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## State of New Mexico Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

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

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NFO Permit No.

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## 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)   |   |                                |                  |     |                      |
|--|---|--------------------------------|------------------|-----|----------------------|
|  |   | 7,111                          |                  | 4   | 30-02 <i>5-02774</i> |
| Α.   | Applicant   | Cimarex Energy Co              | . of Colorado    | #3  | 30-025-027,76        |
|  | whose address is 600 N Marienfeld Street, Suite 600, Midland, TX 79701  |                                |                  |     |                      |
|  | hereby requests an exception to Rule 19.15.18.12 for 20 days or until February 14, 2014                       |                                |                  |     |                      |
|  | for the following described tank battery (or LACT):   |                                |                  |     |                      |
|  | Name of Lease <u>Lea A State 1 and 3 Battery</u> Name of Pool <u>Townsend; Permo Upper Penn</u> .             |                                |                  |     |                      |
|  | Location of Battery: Unit Letter <u>D</u> Section <u>10</u> Township <u>16S</u> Range <u>35E</u> .            |                                |                  |     |                      |
|  | Number of wells producing into battery  |                                |                  |     |                      |
| В.   | Based upon oil production of barrels per day, the estimated * volume  |                                |                  |     |                      |
| :  | of gas to be flared is 64 MCF; Value \$240.00 per day.  |                                |                  |     |                      |
| C.   | Name and location of nearest gas gathering facility:  |                                |                  |     |                      |
|  | Targa   |                                |                  |     |                      |
| D.   | DistanceEstimated cost of connection  |                                |                  |     |                      |
| E.   | This exception is requested for the following reasons: <u>Targa Lovington Plant closed for repairs due to</u> |                                |                  |     |                      |
|  | an explosion .  |                                |                  |     |                      |
|  |   |                                |                  |     |                      |
| OPERATOR  I hereby certify that the rules and regulations of the Oil Conservation  |   |                                | 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. |   |                                | Approved Until 2 | C 3 | 0,2013               |
| Signature Middle Chappel   |   |                                | By               | 2   | land,                |
| Printed Name & Title Michelle Chappell, Regulatory Technician  |   |                                | Title Dist.      | NA  | 2                    |
| E-mail Address_mchappell@cimarex.com   |   |                                | Date 10 -1       | 7-0 | 2013                 |
|  |   | ephone No. <u>432-620-1959</u> |                  |     |                      |

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