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Novo Oil & Gas Northern Delaware, LLC (OGRID 372920) c/o Kaitlyn A. Luck, Agent kaluck@hollandhart.com P.O. Box 2208 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2208

**RE:** Request for Time Extension to Commence drilling

Case No. 20184, R-20578 approved date April 6, 2020 Deadline to commence drilling May 31, 2020 Applicant/Operator: Novo Oil & Gas Northern Delaware, LLC

Proposed Well: Goonch Federal Com 04 No. 211H

Dear Sir or Madam:

The following pertains to your request received by the Division on February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

You have requested an extension of the deadline to commence drilling given by the Division in the above-captioned order due to present unfavorable economic conditions. Moreover, you represent that to date none of the pooled working interest owners have been asked to make an election or pay their share of costs under the pooling order. The deadline in which to spud this well is presently set at May 31, 2020. You are requesting an additional year in which to spud this well.

Given the present economic environment, Ordering Paragraph No. (4) of the captioned order is hereby amended, changing "May 31, 2020" to "May 31, 2021." The requested additional year in which to commence drilling is hereby granted.

All other provisions of this order remain in full force and effect.

Sincerely,

ADRIENNE SANDOVAL

Director AS/kms

CC: Oil Conservation Division – Artesia District Office; Case No. 20184