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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)

А.	A. Applicant Devon Energy Production Company, LP					
whose address is333 West Sheridan Avenue, OKC, OK 73102						
	hereby requests an exception to Rule 19.15.1	18.12 for 90	days or until			
	N/A, Yr, for the	following described tank battery (or	r LACT):			
	Name of Lease <u>NMNM00503</u> Name of	Pool (96757) Cotton Draw, Delaware,	South			
	Location of Battery: Unit Letter O_Section 1_Township 25S Range 31E					
	Number of wells producing into battery: <u>3W.</u> 172H (30-015-42426), Cotton Draw Unit 173H (		2503), Cotton Draw Unit			
<b>B</b> .	Based upon oil production of <u>679</u>	barrels per day, the esti	mated * volume			
	of gas to be flared isMC	F; Value	_per day.			
C.	Name and location of nearest gas gathering f	acility: Currently tied into DCP Mid	Istream			
D.	Distance Estimated of	cost of connection	· · ·			
E.	This exception is requested for the following reasons:					
	Devon requesting flare due to upcoming Zia Maintenance on Tuesday March 22nd. Received verbal from Charles Nimmer (BLM) on 03.21.16. We are requesting a flare extension for 90 days, starting March 21, 2016 to June 20, 2016.					
OPERATOR		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISIO	N			
Division have been	nat the rules and regulations of the Oil Conservation on complied with and that the information given above ete to the best of my knowledge and belief.	Approved Until U 20/16				
Printed Name	/*	ByAccepted for NMOC	ATR			
	nda Good, Regulatory Compliance Spec.					
E-mail Addres	s <u>linda.good@dvn.com</u>	Date 4/20/16				
Date 03.22.1	16 Telephone No. (405) 552-6558					

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

## BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Carlsbad Field Office 620 East Greene Street Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220 575-234-5972

This field office has evaluated the attached Notice of Intent as a request for flaring/venting beyond NTL-4A allowable thresholds (reasons, timeframes and volumes), and has determined the following Conditions of Approval apply.

# **Condition of Approval to Flare Gas**

- 1. Comply with NTL-4A requirements
- 2. Subject to like approval from NMOCD
- 3. Flared volumes are considered "avoidably lost" and will require payment of royalties. Volumes shall be reported on OGOR "B" reports as disposition code "08
- 4. "Avoidably lost" flare volumes shall be metered due to their royalty bearing status. Install gas meter on vent/flare line to measure gas prior to venting/flaring operations if it is not equipped as such at this time.
- 5. Vent/flare gas metering to meet all requirements for a sales meter as per Federal Regulations, Onshore Order #5 and NTL 2008-01. Include meter serial number on sundry (form 3160-5).
- 6. This approval does not authorize any additional surface disturbance.
- An updated facility diagram is required within 60 days of modifications to existing facilities per Onshore Order #3.
- 8. Approval not to exceed 90 days, if flaring is still required past 90 days submit new request for approval.
- Submit Subsequent Report with actual volumes of gas flared for each month gas is flared on a sundry form 3160-5.

**Definition:** As per **NTL-4A II. A.** "Avoidably lost" production shall mean the venting or flaring of produced gas without the prior authorization, approval, ratification, or acceptance of the Supervisor and the loss of produced oil or gas when the Supervisor determines that such loss occurred as a result of (1) negligence on the part of the lessee or operator, or (2) the failure of the lessee or operator to take all reasonable measures to prevent and/or to control the loss, or (3) the failure of the lessee or operator to comply fully with the applicable lease terms and regulations, appropriate provisions of the approved operating plan, or the prior written orders of the Supervisor, or (4) and combination of the foregoing.

**43CFR3162.7-1 (a)** The operator shall put into marketable condition, if economically feasible, all oil, other hydrocarbons, gas and sulphur produced from the leased land.

**43CFR3162.1 (a)** The operating rights owner or operator, as appropriate, shall comply with applicable laws and regulations; with the lease terms, Onshore Oil and Gas Orders, NTL's; and with other orders and instructions of the *authorized officer*. These include, but are not limited to, conducting all operations in a manner which ensures the proper handling, measurement, disposition, and site security of leasehold production; which protects other natural resources and environmental quality; which protects life and property; and which results in maximum ultimate economic recovery of oil and gas with minimum waste and with minimum adverse effect on ultimate recovery of other mineral resources.

	UNITED STATES EPARTMENT OF THE INT BUREAU OF LAND MANAGE	TERIOR A	MOCD rtesia	OMB N	APPROVED O. 1004-0135 July 31, 2010
			5.	Lease Serial No. NMNM0503	
SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.			6	If Indian, Allottee	or Tribe Name
SUBMIT IN TR	IPLICATE - Other instruction	ons on reverse side.	7.	If Unit or CA/Agre 891005247X	ement, Name and/or No.
1, Type of Well  B Oil Well  Gas Well  O	ther		8.	Well Name and No. MultipleSee Atta	
2. Name of Operator Contact: LINDA GOOD DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION CO EPMail: linda.good@dvn.com			· •)	API Well No. MultipleSee A	ttached
3a. Address 333 WEST SHERIDAN AVE OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 7310	F	<ul> <li>B) Phone No. (include area code</li> <li>Ph: 405-552-6558</li> </ul>	:) [1	). Field and Pool, or MultipleSee A	Exploratory ttached
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Subsequent Report	Casing Repair	New Construction	Recomplete		🛛 Other Venting and/or Flari
Final Abandonment Notice	Change Plans	Plug and Abandon	Temporaril Water Disp		ng
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Name (Printed/Typed) LINDA G			ATORY_SPECI	· · //	<u> </u>
Signature (Electronic	Submission)	Date 03/22/2	ofe APP	KUV/U	1 //
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## Additional data for EC transaction #334379 that would not fit on the form

Wells/Facilities, continued

Agreement NMNM70928X	Lease NMNM0503	Well/Fac Name, Number COTTON DRAW UNIT 172H	API Number 30-015-42426-00-S1	L) Se
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Location Sec 1 T25S R31E SWSE 0195FSL 1345FEL 32.090941 N Lat, 103.433837 W Lon Sec 1 T25S R31E SESW 0200FSL 2480FWL 32.152620 N Lat, 103.732090 W Lon Sec 1 T25S R31E SESE 0195FSL 1295FEL 32.090750 N Lat, 103.432272 W Lon

10. Field and Pool, continued

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### 32. Additional remarks, continued

Cotton Draw Unit 173H (30-015-42515)

Attachment: C-129

#### Revisions to Operator-Submitted EC Data for Sundry Notice #334379

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	Operator Submitted
Sundry Type:	FLARE NOI
Lease:	NMNM0503
Agreement:	
Operator:	DEVON ENERGY PROD CO., L.P. 333 WEST SHERIDAN AVE. OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73102 Ph: 405-552-6558
Admin Contact:	LINDA GOOD REGULATORY SPECIALIST E-Mail: linda.good@dvn.com
	Ph: 405-552-6558
Tech Contact:	LINDA GOOD REGULATORY SPECIALIST E-Mail: linda.good@dvn.com
	Ph: 405-552-6558
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