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RE: Request for Time Extension to Commence Drilling

Case No. 20307, R-20793 approved date August 28, 2019 Deadline to commence drilling August 31, 2020 Applicant/Operator: Cimarex Energy Co.

Proposed Well:

Dos Equis 12 13 Federal Com No. 073H, API No. 30-025-46323

Dear Sir or Madam:

The following pertains to your request received by the Division on July 28th, 2020 and to the requirements in the captioned hearing order.

You have requested an extension of the deadline to commence drilling given by the Division in the above-captioned order.

As stated, you are requesting an extension to spud this well due to present economic conditions. You have provided a copy of the request for extension to each pooled working interest owner who has elected to participate in the subject well, and have provided a copy thereof to the director, as required by ordering paragraph (7). You are requesting an additional year in which to spud this well. The spud date is now extended to August 31, 2021.

Ordering Paragraph No. (4) of the captioned order is hereby amended, extending to August 31, 2021, the drilling deadline therein set out. The requested additional year in which to commence drilling is hereby granted.

All other provisions of this order remain in full force and effect.

Sincerely,

ADRIENNE SANDOVAL

Director AS/kms

CC: Oil Conservation Division – Artesia District Office; Case No. 20307