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 - Geological & Engineering Bureau -
 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505

**ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

Applicant: Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.**OGRID Number:** 6137**Well Name:** Mr Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 831H Well**API:** 30-015-46419**Pool:** Purple Sage; Wolfcamp**Pool Code:** 98220

SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED BELOW

1) TYPE OF APPLICATION: Check those which apply for [A]

A. Location – Spacing Unit – Simultaneous Dedication

☒ NSL☐ NSP (PROJECT AREA)☐ NSP (PRORATION UNIT)☐ SD

B. Check one only for [I] or [II]

[I] Commingling – Storage – Measurement

☐ DHC☐ CTB☐ PLC☐ PC☐ OLS☐ OLM

[II] Injection – Disposal – Pressure Increase – Enhanced Oil Recovery

☐ WFX☐ PMX☐ SWD☐ IPI☐ EOR☐ PPR**2) NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO:** Check those which apply.A. ☒ Offset operators or lease holdersB. ☐ Royalty, overriding royalty owners, revenue ownersC. ☐ Application requires published noticeD. ☐ Notification and/or concurrent approval by SLOE. ☒ Notification and/or concurrent approval by BLMF. ☐ Surface ownerG. ☒ For all of the above, proof of notification or publication is attached, and/or,H. ☐ No notice required**FOR OCD ONLY**☐ Notice Complete☐ Application
Content
Complete

3) CERTIFICATION: I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is **accurate** and **complete** to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that **no action** will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.

Darin C. Savage

Print or Type Name

/s/ Darin C. Savage

Signature

November 16, 2022

Date

970-385-4401

Phone Number

darin@abadieschill.com

e-mail Address



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November 18, 2022

Adrienne Sandoval, Director
Oil Conservation Division
New Mexico Department of Energy
Minerals and Natural Resources
1220 South Saint Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Copy to: Leonard Lowe, Division Technical Examiner

Re: Application of Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., for administrative approval of an unorthodox well location for its Mr Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 831H Well located in Sections 11 and 14, Township 24 South, Range 29 East NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Dear Director Sandoval:

Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., (“Devon”), OGRID No. 6137, is seeking from the Oil Conservation Division (“Division”) administrative approval of an unorthodox well location (“NSL”) for the Mr Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 831H Well (the “831H Well”) (API 30-015-46419) to be completed within the Purple Sage; Wolfcamp Pool (Pool Code 98220) underlying lands in Sections 11 and 14, Township 24 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. A C-102 for the Well is attached as Exhibit A. This is a horizontal well that will be drilled as follows:

- Surface Location (SL): Located in Section 11-T24S-R29E: 200’ from the North line and 1045’ from the West line of said Section.
- Bottom Hole Location (BHL): Located in Section 14-T24S-R29E: 20’ from the South line and 750’ from the West line of said Section.
- First Take Point (FTP): Located in Section 11-T24S-R29E: 100’ from the North line and 750’ from the West line of said Section.
- Last Take Point (LTP): Located in Section 14-T24S-R29E: 100’ from the South line and 750’ from the West line of said Section.

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Devon has included as Exhibit B a letter from its reservoir engineer explaining why this application is needed. This well will produce from the Purple Sage; Wolfcamp Pool (Pool Code 98220) The standup unit follows special field rules for the Purple Sage; Wolfcamp formation as described in OCD Order No. R-14262, and the completed interval for the proposed well is closer than 330' from the border of spacing the unit at the end points of the lateral.

The unorthodox location will encroach towards (1) an adjacent unit operated by Devon covering Section 2-T24S-R29E, and Section 35-T24S-R29E; and (2) an adjacent unit operated by OXY USA, Inc. covering the N/2 of Section 23 and the NW/4 of Section 24, in T24S-R29E

Since Devon is the operator in the adjacent unit in Sections 2 and 35, Devon has provided notice to the working interest owners in said adjacent unit pursuant to NMAC 19.15.4.12A(2). And Devon has provided notice to the operator in the adjacent unit in the N/2 of Section 23 and the NW/4 of Section 24. Devon has also provided notice to the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), as an affected person, as is customary in an NSL application when they own royalty interest in federal leases with respect to the lands involved. Devon provides herein a sectional map of this area, attached as Exhibit C. Proof of mailing and a copy of the notice letter sent to listed affected persons and parties are attached hereto as Exhibit D and E, respectively.

This NSL application for the Mr Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 831H Well is part of Devon's initiative to develop all of Sections 11 and 14, Township 24 South, Range 29 East, NMPM under a voluntary operating agreement in which Devon owns 100% of the working interest, therefore no Division compulsory pooling cases or orders are involved in this matter. Sections 11 and 14 will also contain Mr Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com Wells 822H, 833H and 834H, for which Devon has also applied for approval of nonstandard locations in separate NSL applications.

Your consideration in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Darin C. Savage', written over a horizontal line.

Darin C. Savage
Attorney for Applicant

SUBMITTED TO THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION:

Application of Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., for administrative approval of an unorthodox well location for its Mr Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 831H Well located in Sections 11 and 14, Township 24 South, Range 29 East NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

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Administrative Checklist for NSL

Exhibit A: C-102 Forms, specifically identifying the NSL (19.15.15.13C)

Exhibit B: A statement discussing the reasons for the unorthodox location (19.15.15.13C)

Exhibit C: Tract map outlining the unit location of the unorthodox well with affected area tracts identified (19.15.15.13C)

Exhibit D: A list of affected persons, with addresses, entitled to notice of the application (19.15.15.13C)

Exhibit E: A copy of the notice letter sent to affected persons, entitled to notice of the application (19.15.15.13C)

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State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-102
Revised August 1, 2011
Submit one copy to appropriate
District Office

☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

¹ API Number		² Pool Code	³ Pool Name
⁴ Property Code	⁵ Property Name		⁶ Well Number
	MR POTATO HEAD 11-14 FED COM		831H
⁷ OGRID No.	⁸ Operator Name		⁹ Elevation
6137	DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY, L.P.		3052.8

¹⁰ Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
D	11	24 S	29 E		200	NORTH	1045	WEST	EDDY

¹¹ Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
M	14	24 S	29 E		20	SOUTH	750	WEST	EDDY

¹² Dedicated Acres 1,280	¹³ Joint or Infill	¹⁴ Consolidation Code	¹⁵ Order No.
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No allowable will be assigned to this completion until all interests have been consolidated or a non-standard unit has been approved by the division.

17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such a mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.

Signature _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____

E-mail Address _____

18 SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plot was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.

AUGUST 19, 2022

Date of Survey _____

Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor: _____

Certificate Number: _____

EXHIBIT
A

Intent ☐ As Drilled ☐API #

Operator Name: DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY, L.P.	Property Name: MR POTATO HEAD 11-14 FED COM	Well Number 831H
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Kick Off Point (KOP)

UL	Section	Township	Range	Lot	Feet	From N/S	Feet	From E/W	County
Latitude					Longitude			NAD	

First Take Point (FTP)

UL D	Section 11	Township 24S	Range 29E	Lot	Feet 100	From N/S NORTH	Feet 750	From E/W WEST	County EDDY
Latitude 32.2391450					Longitude 103.9613585			NAD 83	

Last Take Point (LTP)

UL M	Section 14	Township 24S	Range 29E	Lot	Feet 100	From N/S SOUTH	Feet 750	From E/W WEST	County EDDY
Latitude 32.2105128					Longitude 103.9613244			NAD 83	

Is this well the defining well for the Horizontal Spacing Unit? ☐Is this well an infill well? ☐

If infill is yes please provide API if available, Operator Name and well number for Defining well for Horizontal Spacing Unit.

API #

Operator Name:	Property Name:	Well Number
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KZ 06/29/2018



Devon Energy Production Company LP
333 West Sheridan Avenue
Oklahoma City, OK 73102

405 552 8002 Phone
www.devonenergy.com

October 31, 2022

Mr. Leonard Lowe
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1220 South Francis Drive
Sante Fe, New Mexico 87505

RE: Application for Non-Standard Location
Engineering Statement
Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.
Mr Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 831H
Section 11 & 14, T24S-R29E
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Lowe:

Devon Energy Production Company, LP ("Devon") respectfully requests administrative approval of a non-standard location for the Mr Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 831H (the "Well") referenced above. The Well is in the Purple Sage; Wolfcamp Pool (Pool Code 98220) with first and last take points planned at roughly 100' FNL and FSL, respectively. It is Devon's responsibility as a prudent operator to minimize reserves left in the ground. Decreasing the first and last tank points from 330' will allow for increase in potential completed horizontal lateral, thereby increasing the ultimate recovery of reserves and thereby preventing waste of natural resources.

Respectfully,

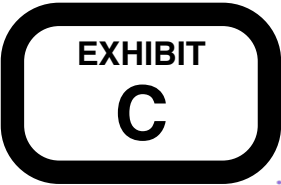
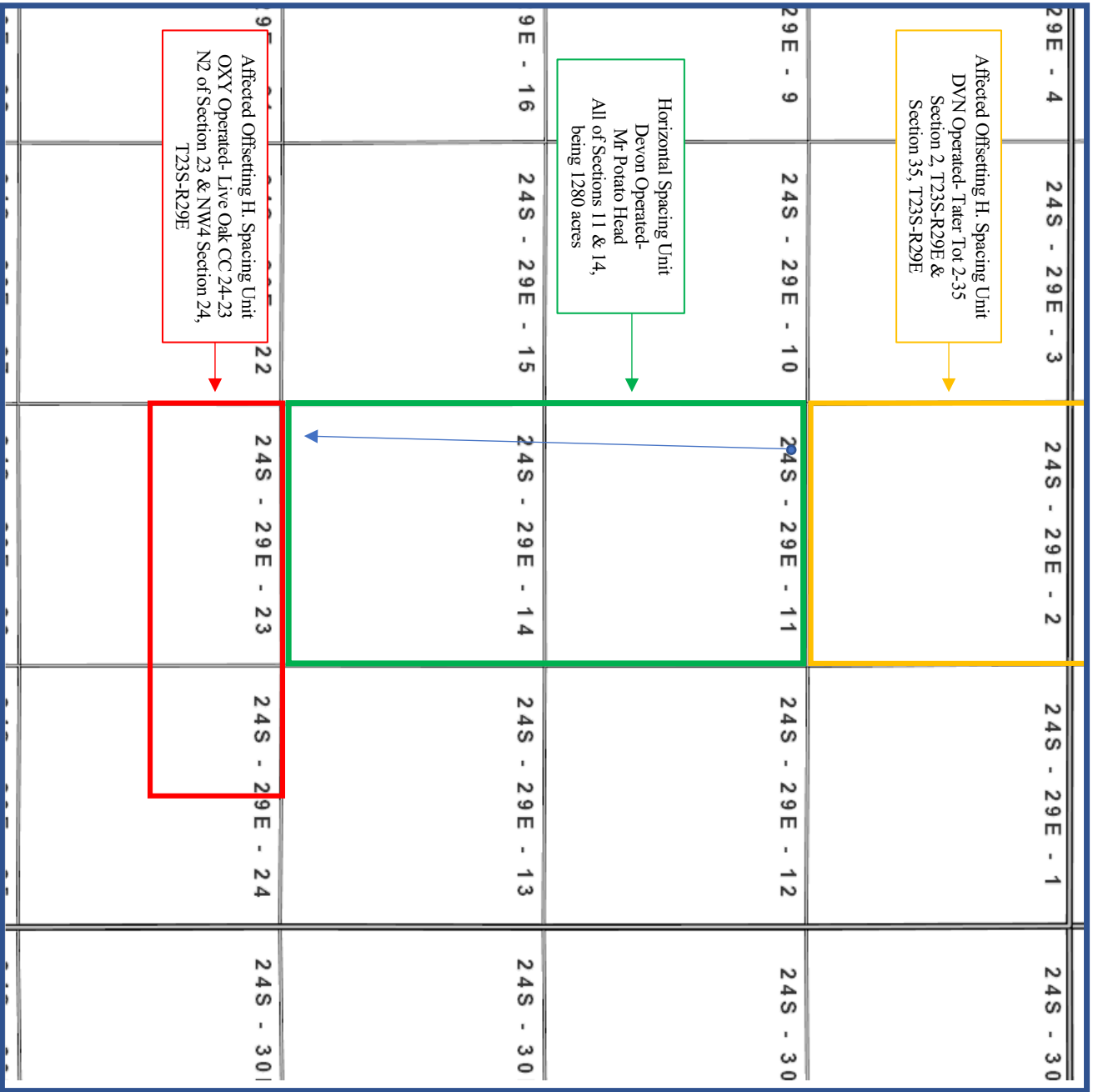
Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

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Lauren Skyes
Reservoir Engineer

EXHIBIT
B

Mr Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 831H: NSL



Mr Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 831H									
Non-Standard Location									
Affected Parties									
Type	Owner	Location	Address	Certified Mail No.	Date Mailed	Status	Delivery Date	Green Card Returned?	Notes:
Working Interest	Allar Development LLC	S2 Section 35 T23S-R29E	P.O. Box 1567 Graham, Texas 76450	9314869904300101707550	11.18.22				
Working Interest	Highland (Texas) Energy Company	S2 Section 35 T23S-R29E	11886 Greenville Ave., Suite 106 Dallas, Texas 75243	9314869904300101707567	11.18.22				
Operator	OXY USA Inc.	N2 Section 23 T23S-R29E	5 Greenway Plaza, Suite 110 Houston, Texas 77046	9314869904300101707574	11.18.22				
BLM	Bureau of Land Management		620 E. Greene Street Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220-6292	9314869904300101707581	11.18.22				

EXHIBIT
D



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Oklahoma	North Dakota

November 18, 2022

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

**NOTICE TO AFFECTED PERSONS/PARTIES
RE: APPLICATIONS FOR ADMINISTRATIVE
APPROVAL OF UNORTHODOX WELL LOCATION**

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To the Parties/Persons this may concern:

Enclosed in this notice is of the above referenced application filed with the New Mexico Conservation Division on the date referenced above. You are being notified in your capacity as a person or party in an adjoining section or unit pursuant to our request for approval of an unorthodox location of the above-referenced well. Any objections that you have to this application must be filed in writing with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, within twenty (20) days from the date the Division receives the application filed for administrative approval by the Division. Email correspondence for this matter, including objections, can be sent to the Division at OCD.Engineer@emnrd.nm.gov.

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**EXHIBIT
E**

If you have any questions concerning this application, please contact:

Aaron L. Young
Sr. Staff Landman
Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.
(405) 228-2850
Aaron.Young@dvn.com

If you have no objections to this application, please sign the waiver as indicated below and return the original to the address listed on this letterhead. Your assistance and cooperation in this matter are appreciated.

Sincerely,

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Darin C. Savage

Attorney for Devon Energy
Production Company, L.P.

(See waiver on separate page below)

Waivers

_____ hereby waives objection to the above referenced Application for an Unorthodox Location for the Mr Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 822H Well located in Sections 11 and 14, Township 24 South, Range 29 East NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Dated: _____

Signature: _____

_____ hereby waives objection to the above referenced Application for an Unorthodox Location for the Mr Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 831H Well located in Sections 11 and 14, Township 24 South, Range 29 East NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Dated: _____

Signature: _____

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Dated: _____

Signature: _____

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Dated: _____

Signature: _____

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CONDITIONS

Action 160185

CONDITIONS

Operator: DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY, LP 333 West Sheridan Ave. Oklahoma City, OK 73102	OGRID: 6137
	Action Number: 160185
	Action Type: [UF-NSL] Non-Standard Location (NSL)

CONDITIONS

Created By	Condition	Condition Date
llowe	NSL - 8490 is approved. The approved Order can be retrieved at the following OCD website link. https://ocdimage.emnrd.nm.gov/imaging/AEOrderCriteria.aspx	11/21/2022