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**ADMINISTRATIVE NON-STANDARD LOCATION**

**Administrative Order NSL – 8798**

**Novo Oil & Gas Northern Delaware, LLC [OGRID 372920]  
Rana Picante 12 Federal Com Well No. 413H (U Shape Well)  
API No. 30-015-54287**

Reference is made to your application received on September 4<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

**Proposed Location**

	<b>Footages</b>	<b>Unit/Lot</b>	<b>Sec.</b>	<b>Twsp</b>	<b>Range</b>	<b>County</b>
Surface	1717 FNL & 362 FWL	E	12	23S	28E	Eddy
First Take Point	2300 FNL & 100 FWL	E	12	23S	28E	Eddy
Last Take Point/ Terminus	540 FNL & 100 FWL	D	12	23S	28E	Eddy

**Proposed Horizontal Gas Units**

<b>Description</b>	<b>Acres</b>	<b>Pool</b>	<b>Pool Code</b>
N/2 of Section 12	320	Purple Sage; Wolfcamp, Gas	98220

You have requested to complete this horizontal well as a **gas** well described above in the referenced pool or formation. This well is governed by special rules R-14262, for the Purple Sage; Wolfcamp (Gas) Pool and governs wells to be located at least 330 feet from the unit outer boundary of a spacing unit and no closer than 10 feet to any quarter – quarter section line. The completed intervals of horizontal wells are to be located no closer than 330 feet to the exterior boundary of a standard 320 - acre **gas** spacing unit.

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The request to deviate from an orthodox location has met all requirements of 19.15.16.15 (C)(5)(a) NMAC. It is understood that you are seeking this exception in order to create a non-standard location, comprised of First and Last Take Points referenced above within the described Horizontal Spacing Unit.

The well's completed interval is as close as 100 feet to the western boundary of the horizontal spacing unit. Encroachment will impact the following tract(s).

Section 11, T23S, R28E, encroachment to the NE/4

The Division understands you have given notice of this application to all operators or owners who are "affected persons," as defined in Paragraph (8) Subsection A of 19.15.2.7 NMAC, in all adjoining units towards which the proposed location encroaches.

Division understands you are seeking this unorthodox location to minimize direct contact with the reservoir in the unit, reducing stranded resources, accelerating recovery time, and improving overall productivity within the Wolfcamp formation underlying the N/2 of Section 12, in order to maximize recovery and preventing waste.

Your application has been filed under 19.15.16.15(C)(6) NMAC, 19.15.15.13 NMAC and 19.15.4.12 (A)(2) NMAC.

Per Subsection B of 19.15.15.13 NMAC, **Division approves this unorthodox location.**

Reference this NSL order number on the As Drilled C-102 submitted with the Authorization to Transport, to place this well into production.

The above approvals are subject to your following all other applicable Division rules.

Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of further orders as Division deems necessary.



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**Date:** 10/23/24

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