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# NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

- Engineering Bureau -





#### ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE **Application Acronyms:** [NSL-Non-Standard Location] [NSP-Non-Standard Proration Unit] [SD-Simultaneous Dedication] [DHC-Downhole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Commingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease Commingling] [PC-Pool Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease Storage] [OLM-Off-Lease Measurement] [WFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PMX-Pressure Maintenance Expansion] [SWD-Salt Water Disposal] [IPI-Injection Pressure Increase] [EOR-Qualified Enhanced Oil Recovery Certification] [PPR-Positive Production Response] Ofereter EBG Lesoures 7377 [1] **TYPE OF APPLICATION -** Check Those Which Apply for [A] Well Drason 36 State 704H Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication NSL NSP SD APL. 30-025-42657 Pool WC-025 G-09 52435361 Check One Only for [B] or [C] Commingling - Storage - Measurement DHC CTB PLC PC OLS OLM Offer WC #:98092 [C] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery □ WFX □ PMX □ SWD □ IPI □ EOR □ PPR [D] Other: Specify NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO: - Check Those Which Apply, or Does Not Apply [2] Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner [C] Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice [D] Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office [E] For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached, and/or, [F] Waivers are Attached [3] SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED ABOVE. [4] **CERTIFICATION:** I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that no action will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division. Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity. Jordan L. Kessler Attorney Print or Type Name Title jlkessler@hollandhart.com

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July 7, 2015

## VIA HAND DELIVERY

David Catanach Oil Conservation Division New Mexico Department of Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources 1220 South Saint Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for administrative approval of an unorthodox well location for its Dragon 36 State No. 704H well in the E/2 W/2 of Section 36, Township 24 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Catanach:

EOG Resources, Inc. (OGRID No. 7377) seeks administrative approval of an unorthodox well location for its Dragon 36 State No. 704H Well to be completed within the WC-025 G-09 S243336I Upper Wolfcamp Pool (Pool Code 98092) underlying Section 36, Township 24 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico. This well will be drilled from a surface location 656 feet from the South line and 1656 feet from the West line (Unit N) of Section 36. The upper most perforation will be located 330 feet from the South line and 1553 feet from the West line (Unit N) of Section 36 and the lower most perforation will be 330 feet from the North line and 1553 feet from the West line of Section 36 (Unit C). Since this acreage is governed by the Division's statewide rules which provides for wells to be located no closer than 330 feet to the outer boundary of the spacing unit, the completed interval for this well will be unorthodox because it is closer than 330 feet to the western, northwestern, and southwestern boundaries of the project area. Approval of the unorthodox completed interval will allow for efficient spacing of horizontal wells and thereby prevent waste.

Exhibit A is the proposed Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat (Form C-102), that has been submitted to the Division and which is pending approval. The Form C-102 shows that the completed interval of the proposed **Dragon 36 State No. 704H** encroaches on the spacing and proration units to the West, Northwest, and Southwest.

**Exhibit B** is a land plat for Section 36 and the surrounding sections that shows the proposed **Dragon 36 State No. 704H** in relation to adjoining units and existing wells.



Kaiser-Francis Oil Company is the only party affected by the encroachment to the Southwest. A copy of this application with all attachments has been sent to Kaiser-Francis by certified mail advising them that if they have an objection they must file it in writing with the division within 20 days from the date the division receives this application. EOG is the sole operator and mineral lessee of the state lease covering Section 36 and of the federal lease covering the SW/4 SW/4 of Section 25. Accordingly, there are no affected parties by the encroachment to the West or to the Northwest. Nonetheless, a copy of this application has been provided to the New Mexico State Land Office and the Bureau of Land Management.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Jordan L. Kessler

ATTORNEY FOR EOG RESOURCES, INC.

cc: New Mexico State Land Office P.O. Box 1148 Santa Fe, NM 87504

> Bureau of Land Management 620 E. Green Street Carlsbad, NM 88220

District I 1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240 Phone (575) 393-6161 Fax (575) 393-0720 District II 811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210 Phone: (575) 748-1283 Fax (575) 748-9720 District III 1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410 Phone (505) 314-6178 Fax: (505) 334-6170 District IV 1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Sante Fe, NM 87505 Phone: (505) 476-3460 Fax: (505) 476-3462 State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources
Department
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Sante Fe, NM 87505

FORM C-102
Revised August 1, 2011
Submit one copy to appropriate
District Office

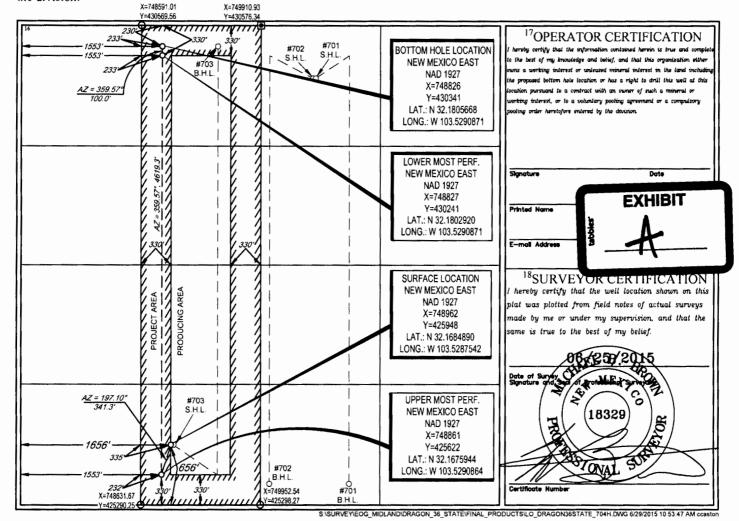
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## WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

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Property Code		<sup>5</sup> Property Name							Well Number	
	Property Code   10 - 075   10 - 0								#704H	
7OGRID No.		<sup>8</sup> Operator Name							<sup>9</sup> Elevation	
7377		EOG RESOURCES, INC.							3483'	
10 Surface Location										
UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County	
N	36	24-S	33-E	-	656'	SOUTH	1656'	WEST	LEA	
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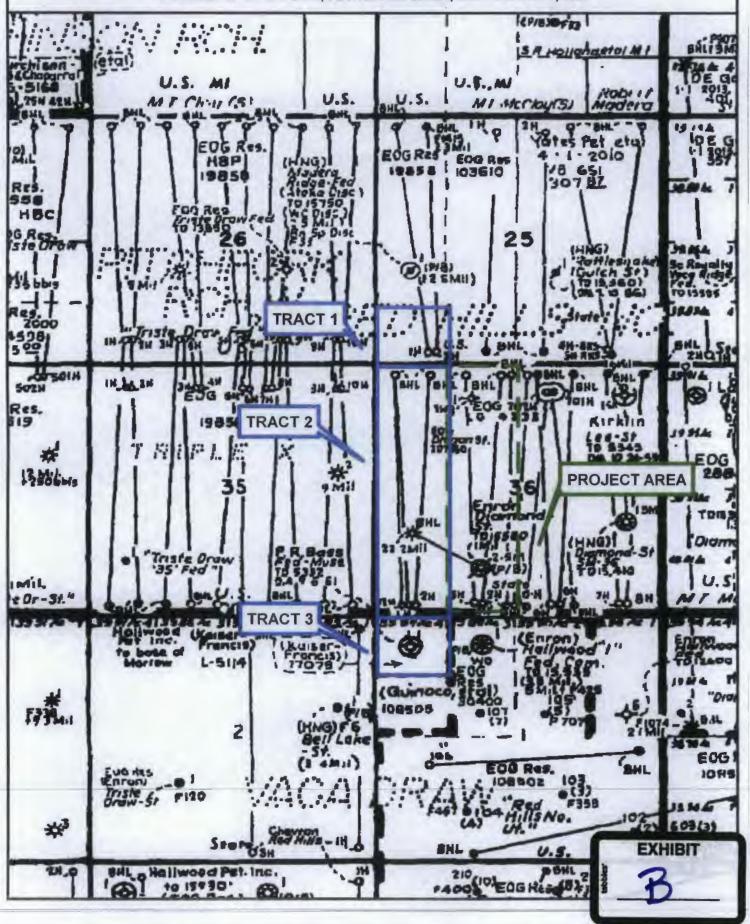
UL or lot no. Township Rang Lot Idn Feet from the North/South line Feet from the East/West line County 1553' C 36 230' NORTH WEST 24-S 33-E LEA <sup>2</sup>Dedicated Acres <sup>3</sup>Joint or Infill Consolidation Code Order No. 160.00

No allowable will be assigned to this completion until all interests have been consolidated or a non-standard unit has been approved by the division.



## EOG RESOURCES, INC.

# DRAGON 36 STATE #704H NSL NOTICE TRACT PLAT TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, LEA COUNTY, NM





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July 7, 2015

# <u>VIA CERTIFIED MAIL</u> <u>RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED</u>

TO: Kaiser-Francis Oil Company Attn: Land Department P.O. Box 21468

Tulsa, OK 74121

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#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of the above-referenced application which was filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division on this date. Any objection to this application must be filed in writing within twenty days from this date with the applicant and the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87505. If no objection is received within this twenty-day period, this application may be approved administratively by the Division.

If you have any questions about this application, please contact the following:

Matthew Phillips
EOG Resources, Inc.
(432) 686-3649
Matthew Phillips@eogresources.com

Sincerely,

Jordan L. Kessler

ATTORNEY FOR EOG RESOURCES, INC.

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