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EOG Resources Inc

Attn: Mr. Michael Feldewert

ADMINISTRATIVE NON-STANDARD LOCATION ORDER

Administrative Order NSL-7029 Administrative Application Reference No. pMAM1403429284

EOG Resources INC OGRID 7377 Hawk 35 Federal Well No. 6 H API No. 30-025-pending

Proposed Location:

	Footages	Unit_	Sec.	Twsp	Range	County_
Surface	500 FNL & 2360 FEL	В	35	24S	33E	Lea
Penetration Point	50 FSL & 2392 FEL	O	26	24S	33E	Lea
Terminus	230 FNL & 2385 FEL	В	26	24S	33E	Lea

Proposed Project Area:

<u>Description</u>	Acres	Pool	Pool Code
W/2 E/2 of Section 26	160	Red Hills; Upper Bone Spring Shale	97900

Reference is made to your application received on January 31, 2014.

You have requested to drill this horizontal well at an unorthodox oil well location described above in the referenced pool or formation. This location is governed by statewide Rule 19.15.15.9.A NMAC, which provides for 40-acre units, with wells located at least 330 feet from a unit outer boundary, and Rule 19.15.16.14.B(2) NMAC concerning directional wells in designated project areas. This surface location is outside the project area, and is permitted by Rule 19.15.16.15.B (4) NMAC which allows for surface locations outside project area. This location is unorthodox because portions of the proposed completed interval are closer to outside

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boundaries of the proposed project area than any location that would be a standard location under the applicable pool rules.

Your application has been duly filed under the provisions of Division Rules 19.15.15.13 NMAC and 19.15.4.12.A(2) NMAC.

It is our understanding that you are seeking this location for engineering reasons, in order to maximize production of hydrocarbons underlying this project area and prevent waste.

It is also understood that you have given due notice of this application to all operators or owners who are "affected persons," as defined in Rule 19.15.4.12.A(2) NMAC, in all adjoining units towards which the proposed location encroaches.

Pursuant to the authority conferred by Division Rule 19.15.15.13 (B) NMAC, the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

This approval is subject to your being in compliance with all other applicable Division rules, including, but not limited to Division Rule 19.15.5.9 NMAC.

Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

Sincerely,

Jami Bailey Director

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cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division – Hobbs
United States Bureau of Land Management – Carlsbad