

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210  
District III  
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
District IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

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)

30-015-39025  
30-015-40054

A. Applicant Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado  
whose address is 600 N. Marienfeld St., Suite 600; Midland, Tx 79701,  
hereby requests an exception to Rule 19.15.18.12 for 30 days days or until  
January 6, Yr 2013, for the following described tank battery (or LACT):  
Name of Lease Crescent Hale 12 Federal Name of Pool Benson; Bone Spring  
Location of Battery: Unit Letter D Section 12 Township 19S Range 30E  
Number of wells producing into battery 2

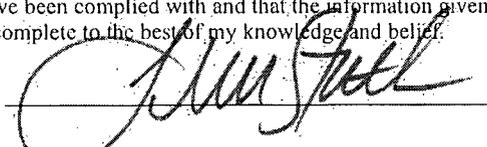
B. Based upon oil production of 600 barrels per day, the estimated \* volume  
of gas to be flared is 1000 MCF; Value \$3500 per day.

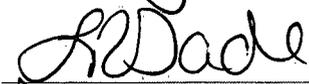
C. Name and location of nearest gas gathering facility:  
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D. Distance \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated cost of connection \_\_\_\_\_

E. This exception is requested for the following reasons: DCP pipeline to Linam Ranch  
plant has leak.  
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**OPERATOR**  
I hereby certify that the rules and regulations of the Oil Conservation  
Division have been complied with and that the information given above  
is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature   
Printed Name & Title Terri Stathem  
E-mail Address tstathem@cimarex.com  
Date 12/6/2012 Telephone No. 918-295-1763

**OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**  
Approved Until Jan 11 - 2013  
By   
Title DIST II Supervisor  
Date 12/6/2012

\* Gas-Oil ratio test may be required to verify estimated gas volume.