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APPLICATION FOR EXCEPTION TO NO-FLARE RULE 306

(See Rule 306 and Rule 1129) 30-015-34438 Applicant COG Operating LLC A. whose address is 550 W Texas Avenue, Suite 1300, Midland, TX 79701 hereby requests an exception to Rule 306 for ______days or until September , Yr 2008, for the following described tank battery (or LACT): Name of Lease USP Fee #2 Name of Pool Harroun Ranch; Delaware, NE (Oil 96878) Location of Battery: Unit Letter <u>D</u> Section <u>16</u> Township <u>23S</u> Range 29E Number of wells producing into battery ______1 Based upon oil production of 120 barrels per day, the estimated * volume B. of gas to be flared is 51 MCF; Value _____ per day. C. Name and location of nearest gas gathering facility: DCP Midstream - 260 Potash Mine Rd D. Distance 320' Estimated cost of connection \$380,000.00 E. This exception is requested for the following reasons: We would have to build our pipeline. Then we would have to put 15' of dirt over the pipeline to build our right of way. Right now it would be an economical hardship to have this built. OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION **OPERATOR** I hereby certify that the rules and regulations of the Oil Conservation Division have been complied with and that the information given above Approved Until is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. Signed By Signature Printed Name Field Supervisor Title & Title Kanicia Carrillo, Regulatory Analyst OCT 24 2007 Date E-mail Address <u>kcarrillo@conchoresources.com</u> Date 09/19/07 Telephone No. 432-685-4332

^{*} Gas-Oil ratio test may be required to verify estimated gas volume.