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## NSL

## Order

Approved: 08/10/20

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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August 10, 2020

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NON-STANDARD LOCATION

**Administrative Order NSL-8038**

**Devon Energy Production L.P. [OGRID 6137]  
Thoroughbred 10 3 Federal Com Well No. 623H  
API No. 30-015-46899**

**Proposed Location**

	<u>Footages</u>	<u>Unit/Lot</u>	<u>Sec.</u>	<u>Twsp</u>	<u>Range</u>	<u>County</u>
Surface	270 FSL & 2160 FEL	M	10	26S	31E	Eddy
First Take Point	330 FSL & 1750 FEL	M	10	26S	31E	Eddy
Last Take Point	100 FNL & 1750 FEL	L	3	26S	31E	Eddy
Terminus	20 FNL & 1750 FEL	L	3	26S	31E	Eddy

**Proposed Horizontal Gas Units**

<u>Description</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Pool</u>	<u>Pool Code</u>
E/2 of Section 10	640	Purple Sage; Wolfcamp (GAS)	98220
E/2 of Section 3			

Reference is made to your application received on July 20, 2020.

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 for the Purple Sage; Wolfcamp (Gas) Pool of and provides for 320-acre units, with wells located at least 330 feet from a unit outer boundary.

This well's completed interval is as close as 100 feet to the northern edge. Encroachment will impact the following tract.

Section 34 25S 31E, encroachment to the SE/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.

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Division understands you are seeking this unorthodox location in order to optimize well spacing and thereby preventing waste within the Wolfcamp formation underlying the E/2 of Section 10 and the E/2 of Section 3.

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.**

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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**ADRIENNE E. SANDOVAL**  
**Division Director**

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cc: Oil Conservation Division – Artesia District Office  
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## **Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD**

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**Subject:** APPROVED NSL-8038\_Devon Energy Prod. L.P.\_Thoroughbred 10 3 Federal Com Well No. 623H\_SEC 10 26S 31E  
**Attachments:** NSL-8038\_ORDER.pdf  
**Importance:** High

Ms. Kaitlyn A. Luck,

The following NSL Administrative Order has been issued and will soon be available on the Division's web site:  
<http://ocdimage.emnrd.state.nm.us/Imaging/Default.aspx>

NSL	AMD	Applicant	OGRID	WELL NAME	AI
8038	-	Devon Energy Production L.P.	6137	Thoroughbred 10 3 Federal Com Well No. 623H	30-012

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