Unit 20 BD 102H		M-20-25S-30E	330' FSL & 570' FWL	2800	Flared/Sold	

#### **Gathering System and Pipeline Notification**

Well(s) will be connected to a production facility after flowback operations are complete, if gas transporter system is in place. The gas produced from production facility is dedicated to Enlink and will be connected to Enlink low/high pressure gathering system located in Loving County, Texas. It will require 1505' of pipeline to connect the facility to low/high pressure gathering system. BOPCO provides (periodically) to Enlink a drilling, completion and estimated first production date for wells that are scheduled to be drilled in the foreseeable future. In addition, BOPCO and Enlink have periodic conference calls to discuss changes to drilling and completion schedules. Gas from these wells will be processed at Enlink Processing Plant located in Block 27, Sec. 4, Loving County, Texas. The actual flow of the gas will be based on compression operating parameters and gathering system pressures.

### Flowback Strategy

After the fracture treatment/completion operations, well(s) will be produced to temporary production tanks and gas will be flared or vented. During flowback, the fluids and sand content will be monitored. When the produced fluids contain minimal sand, the wells will be turned to production facilities. Gas sales should start as soon as the wells start flowing through the production facilities, unless there are operational issues on Enlink system at that time. Based on current information, it is BOPCO's belief the system can take this gas upon completion of the well(s).

Safety requirements during cleanout operations from the use of underbalanced air cleanout systems may necessitate that sand and non-pipeline quality gas be vented and/or flared rather than sold on a temporary basis.

#### Alternatives to Reduce Flaring

Below are alternatives considered from a conceptual standpoint to reduce the amount of gas flared.

- Power Generation On lease
  - Only a portion of gas is consumed operating the generator, remainder of gas will be flared
- Compressed Natural Gas On lease

- o Gas flared would be . . .mal, but might be uneconomical to operate w. . . . gas volume declines
- NGL Removal On lease
  - o Plants are expensive, residue gas is still flared, and uneconomical to operate when gas volume declines