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Order

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State of New Mexico
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July 28, 2020

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NON-STANDARD LOCATION

Administrative Order NSL-8035

**COG Operating LLC [OGRID 229137]
Momba Federal Com Well No. 901H
API No. 30-015-PENDING**

Proposed Location

	<u>Footages</u>	<u>Unit/Lot</u>	<u>Sec.</u>	<u>Twsp</u>	<u>Range</u>	<u>County</u>
Surface	520 FSL & 1490 FEL	O	13	26S	28E	Eddy
First Take Point	10 FNL & 330 FEL	A	24	26S	28E	Eddy
Last Take Point	330 FSL & 330 FEL	4	36	26S	28E	Eddy
Terminus	200 FSL & 330 FEL	4	36	26S	28E	Eddy

Proposed Horizontal Gas Units

<u>Description</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Pool</u>	<u>Pool Code</u>
E/2 of Section 24	767.94	Purple Sage; Wolfcamp (GAS)	98220
E/2 of Section 25			
E/2 of Section 36			

Reference is made to your application received on July 7, 2020.

You have requested to complete this horizontal well as a gas well described above in the referenced pool or formation. This well is governed by special rules for the Purple Sage; Wolfcamp (Gas) Pool of and provides for 320-acre units, with wells located at least 330 feet from a unit outer boundary.

This well's completed interval is as close as 10 feet to the northern edge. Encroachment will impact the following tract.

Section 13, encroachment to the SE/4

The Division understands you have given notice of this application to all operators or owners who are "affected persons," as defined in Paragraph (8) Subsection A of 19.15.2.7 NMAC, in all adjoining units towards which the proposed location encroaches.

Division understands you are seeking this unorthodox location in order to optimize well spacing and thereby preventing waste within the Wolfcamp formation underlying the E/2 of Section 24, E/2 of Section 25 and the E/2 of Section 36.

Your application has been filed under 19.15.16.15(C)(6) NMAC, 19.15.15.13 NMAC and 19.15.4.12 (A)(2) NMAC.

Per Subsection B of 19.15.15.13 NMAC, **Division approves this unorthodox location.**

The above approvals are subject to your following all other applicable Division rules.

Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of further orders as Division deems necessary.



ADRIENNE E. SANDOVAL
Division Director

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State Land Office – Oil, Gas, and Mineral Division
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Subject: APPROVED NSLs_COG Operating, LLC_Momba Federal Com Well No. 901H, 902H, 903H_SEC 13 26S 28E
Attachments: NSL-8035_Approved_SIGNED.pdf; NSL-8036_Approved_SIGNED.pdf; NSL-8037_Approved_SIGNED.pdf
Importance: High

Mr. Stan Wagner,

The following NSL Administrative Orders have been issued and will soon be available on the Division's web site:

<http://ocdimage.emnrd.state.nm.us/Imaging/Default.aspx>

NSL	AMD	Applicant	OGRID	WELL NAME	API #
8037	-	COG Operating, LLC	229137	Momba Federal Com Well No. 903H	30-015-PENDING
8036	-	COG Operating, LLC	229137	Momba Federal Com Well No. 902H	30-015-PENDING
8035	-	COG Operating, LLC	229137	Momba Federal Com Well No. 901H	30-015-PENDING

A copy of the approved orders are attached.

PLEASE INFORM THE OCD WHEN THESE WELLS HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED AN API NUMBER.

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