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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210  
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
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1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-129  
Revised May 13, 2020

Submit one copy to appropriate  
District Office

OCD – REC'D 6/30/2020

NFO Permit No. \_\_\_\_\_  
(For Division Use Only)

## APPLICATION FOR EXCEPTION TO NO-FLARE RULE 19.15.18.12

(See Rule 19.15.18.12 NMAC and Rule 19.15.7.37 NMAC)

- A. Applicant COG OPERATING LLC,  
whose address is 2208 WEST MAIN STREET, ARTESIA, NM 88210,  
hereby requests an exception to Rule 19.15.18.12 for 90 days or until  
October 1, Yr 2020, for the following described tank battery (or LACT):  
Name of Lease VAN GOGH FEE 11B CTB Name of Pool RED HILLS-BONE SPRING NORTH  
Location of Battery: Unit Letter B Section 11 Township 24S Range 34E  
Number of wells producing into battery 1: 30-025-45255
- B. Based upon oil production of 140 barrels per day, the estimated \* volume  
of gas to be flared is 850 MCF; Value \_\_\_\_\_ per day.
- C. Name and location of nearest gas gathering facility:  
TARGA
- D. Distance \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated cost of connection \_\_\_\_\_
- E. Confirmed compliance with conditions required by New Mexico State Forestry's issuance of Order 2020-01  
SMOKING, FIREWORK, CAMPFIRE, AND OPEN FIRE RESTRICTIONS FOR NEW MEXICO issued May 13,  
2020 (Circle one) Yes No
- F. This exception is requested for the following reasons: \_\_\_\_\_  
UNPLANNED MIDSTREAM CURTAILMENT AND/OR FLARE AND BREAKOUT GAS. START DATE: 07/03/2020

### OPERATOR

I hereby certify that the rules and regulations of the Oil Conservation  
Division have been complied with and that the information given above  
is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Alice Buck

Printed Name  
& Title ALICE BUCK/ENGINEERING TECH

E-mail Address ABUCK@CONCHO.COM

Date 06/30/2020 Telephone No. 575-689-3074

### OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Approved Until October 4, 2020

By John Garcia

Title Petroleum Engineer

Date 7/6/2020

\* Gas-Oil ratio test may be required to verify estimated gas volume.