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CIMAREX ENERGY CO. OF COLORADO 600 N. MARIENFELD ST, SUITE 600 MIDLAND, TX 79701

Attention: Zeno Farris

MARQUARDT 12 PENN FEDERAL Well No. 001 API No: 30-015-33461 Unit O, Section 12, Township 25 South, Range 26 East, NMPM Eddy County, New Mexico Pool: SAGE DRAW; WOLFCAMP, EAST (G) Gas 96890 Names: WHITE CITY; PENN (GAS) Gas 87280

Reference is made to your recent application for an exception to 19.15.12.9A NMAC of the Division Rules and Regulations to permit the above-described well to commingle production from the subject pools in the wellbore.

It appearing that the subject well qualifies for approval for such exception pursuant to the provisions of 19.15.12.11A NMAC, and that reservoir damage or waste will not result from such downhole commingling, and correlative rights will not be violated thereby, you are hereby authorized to commingle the production as described above and any Division Order which authorized the dual completion or otherwise required separation of the zones is hereby placed in abeyance.

In accordance with 19.15.12.11A.(6) NMAC, the production attributed to any commingled pool within the well shall not exceed the allowable applicable to that pool.

The production allocation percentages of oil and gas between these pools shall be supplied to the Division's Santa Fe office within 60 days following completion of this well or workover.

REMARKS: The operator shall notify the Division's district office upon implementation of commingling operations.

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Pursuant to 19.15.12.11B NMAC, the commingling authority granted herein may be rescinded by the Division Director if conservation is not being best served by such commingling.

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cc: Oil Conservation Division – Artesia Bureau of Land Management - Carlsbad