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

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## **APPLICATION FOR EXCEPTION TO NO-FLARE RULE 19.15.18.12**

(See Rule 19.15.18.12 NMAC and Rule 19.15.7.37 NMAC)

## A. Applicant: WPX Energy Production, LLC

whose address is: P.O. Box 640, Aztec, NM 87410,

hereby requests an exception to Rule 19.15.18.12 until 5/12/17, for the following described tank battery (or LACT):

Name of Lease: W LYBROOK UT #747H API- 30-045-35742 Name of Pool: LYBROOK MANCOS W

Location of Battery: Unit Letter P Section 12 Township 23N Range 9W

Number of wells producing into battery 6

B. Based upon oil production of 211 barrels per day, the estimated volume

of gas to be flared is 59 MCF/D; Value: \$176 per day.

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C. Name and location of nearest gas gathering facility: APR 0 5 2017

## Williams at Turtle Mountain, Sec 9, T23N, R08W

D. Distance BUILT Estimated cost of connection

E. This exception is requested for the following reasons: Emergency Flare

WPX Energy requests a continued authorization to flare the W. Lybrook UT # 747H if a potential cross flow event may occur as a result of a nearby Frac activity on W Lybrook 704H/743H/744H still occurring. If a cross flow event on the well results in nitrogen content above Williams pipeline standards, WPX requests an additional 30 days from our current expiration date of 4/12/17, given approval.

A gas sample will be collected upon the confirmation of the cross flow and sent to a third party for results of the gas analysis. The gas analysis will be submitted upon receipt.

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OPERATOR	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
I hereby certify that the rules and regulations of the Oil Conservation	~ 10 A = 17
Division have been complied with and that the information given above	Approved Until <u>5-12-2017</u>
is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. Signature	By Chark Kun
Printed Name	Title SUPERVISOR DISTRICT #3
& TitleLacey Granillo, Permit Tech III	
E-mail Addresslacey.granillo@wpxenergy.com	Date APR 07 2017
Date: 4/5/17 Telephone No. (505) 333-1816	

Gas-Oil ratio test may be required to verify estimated gas volume.