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# NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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



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	_	[WFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PM	X-Pressure Maintenance Expansion Pi-Injection Pressure Increase]	<del>-</del>
	[EOR-Qual	ified Enhanced Oil Recovery Certifi		n Response]
[1]	TYPE OF AP [A]	PLICATION - Check Those Which Location - Spacing Unit - Simultan NSL NSP SD		- NSL 700 - EOG-RESOUR 7377
	Check [B]	One Only for [B] or [C] Commingling - Storage - Measuren DHC CTB PLC	nent OLS OLM	
	[C]	Injection - Disposal - Pressure Incre WFX PMX SWD		
	[D]	Other: Specify		W
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	[A]	Working, Royalty or Overriding	ng Royalty Interest Owners	30-025 Dendi
	[B]	Offset Operators, Leaseholders	s or Surface Owner	Pool
	[C]	Application is One Which Rec	uires Published Legal Notice	Red Hills 4Ppe
	[D]	Notification and/or Concurrent U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commission	t Approval by BLM or SLO oner of Public Lands, State Land Office	Pool Red Hills uppe Bones prin  97900
	[E]	For all of the above, Proof of N	Notification or Publication is Attach	ed, and/or,
	[F]	☐ Waivers are Attached		
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January 31, 2014

### 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 EOG Resources, Inc. for administrative approval of an unorthodox well location for its Hawk 35 Fed 7H Well to be located in Section 26, Township 24 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico.

Dear Ms. Bailey:

EOG Resources, Inc. (OGRID No. 7377) seeks administrative approval of an unorthodox well location for its **Hawk 35 Fed 7H Well** to be completed within the Red Hills; Upper Bone Spring Shale Pool (Pool Code 97900) underlying Section 26, Township 24 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico. This well will be drilled from a surface location 500 feet from the North line and 2007 feet from the East line of Section 35, Township 24 South, Range 33 East but completed wholly within Section 26. The upper most perforation will be 50 feet from the South line and 1889 feet from the East line of Section 26 (Unit O) and the lower most perforation will be 330 feet from the North line and 1882 feet from the East line of Section 26 (Unit B). Since this acreage is governed by the Division's statewide rules which provides for wells to be located no closer than 330 feet to the outer boundary of the spacing unit, the upper most perforation for this well will be unorthodox, but the remaining portion of the completed interval will comply with the Division's setback requirements. Approval of the unorthodox completed interval will prevent waste of a productive reservoir and improve well performance.

Exhibit A is the Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat (Form C-102), which shows that the completed interval of the proposed Hawk 35 Fed 7H Well encroaches on the spacing and proration unit to the South.

**Exhibit B** is a land plat for Section 26 and the surrounding sections that shows the proposed **Hawk 35 Fed 7H Well** in relation to adjoining units and existing wells. There are no affected parties for this application since EOG is the sole operator and mineral lessee of the federal lease



covering Sections 26 and 35. Nonetheless, a copy of this application has been provided to the Bureau of Land Management.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Michael H. Feldewert

ATTORNEY FOR EOG RESOURCES, INC.

cc: Bureau of Land Management

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**Enclosures** 

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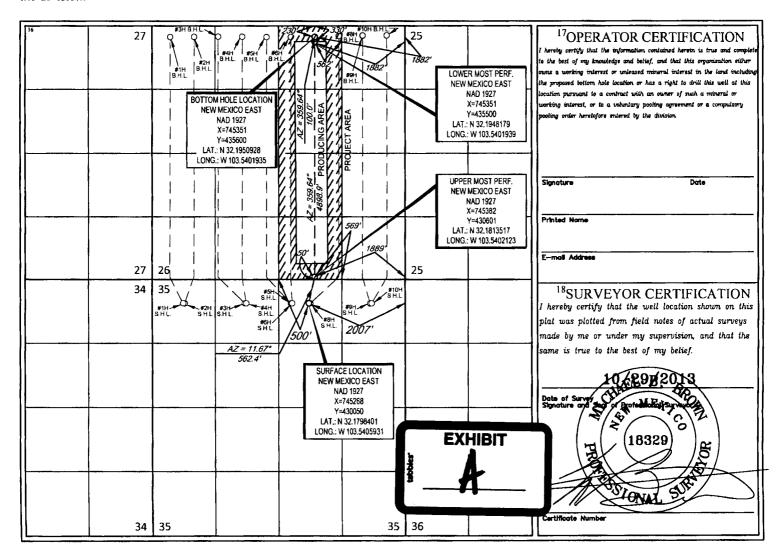
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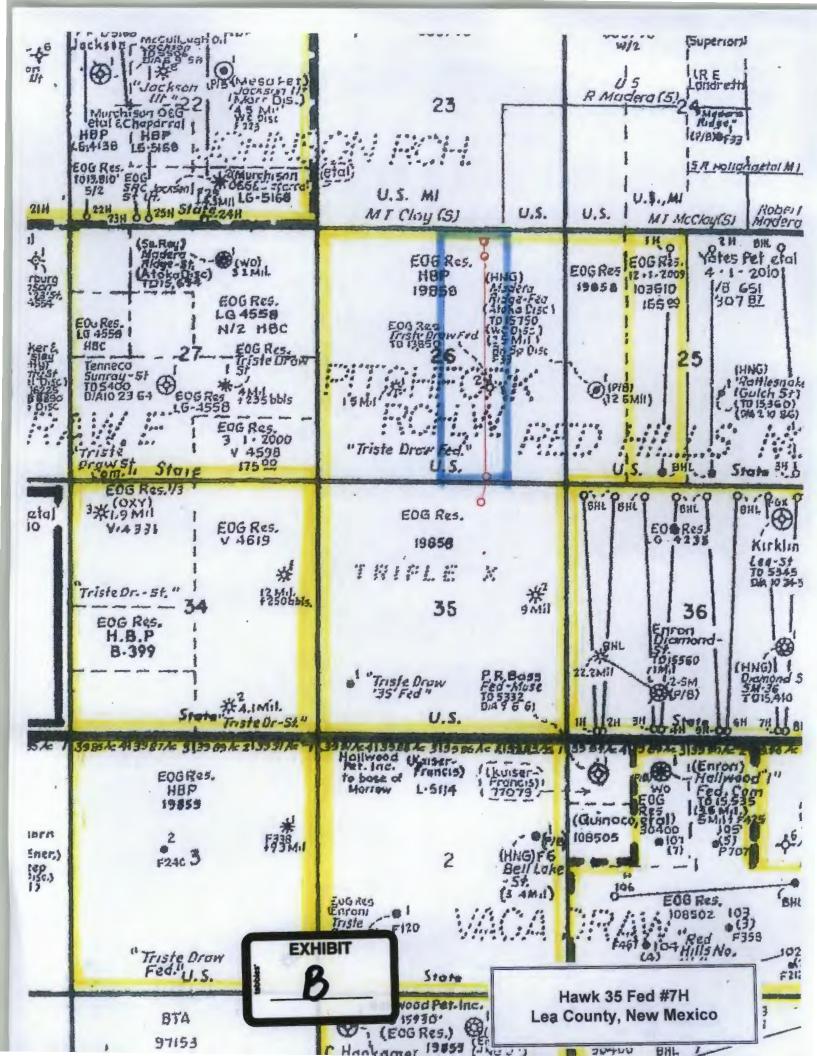
FORM C-102
Revised August 1, 2011
Submit one copy to appropriate
District Office

\_\_\_ AMENDED REPORT

	<sup>1</sup> API Number				AND ACKE	EAGE DEDICA			
	r		<sup>2</sup> Pool Code		<sup>3</sup> Pool Name				
<sup>1</sup> Property Code		*Property Name  HAWK 35 FED					<sup>6</sup> Well Number #7H		
<sup>7</sup> OGRID N₀.		*Operator Name EOG RESOURCES, INC.					9	Selevation 3519'	
	•				10 Surface Loc	ation			
UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
В	35	24-S	33-E	_	500'	NORTH	2007'	EAST	LEA
UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
В	26	24-S	33-E	-	230'	NORTH	1882'	EAST	LEA
<sup>2</sup> Dedicated Acres	<sup>13</sup> Joint or	Infill <sup>14</sup> Co	nsolidation Code	<sup>15</sup> Order	No.				

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.





# McMillan, Michael, EMNRD

From: Michael Feldewert <MFeldewert@hollandhart.com>

Sent: Tuesday, February 04, 2014 12:31 PM

To: McMillan, Michael, EMNRD

Cc: Ezeanyim, Richard, EMNRD; Goetze, Phillip, EMNRD

**Subject:** EOG Hawk 35 wells 1H through 10H

Michael: You are correct that the bottom hole location for each of these ten wells will be 230 FNL. However, as I understand the Division's Rules, it is the "completed interval" that controls whether the well is unorthodox, not the surfaced location or the bottomhole location. Accordingly, each of the ten applications identify the location of the upper and lower most <u>perforations</u> for the purpose determining the areas of encroachment.

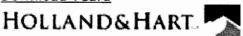
I trust that this addresses the inquiries in the two emails you sent yesterday. If you need any more information, please feel free to contact me.

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From: McMillan, Michael, EMNRD [mailto:Michael.McMillan@state.nm.us]

**Sent:** Monday, February 03, 2014 12:53 PM

To: Michael Feldewert

Cc: Ezeanyim, Richard, EMNRD; Goetze, Phillip, EMNRD

**Subject:** EOG Hawk 35 1H,3H,5H,6H,8H

#### Mr. Feldewert:

Can you clarify the bottom hole locations for the EOG Hawk 35 1H, 3H, 5H, 6H, and 8H. Sec. 35 T24S33E.

The bottom hole location according to the C-102 for all of these wells is 230 FNL. Your letter states the bottom hole location is 330 FNL.

These wells do require notification of offset owners.

Thank You

## Michael A. McMillan

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