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NFO Permit No.

2017

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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)

| А. | Applicant COG Operating LLC | , |
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| | whose address is <u>One Concho Center, 600 W Illinois Ave, Midland, TX 79701</u> , hereby requests an exception to Rule 19.15.18.12 for <u>90</u> days or until <u>May 8</u> , Yr <u>2017</u> , for the following described tank battery (or LACT): | |
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| | Location of Battery: Unit Letter D | Section <u>32</u> Township <u>19S</u> Range <u>30E</u> |
| | Number of wells producing into battery, | 30-015-40586, 30-015-41028 |
| В. | Based upon oil production of50 | barrels per day, the estimated * volume |
| | of gas to be flared is | MCF; Value per day. |
| C. | Name and location of nearest gas gathering facility: DCP DistanceEstimated cost of connection | |
| D. | | |
| E. | This exception is requested for the following reasons:Line pressure issues | |
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| 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. | | OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION Approved Until 5/8/2017 |
| Signature): 1) | | ByNafugestrawn |
| Printed Name & Title Brian Maiorino/Senior Regulatory Analyst | | Title AO/IL |
| E-mail Addres | ssbmaiorino@concho.com | Date 2/2/2017 |
| Date 1/31/17 | Telephone No. 432-221-0467 | |

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