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87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-103  
Revised August 1, 2011

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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| WELL API NO.                                                                                        |
| 5. Indicate Type of Lease<br>STATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FEE <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6. State Oil & Gas Lease No.                                                                        |
| 7. Lease Name or Unit Agreement Name<br>D State Battery                                             |
| 8. Well Number                                                                                      |
| 9. OGRID Number<br>873                                                                              |
| 10. Pool name or Wildcat<br>Yeso                                                                    |
| 11. Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, RT, GR, etc.)                                                  |

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| SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS<br>(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.) |  |
| 1. Type of Well: Oil Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                         |  |
| 2. Name of Operator<br>Apache Corporation                                                                                                                                                              |  |
| 3. Address of Operator<br>303 Veterans Airpark Lane, Suite 3000 Midland, TX 79705                                                                                                                      |  |
| 4. Well Location<br>Unit Letter _____ : _____ feet from the _____ line and _____ feet from the _____ line<br>Section 36 Township 17S Range 28E NMPM County Eddy                                        |  |
| 11. Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, RT, GR, etc.)                                                                                                                                                     |  |

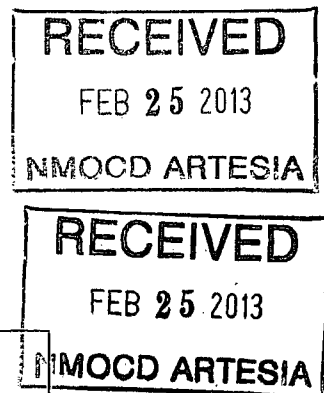
12. Check Appropriate Box to Indicate Nature of Notice, Report or Other Data

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|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| NOTICE OF INTENTION TO:                              |                                           | SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:                            |                                          |
| PERFORM REMEDIAL WORK <input type="checkbox"/>       | PLUG AND ABANDON <input type="checkbox"/> | REMEDIAL WORK <input type="checkbox"/>           | ALTERING CASING <input type="checkbox"/> |
| TEMPORARILY ABANDON <input type="checkbox"/>         | CHANGE PLANS <input type="checkbox"/>     | COMMENCE DRILLING OPNS. <input type="checkbox"/> | P AND A <input type="checkbox"/>         |
| PULL OR ALTER CASING <input type="checkbox"/>        | MULTIPLE COMPL <input type="checkbox"/>   | CASING/CEMENT JOB <input type="checkbox"/>       |                                          |
| DOWNHOLE COMMINGLE <input type="checkbox"/>          |                                           |                                                  |                                          |
| OTHER: Flare Gas <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |                                           | OTHER: <input type="checkbox"/>                  |                                          |

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 the D State Battery. The API# for each well are as follows:

|              |              |              |              |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 30-015-31257 | 30-015-32490 | 30-015-38411 | 30-015-39069 |
| 30-015-31421 | 30-015-32483 | 30-015-38412 | 30-015-39743 |
| 30-015-30976 | 30-015-32491 | 30-015-38414 | 30-015-39742 |
| 30-015-32649 | 30-015-30975 | 30-015-38585 | 30-015-39921 |
| 30-015-31422 | 30-015-31390 | 30-015-38469 | 30-015-39922 |
| 30-015-32482 | 30-015-31586 | 30-015-38471 | 30-015-39923 |
| 30-015-31423 | 30-015-31939 | 30-015-38588 | 30-015-40310 |
| 30-015-31424 | 30-015-32484 | 30-015-38470 | 30-015-40311 |
| 30-015-31425 | 30-015-38408 | 30-015-38589 | 30-015-40313 |
| 30-015-31165 | 30-015-38409 | 30-015-39068 | 30-015-40314 |
| 30-015-32489 |              |              |              |



Spud Date:

Rig Release Date:

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE

TITLE Regulatory Tech I

DATE 02/22/2013

Type or print name Fatima Vasquez

E-mail address: Fatima.Vasquez@apachecorp.com

PHONE: (432) 818-1015

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APPROVED BY:

TITLE Dr. P. S. Vasquez

DATE 2/27/13

Conditions of Approval (if any):

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NFO Permit No. \_\_\_\_\_  
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## 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)

- A. Applicant Apache Corporation  
whose address is 1945 Bluestem Road, Artesia, NM 88210  
hereby requests an exception to Rule 19.15.18.12 for 90 days or until  
                    , Yr           , for the following described tank battery (or LACT):  
Name of Lease D State Battery Name of Pool Yeso  
Location of Battery: Unit Letter            Section 36 Township 17S Range 28E  
Number of wells producing into battery 41  
B. Based upon oil production of 700 barrels per day, the estimated \* volume  
of gas to be flared is 2.3M MCF; Value                      per day.  
C. Name and location of nearest gas gathering facility:  
DCP Artesia  
D. Distance                      Estimated cost of connection                       
E. This exception is requested for the following reasons: Frontier Gas has shut Apache out  
of their gas line as a secondary selling point. Our primary buyer is DCP. We  
need a way of relief if DCP slam valve shuts, which would be to flare.

### 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 Fatima Vasquez - Regulatory Tech I

E-mail Address Fatima.Vasquez@apachecorp.com

Date 02/22/2013 Telephone No. (432) 818-1015

### OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Approved Until May 31 - 2013

By                     

Title Dist R Supervisor

Date 02/27/2013

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