Submit 1 Copy To Appropriate District Office	State of New Mexico	Form C-103		
<u>District 1</u> – (575) 393-6161	Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources	Revised August 1, 2011 WELL API NO.		
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240 <u>District II</u> – (575) 748-1283	of government bitterest	WELL API NO.		
811 S. First St., Árlesia, NM 88210 District III (505) 334-6178	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	5. Indicate Type of Lease		
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztcc, NM 87410	1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505	STATE FEE		
<u>District IV</u> = (505) 476-3460 1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505	Saina Pe, 19191 67303	6. State Oil & Gas Lease No.		
SUNDRY NOTICES	AND REPORTS ON WELLS	7. Lease Name or Unit Agreement Name		
(DO NOT USE THIS FORM FOR PROPOSALS TO DRILL OR TO DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK TO A DIFFERENT RESERVOIR. USE "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT" (FORM C-101) FOR SUCH PROPOSALS.)		Washington 33 State Battery.		
1. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas	Well Other	8. Well Number		
2. Name of Operator Apache Corporation		9. OGRID Number 873		
3. Address of Operator	Kaland TV 70705	10. Pool name or Wildcat		
303 Veterans Airpark Lane, Suite 3000 M 4. Well Location	ildiand, 1X 79705	Yeso (96830) & Grayburg-San Andres (3230)		
Unit Letter :	feet from the line and	feet from theline		
Section 33	Township 17S Range 28E	NMPM County Eddy		
11.	Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, RT, GR, et	(c.)		
12. Check Appr	opriate Box to Indicate Nature of Notice	e, Report or Other Data		
NOTICE OF INTEN		BSEQUENT REPORT OF:		
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OTHER: Flare Gas  13. Describe proposed or completed	operations: (Clearly state all pertinent details.	and give pertinent dates, including estimated date		
of starting any proposed work). SEE RULE 19.15.7.14 NMAC. For Multiple Completions: Attach wellbore diagram of proposed completion or recompletion.				
Apache is requesting permission to temporarily flare all of the Washington 33 State wells. Intermittent flaring will occur and gas will be measured prior to flaring. The API# for each well are as follows:				
30-015-30299 30-015-228		0-015-40020 30-015-40078		
30-015-30276 30-015-30 30-015-30277 30-015-30	332 \( \) 30-015-39883 \( \) 3195 \( \) 30-015-39884 \( \) 31	0-015-40021 30-015-40114 0-015-40022 30-015-40110		
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30-015-30193 30-015-220		0-015-40089 30-015-40117 0-015-40090 30-015-40112		
30-015-22524 30-015-22		0-015-40113 30-015-40118		
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30-015-22822 30-015-22	30-015-40019	0-015-40077 30-015-40120		
Spud Date:	Rig Release Date:			
I hereby certify that the information above	e is true and complete to the best of my knowle	edge and belief.		
SIGNATURE	TITLE Regulatory Analyst II	DATE 06/17/2014		
Type or print name Fatima Vasquez	E-mail address: Fatima Vasquez(	PHONE:         (432) 818-1015		
For State Use Only				
APPROVED BY: Conditions of Approval (if any):	TITLE UIST (1)	PEWISO DATE 8-12-14		
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See Ar	tached COA's			

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

Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505 Form C-129 Revised August 1, 2011

Submit one copy to appropriate District Office

NFO Permit No.

(For Division Use Only)

#### APPLICATION FOR EXCEPTION TO NO-FLARE RULE 19.15.18.12

(See Rule 19:15:18:12 NMAC and Rule 19:15.7:37 NMAC)

$\mathbf{A}_{r}$	Applicant Apache Corporation		<b></b> ,		
•	whose address is 1945 Bluestem Road, Artesia, NM 88210				
	hereby requests an exception to Rule 19.15.18	OO .	days or until		
	,Yr, i	for the following described tank battery (or	LACT):		
	Name of Lease Washington 33 State Battery Name of Pool Yeso & Grayburg-SA				
	Location of Battery: Unit LetterS	Section 33 Township 17S Range	28E		
	Number of wells producing into battery	55			
В.	Based upon oil production of	barrels per day, the estimated *	volume		
	of gas to be flared is	MCF; Value	per day.		
C.	Name and location of nearest gas gathering facility:  DCP / Frontier Empire Abo Plant				
D.	Distance Estimated cost of connection				
E.	This exception is requested for the following reasons: DCP & Frontier curtails their gas				
• '	due to repairs or plant problems. This is an extension to the permit that expires				
	06/30/2014.				
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Division have b	that the rules and regulations of the Oil Conservation een complied with and that the information given above olete to the best of my knowledge and belief.	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION Approved Until 100 30, 2	014		
Signature		By Made			
Printed Name & Title	Fatima Vasquez - Regulatory Analyst II	Title DIST PSypowis	R		
E-mail Addre	Fatima.Vasquez@apachecorp.com	Date Aug 12-2014			
Date 06/17	/2014 Telephone No. (432) 818-1015				
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\* Gas-Oil ratio test may be required to verify estimated gas volume.

\$ See Attached COA's

### NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION DISTRICT 2 OFFICE 811 SOUTH FIRST STREET ARTESIA, NM 88210 (575)748-1283

### CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL for FLARING or VENTING GAS

- 1. Venting gas is absolutely not allowed.
- 2. Prior to flaring gas, C-129 must be filed & approved. Blanket approval cannot be given for this operation.
- 3. Flared volumes of gas are to be metered & reported.
- 4. Flares WILL be manned at all times. Brush should be cut down to 1 or 2 inches around flare stack at least a radial distance of 2 times the height of the flare stack.
- 5. Flares WILL NOT be left unattended.
- 6. No flaring operations to be conducted during red-flag days.

  <a href="http://www.gacc.nifc.gov/swcc">http://www.gacc.nifc.gov/swcc</a> (go to "Predictive Services" on SWCC website) to check for red flag warnings.
- 7. Follow safe practices for flaring guidelines.
- 8. Permit may be rescinded at any time by NMOCD.
- 9. If well is able to be connected to a gas gathering system, it will be done so as soon as possible.
- 10. Flaring of gas is prohibited. The State Forester grants an exception to the prohibition on open fires for the flaring of natural gas when the following conditions are met. Unless flaring is needed for safety purposes, flaring pursuant to this exception shall not be done on days that are "red flag days" as determined by the National Weather Service or on days when the sustained wind is in excess of 25 miles per hour in the area.
- 11.1. The day is not a "red flag day" as determined by the National Weather Service and the sustained wind is not in excess of 25 miles per hour in the area.

- 12.2. The local fire department and county dispatch are notified at least 24 hours in advance of anticipated releases that will result in flaring. If flaring is done by an automated system then the schedule of flaring shall be provided to the local fire department and county dispatch. The area is mowed and maintained at a length not to exceed 4 inches and all other flammable products or debris shall be cleared in the area for a distance of one and one half times the height of the stack.
- 13.3. At least one adult is on site with communications equipment adequate to reach county dispatch and the local fire department in the event of a fire. The individual should also be equipped with a shovel and a water backpack pump or other equipment to deliver water to suppress a fire.
- 14.4. If flaring is to take place at an unmanned facility, then the area around the flare stack is mowed and maintained at a length not to exceed 4 inches and all other flammable products or debris shall be cleared in the area for a distance of three times the height of the stack.

Your initials here

8/12/ 2014

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March 7, 2014

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# Notice to Oil and Gas Facilities and Operators Flaring Gas in New Mexico

SANTA FE, NM – The Oil Conservation Division (OCD) encourages all oil and gas facilities with flare stacks and well operators that are flaring gas to upgrade their *Fire Awareness Programs* this year. New Mexico State Forestry reports that 362 fires burned 6,879 acres on state and private land in calendar year 2013.

Forecasts remain dismal this spring with fewer chances for normal precipitation, particularly in southwestern New Mexico and southeastern Arizona. Temperatures are expected to be higher than normal.

Open flames and gas flares should be monitored carefully and oil and gas operators should create a defensible space to help prevent wildfires. Defensible Space is the area around a structure where combustible vegetation that can spread fire has been cleared, reduced or replaced. This space acts as a barrier between a structure and an advancing wildfire.

This means that as a general rule of thumb, the area around staffed flaring facilities should be mowed and maintained at a length not to exceed 4 inches and all other flammable products or debris should be cleared in the area for a distance of at least one and one half times the height of the stack.

If flaring is to take place at an unstaffed facility, then the mowed area around the flare stack should be increased to three times the height of the stack. On "red flag" days local fire departments should be notified prior to the flaring operations.

During the course of the upcoming fire season, it may become necessary for New Mexico State Forestry to issue fire restriction on State and private land. Log on to <a href="https://www.nmforestry.com">www.nmforestry.com</a> for updates or to get information on how contact your local State Forestry District office.

For the latest fire weather information please visit USDA Forest Service website: <a href="http://gacc.nifc.gov/swcc/predictive/outlooks/monthly/swa\_monthly.pdf">http://gacc.nifc.gov/swcc/predictive/outlooks/monthly/swa\_monthly.pdf</a>

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