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Conoco Inc. supports the recommendation to delete Rule 402; thereby, eliminating annual 24 hour shut-in and subsequent measuring surface pressure for gas wells. We do not believe that conservation concerns are justified by the expense to the operator to meet the requirements of the existing rule. Implementation of Rule 402 is currently exempted in the San Juan Basin. As an alternative, we support changing the testing frequency to once every 3 years in southeast New Mexico. Thank you for your consideration.

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