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**NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**  
- Engineering Bureau -  
1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505



**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]**

- [1] **TYPE OF APPLICATION** - Check Those Which Apply for [A]  
 [A] Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication **Ruby Federal #10**  
 NSL  NSP  SD  
 Check One Only for [B] or [C]  
 [B] Commingling - Storage - Measurement  
 DHC  CTB  PLC  PC  OLS  OLM  
 [C] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery  
 WFX  PMX  SWD  IPI  EOR  PPR  
 [D] Other: Specify \_\_\_\_\_

*Conoco Phillips  
Ruby #10  
NSL  
30-025-40507*

- [2] **NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO:** - Check Those Which Apply, or  $\exists$  Does Not Apply  
 [A]  Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners  
 [B]  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

*ALSO DHC#  
4828*

[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.**

|  |                                      |  |                 |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|-----------------|
| Susan B. Maunder<br>Print or Type Name | <i>Susan B. Maunder</i><br>Signature | Senior Regulatory Specialist<br>Title                | 12-6-13<br>Date |
|  |                                      | Susan.B.Maunder@conocophillips.com<br>e-mail Address |                 |

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Susan B. Maunder  
Sr. Regulatory Specialist  
Phone: (281) 206-5281

ConocoPhillips Company  
600 N. Dairy Ashford Rd, Office P10-4-4054  
Houston, TX 77079-1175

December 10, 2013

State of New Mexico  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South Saint Francis Drive  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR NON-STANDARD LOCATION FOR RUBY FEDERAL #10 –  
API 30-025-40507

Dear Sirs,

ConocoPhillips Company respectfully requests a non-standard location exception to produce the Ruby Federal #10 well. The lease is recorded as NM LC029405B The well located in UL F, 1650' from the north line and 1500' from the west line of Section 17, Township 17S, Range 32E, Lea County, New Mexico. The footages place the well closer than 330' from a Qtr/Qtr Section line. The table below details the ownership of adjacent spacing units in Section 17. ConocoPhillips is 100% lessee and 100% working interest owner of the Ruby federal lease.

| Spacing Unit | Adjacent Units                               | # of Wells | Operator(s)            |
|--------------|--|------------|------------------------|
| UL F         | UL B, C, D, E, G, J, K, L; Sec. 17, 17S, 32E | 6          | ConocoPhillips Company |

Enclosed are the following documents in support of this request.

- Administrative Application Checklist
- Copy of the New Mexico Form C-102
- Website Image of Ruby and Emerald Lease Boundary

A copy of this submittal is being sent to Bureau of Land Management, Carlsbad Field Office via certified return receipt.

The granting of this exception will prevent waste and minimize surface disturbance.

If you have questions regarding this request, I can be reached at 281-206-5281 or via email at [Susan.B.Maunder@conocophillips.com](mailto:Susan.B.Maunder@conocophillips.com).

Sincerely,

Susan B. Maunder  
Senior Regulatory Specialist  
ConocoPhillips Company

30-025-40507

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1685 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240

DISTRICT II  
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 86210

DISTRICT III  
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Artesia, NM 87410

DISTRICT IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION HOBBS OCD  
1220 South St. Frances Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-102  
Revised October 12, 2005  
Submit to Appropriate District Office  
State Lease - 4 Copies  
Fee Lease - 3 Copies

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WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

|                            |                                 |  |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| API Number<br>30-025-40507 | Pool Code<br>43329              | Pool Name<br>Aljama; Grayburg-San Andres |
| Property Code<br>38653     | Property Name<br>RUBY FEDERAL   | Well Number<br>10                        |
| OGRID No.<br>217817        | Operator Name<br>CONOCOPHILLIPS | Elevation<br>3962                        |

Surface Location

| UL or lot No. | Section | Township | Range | Lot Idn | Feet from the | North/South line | Feet from the | East/West line | County |
|---------------|---------|----------|-------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|--------|
| 0             | 18      | 17 S     | 32 E  |         | 1140          | SOUTH            | 2310          | EAST           | LEA    |

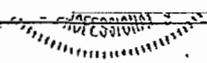
Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

| UL or lot No. | Section | Township | Range | Lot Idn | Feet from the | North/South line | Feet from the | East/West line | County |
|---------------|---------|----------|-------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|--------|
|               |         |          |       |         |               |                  |               |                |        |

|                       |                 |                    |           |
|-----------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----------|
| Dedicated Acres<br>40 | Joint or Infill | Consolidation Code | Order No. |
|-----------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----------|

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

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| <p>NOTE:<br/>1) Plane Coordinates shown hereon are Transverse Mercator Grid and Conform to the "New Mexico Coordinate System", New Mexico East Zone, North American Datum of 1927. Distances shown hereon are mean horizontal surface values.</p> | <p>Plane Coordinate<br/>X = 662,528.2<br/>Y = 666,230.2</p> | <p>OPERATOR CERTIFICATION</p> <p>I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location of has a right to drill this well at the location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such a mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i><br/>Signature Date 6/13/13</p> <p>Rhonda Rogers<br/>Printed Name</p> <p>rogerr@conocophillips.com<br/>Email Address</p> |
|---|---|---|



Website Image of Ruby and Emerald Lease Boundary  
With Approximate Well Location

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
**BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT** General Land Office Records

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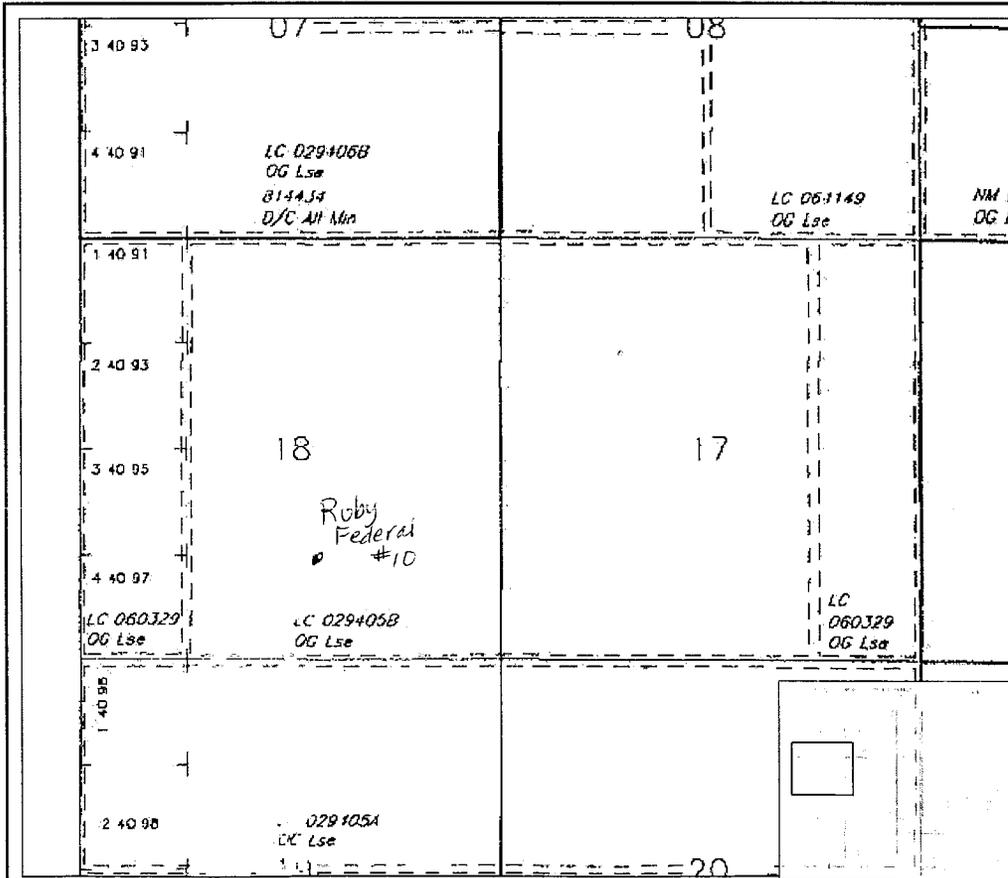
DM ID: 39839 Document Type: Oil and Gas State: New Mexico Posted Date: 8/7/2013

Land Status Record Details

Related Documents

Township / Range: 017.05 - 032.0E  
Meridian: New Mexico Pm  
State Office: New Mexico State Office  
Pages: 1

Sheet: 1



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ZOOM VIEW

Javascript Viewer

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State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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Deputy Cabinet Secretary

**Jami Bailey, Division Director**  
Oil Conservation Division



Administrative Order DHC-4628  
Order Date: July 15, 2013  
Application Reference Number: pAXK1317256442

ConocoPhillips Company  
P. O. Box 51810  
Midland, TX 79710-1810

Attention: Susan Maunder

Ruby Federal Well No. 10  
API No: 30-025-40507  
Unit O, Section 18, Township 17 South, Range 32 East, NMPM  
Lea County, New Mexico

|        |                               |     |       |
|--------|-------------------------------|-----|-------|
| Pool   | MALJAMAR; YESO, WEST          | Oil | 44500 |
| Names: | MALJAMAR; GRAYBURG-SAN ANDRES | Oil | 43329 |

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.

Assignment of allowable and allocation of production from the well shall be as follows:

|   |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| MALJAMAR (YESO WEST) OIL POOL           | Pct Gas: 19 | Pct Oil: 42 |
| MALJAMAR (GRAYBURG-SAN ANDRES) OIL POOL | Pct Gas: 81 | Pct Oil: 58 |

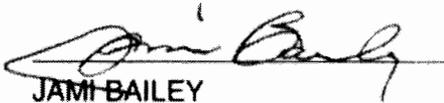
This approval is conditional upon approval by the United States Bureau of Land Management prior to commencement of commingling.

Administrative Order DHC-4628  
ConocoPhillips Company  
July 15, 2013  
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REMARKS: The operator shall notify the Division's district office upon implementation of commingling operations.

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.



JAMI BAILEY  
Director

JB/prg

cc: Oil Conservation Division – Hobbs District  
Bureau of Land Management – Carlsbad