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## NSL

## Order

Approved: 09/17/20

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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September 17, 2020

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NON-STANDARD LOCATION

**Administrative Order NSL-8072**

**Devon Energy Production, L.P. [OGRID 246289]  
Snapping 12 1 Federal Well No. 621H  
API No. 30-015-47129**

**Proposed Location**

	<u>Footages</u>	<u>Unit/Lot</u>	<u>Sec.</u>	<u>Twsp</u>	<u>Range</u>	<u>County</u>
Surface	2475 FNL & 780 FWL	E	12	26S	31E	Eddy
First Take Point	2577 FNL & 330 FWL	E	12	26S	31E	Eddy
Last Take Point	100 FNL & 330 FWL	D	1	26S	31E	Eddy
Terminus	20 FNL & 330 FWL	D	1	26S	31E	Eddy

**Proposed Horizontal Gas Units**

<u>Description</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Pool</u>	<u>Pool Code</u>
NW/4 of Section 12 W/2 of Section 1	480	Purple Sage; Wolfcamp (GAS)	98220

Reference is made to your application received on August 20, 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 63 feet to the southern edge and 100 feet to the northern. Encroachment will impact the following tract.

Section 12, encroachment to the SW/4  
Section 36, encroachment to the SW/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 for this well and thereby preventing waste within the Wolfcamp formation underlying the SW/4 of Section 12 and the SW/4 of Section 1.

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.



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**ADRIENNE E. SANDOVAL**  
**Division Director**

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cc: Oil Conservation Division – Artesia District Office  
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## **Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD**

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**Subject:** APPROVED NSL-8072, 8073, 8074\_Devon Energy Prod. L.P.\_Snapping Wells No. 621H.711H.712H\_SEC 12 26S 31E  
**Attachments:** NSL\_8072\_ORDER\_APPROVED.pdf; NSL\_8073\_ORDER\_APPROVED.pdf; NSL\_8074\_ORDER\_APPROVED.pdf  
**Importance:** High

Ms. Kaitlyn A. Luck,

The following NSL Administrative Order's 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
8074	-	Devon Energy Production L.P.	6137	Snapping 12 1 Federal No. 712H
8073	-	Devon Energy Production L.P.	6137	Snapping 12 1 Federal No. 711H
8072	-	Devon Energy Production L.P.	6137	Snapping 12 1 Federal No. 621H

A copy of each order is attached.

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