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## [3] SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED ABOVE.

[4] **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.

Michael H. Feldewert	1 with managerial and/or supervisory capacity	10/24/13
Print or Type Name Signature	Mfelde wert@ho	Date

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October 24, 2013

# VIA HAND DELIVERY Jami Bailey Oil Conservation Division New Mexico Department of Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources 1220 South Saint Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

# Re: Application of Encana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc. for administrative approval of unorthodox well locations in the Counselor Gallup-Dakota Oil Pool (13379) for its Lybrook M27-2306 02H and Lybrook M27-2306 04H wells in Section 28, Township 23 North, Range 6 West, N.M.P.M., Sandoval County, New Mexico.

Dear Ms. Bailey:

Encana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc. (OGRID No. 282327) seeks administrative approval of an unorthodox well location for its Lybrook M27-2306 02H and Lybrook M27-2306 04H wells. Encana intends to drill the above mentioned horizontal laterals within two (2) miles of the Counselors Gallup-Dakota Oil Pool. The Counselors Gallup-Dakota Oil pool is a listed pool under Division Order R-12984, and is therefore governed by the Special Rules and Regulations adopted under Division Order R-7034. Rule 2 of these special rules require 160 acres spacing units and Rule 4 require all wells to be located no closer than 660 feet to the outer boundary of the spacing unit. The SE/4 and the SW/4 of Section 28, T-23-N, R-6-West will be combined to form the project area for these proposed wells.

As reflected on the enclosed Exhibits A-1 and A-2, the penetration point for the Lybrook M27-2306 02H well will be 330 feet from the East boundary of the S/2 of Section 28, and the penetration point for the Lybrook M27-2306 04H well will be 330 feet from the East and 550 feet from the South boundaries of the S/2 of Section 28. The above mentioned wells are therefore unorthodox under these special rules.

Rule 5 of the Special Rules, as well as Rules 19.15.15.13(B) and 19.15.4.12(A)2 NMAC, allow the director to grant an exception to the well location requirements so long as no affected party, as defined in the Division Rules, objects to the application.

Enclosed as **Exhibits A1 and A2** are the C-102s for the Lybrook M27-2306 02H and the Lybrook M27-2306 04H reflecting the location of the proposed wells.

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Enclosed as **Exhibit B** is a land plat showing the leases and all working interest owners in the spacing units to the East, South and Southeast of Section 28.

JMJ Land is the only party affected by this application. Enclosed as **Exhibit C** is JMJ Land's waiver of the 20 day notice period and acceptance of the proposed non-standard locations. Since different federal leases are involved, the BLM has been notified of this application.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Michael H. Feldewert ATTORNEY FOR ENCANA OIL & GAS (USA).

cc: David K. Brooks, Oil Conservation Division

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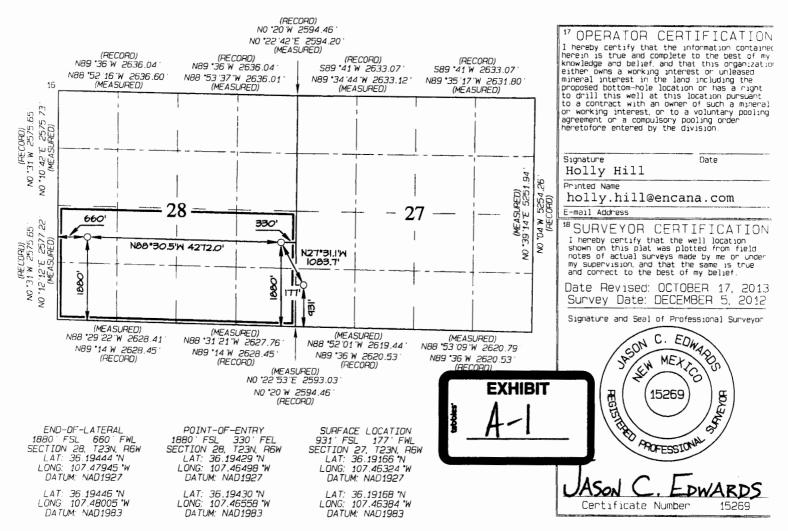
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Submit one copy to Appropriate District Office

X AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT 'Pool Name 'API Number Pool Code 3 30-043-2115 COUNSELORS GALLUP-DAKOTA 13379 Well Number Property Code Property Name LYBROOK M27-2306 05H 40082 'OGRID No \*Elevation Operator Name 282327 ENCANA OIL & GAS (USA) INC 7132 <sup>10</sup> Surface Location Feet from the UL or lot no Section Township Range Lot Idn North/South line Feet from the East/West line County 177 Μ 27 23N 6W 931 SOUTH WEST SANDOVAL <sup>11</sup> Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface UL or lot no. Sect 10 Township Range Lot Idr Feet from the North/South line Feet from the County East/West line 23N L 28 БW 1880 SOUTH 660 WEST SANDOVAL <sup>15</sup> Order No. <sup>12</sup> Dedicated Acres <sup>4</sup> Consolidation Code <sup>13</sup> Joint or Infill 320.00 Acres S/2 - Section 28

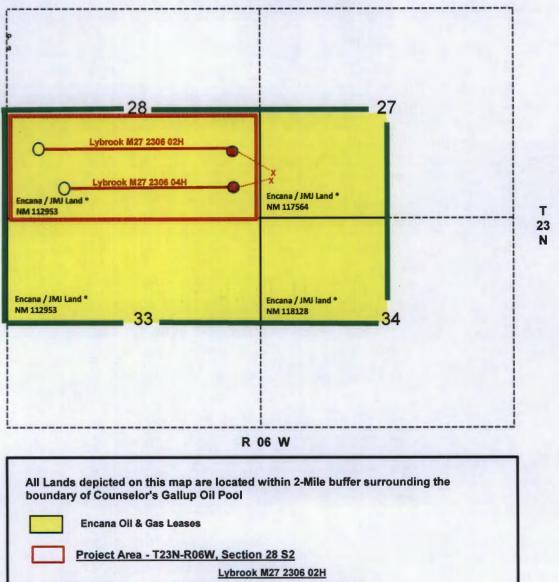
NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION



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# Exhibit B

Encana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc. Application for Exception to Rule 4 Non-Standard Location Counselor's Gallup Oil Pool



Surface Location Gallup Penetration Point Bottomhole Location 931' FSL 177' FWL, Section 27, 23N-06W 1880' FSL, 330" FEL, Section 28, 23N-06W 1880' FSL 660' FWL Section 28, 23N-06W

Surface Location

1880' FSL, 330" FEL, Section 28, 23N-06W 1880' FSL, 660' FWL, Section 28, 23N-06W Lybrook M27 2306 04H

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Surface Location901' FSL 173' FWL, Section 27, 23N-06WGallup Penetration Point550' FSL, 330' FEL, Section 28, 23N-06WBottomhole Location550' FSL, 760' FWL, Section 28, 23N-06W

\* Ownership reflected represents 100% leasehold working interest in the Gallup Formation underlying each tract which is the subject of this Application

EXHIBIT B

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Importance:

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B. Wade McCool Land Negotiator, San Juan Basin Encana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc. 370 17th Street, Suite 1700 Denver, Colorado 80202 Office: (720) 876-5965 Cell: (918) 521-6654 Fax: (720) 876-6965

From: James Strickler [mailto:jamesstrickler@msn.com] Sent: Monday, October 14, 2013 11:37 AM To: McCool, Wade; matthew strickler Subject: RE: Waiver of 20 Day Notice Period for Lybrook M27 02H & 04H and Lybrook E27 01H & 03H (URGENT; ACTION REQUESTED) Importance: High

Wade,

JMJ Land and Minerals accepts your non standard location applications for the subject wells as described below.

Thanks,

James R. J. Strickler, President JMJ Land and Minerals Company 2204 N. Santiago Ave. Farmington, NM 87401 505-402-3248, cell

From: <u>Billy.McCool@encana.com</u> To: <u>jamesstrickler@msn.com</u>; <u>aventinellc@gmail.com</u> Subject: Waiver of 20 Day Notice Period for Lybrook M27 02H & 04H and Lybrook E27 01H & 03H (URGENT; ACTION REQUESTED) Date: Mon, 14 Oct 2013 16:43:50 +0000

James,



Holland & Hart, in behalf of Encana, will be submitting an Application for administrative approval of a Non Standard Location the following JMJ/Encana wells:

brook E27 2306 01H: Encana will be requesting a 330' setback from the East line of Section 28; 23N, 6W as an exception to the 660' setback for the applicable pool.

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icable pool.

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In order to prevent conflicts in our scheduling, we respectfully request JMJ's support to expedite OCD approval of this location by confirmation of its acceptance of this application and waiver of the 20 day notice period for this application required under OCD rules.

To confirm, please reply to this email that JMJ agrees to waive the notice period for the non-standard location that will be applicable to the wells described herein.

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There are discrepancies between the referenced applications and OCD records regarding the locations of these wells.

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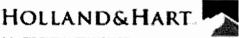
We have checked with Encana and confirmed that the C-102's submitted with the NSL application for the Lybrook N27-2306 02H and 04H wells correctly reflect how the wells will be drilled. There will be no encroachment to the West as reflected in the current C-102s on file with the BLM and the Division. Amended reports conforming to the NSL application will be filed with the BLM and the Division once the NSLs are approved.

This same situation exists with respect to the recently filed NSL Application for the Lybrook E27 2306 01H and 03H wells. The OCD records do not yet reflect the revised locations set forth in the NSL application. Amended reports conforming to the NSL application will be filed once the NSLs are approved.

If you have any further questions, please let me know or feel free to call. Sorry for the confusion.

## Michael H. Feldewert

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