# State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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March 1, 2017

EOG Resources Inc.

Attn: Ms. Jordan Kessler

## **ADMINISTRATIVE NON-STANDARD LOCATION**

**Administrative Order NSL-7507** 

EOG Resources Inc.
OGRID 7377
Nervosa 24 State Com No. 502H
API No. 30-025-43601

## **Non-Standard Location**

### **Proposed Location:**

	<b>Footages</b>	Unit Sec.	Twsp Range County_
Surface	2394` FNL & 504` FEL	H 24	21S 33E Lea
Penetration Point	2310` FNL & 1118` FEL	H 24	21S 33E Lea
Final perforation	330` FNL & 1118` FEL	A 13	21S 33E Lea
Terminus	230` FNL & 1118` FEL	A 13	21S 33E Lea

#### **Proposed Project Area:**

<b>Description</b>		Acres	Pool		Pool Code
E/2 E/2 of Sect	ion 13	160	Berry; Bone Spring	, North	5535
E/2 NE/4 of Se	ction 24	80			

Reference is made to your application received on February 7, 2017.

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. This location is unorthodox because portions of the proposed completed interval are closer to outside 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 EOG Resources Inc. is seeking this location as a preferred well spacing plan for horizontal wells in this area and to efficiently produce oil and gas in Section 24 and Section 13.

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.

The above approvals are 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.

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Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division – Hobbs District Office State Land Office – Oil, Gas, and Minerals Division