

**NM OIL CONSERVATION**

ARTESIA DISTRICT

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

JUL 29 2016

Form C-129  
Revised August 1, 2011

Submit one copy to appropriate  
District Office

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NFO Permit No. \_\_\_\_\_  
(For Division Use Only)

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

(Sec Rule 19.15.18.12 NMAC and Rule 19.15.7.37 NMAC)

A. Applicant Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.,  
whose address is 333 West Sheridan Avenue, Oklahoma City, OK 73102,  
hereby requests an exception to Rule 19.15.18.12 for 90 days or until  
N/A, Yr N/A, for the following described tank battery (or LACT):

Name of Lease NMNM0560290 Name of Pool 3713 Avalon; Bone Spring, East  
Location of Battery: Unit Letter \_\_\_\_\_ Section 3 Township 21S Range 27E  
8 wells: BFDU 49H, BFDU 50H, BFDU 51H, BFDU 52H,  
Number of wells producing into battery BFDU 54H, BFDU 55H, BFDU 56H, BFDU 58H

B. Based upon oil production of 194 barrels per day, the estimated \* volume  
of gas to be flared is 1798 MCF; Value \_\_\_\_\_ per day.

C. Name and location of nearest gas gathering facility:  
DCP

D. Distance \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated cost of connection \_\_\_\_\_

E. This exception is requested for the following reasons: \_\_\_\_\_  
Devon respectfully requests a 90 day flare extension, beginning July 27 to October 25, 2016.  
Extension is needed due to DCP doing maintenance at their Artesia Plant on July 27. Devon recieved  
verbal approval from Chris Walls on 7/26/16.

30-015-40707

<p><b>OPERATOR</b> 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.</p> <p>Signature <u>Megan Moravec</u></p> <p>Printed Name &amp; Title <u>Megan Moravec, Regulatory Compliance Specialist</u></p> <p>E-mail Address <u>Megan.Moravec@dvn.com</u></p> <p>Date <u>7/27/2016</u> Telephone No. <u>405-552-3622</u></p>	<p><b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b></p> <p>Approved Until _____</p> <p>By _____</p> <p>Title _____</p> <p>Date <u>8/11/16</u></p> <p><b>Accepted For Record</b> <b>NMOCD</b></p>
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\* Gas-Oil ratio test may be required to verify estimated gas volume.

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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FORM APPROVED  
OMB NO. 1004-0135  
Expires: July 31, 2010

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**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.*

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**SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side.**

1. Type of Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other		8. Well Name and No. BURTON FLAT DEEP UNIT 52H	
2. Name of Operator DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION CO., LP		9. API Well No. 30-015-40693	
3a. Address 333 WEST SHERIDAN AVENUE OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73102		3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 405-552-3622	
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Sec 3 T21S R27E 4000FNL 50FEL		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory AVALON; BONE SPRING, EAST	
		11. County or Parish, and State EDDY COUNTY COUNTY, NM	

**12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA**

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Acidize	<input type="checkbox"/> Deepen	<input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing	<input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat	<input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction	<input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	Venting and/or Flaring
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal	

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation (clearly state all pertinent details, including estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recomplete horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent markers and zones. Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No. on file with BLM/BIA. Required subsequent reports shall be filed within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompletion in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 shall be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

Devon respectfully requests a 90 day flare extension to flare the Burton Flat Deep Unit 52H/56H Battery, beginning July 27 to October 25, 2016. Extension is needed due to DCP doing maintenance at their Artesia Plant on July 27.

Wells Contributing to the total flare volume are:

- Burton Flat Deep Unit 49H (30-015-40707)
- Burton Flat Deep Unit 50H (30-015-40758)
- Burton Flat Deep Unit 51H (30-015-40681)
- Burton Flat Deep Unit 52H (30-015-40693)
- Burton Flat Deep Unit 54H (30-015-40503)
- Burton Flat Deep Unit 55H (30-015-40682)

**Accepted For Record  
NMOCD**

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.  
**Electronic Submission #345904 verified by the BLM Well Information System For DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION CO.,LP, sent to the Carlsbad**

Name (Printed/Typed) MEGAN MORAVEC	Title REGULATORY ANALYST
Signature (Electronic Submission)	Date 07/27/2016

**THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE**

Approved By _____	Title _____	Date _____
Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.		Office _____

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

**\*\* OPERATOR-SUBMITTED \*\* OPERATOR-SUBMITTED \*\* OPERATOR-SUBMITTED \*\***

**Additional data for EC transaction #345904 that would not fit on the form**

**32. Additional remarks, continued**

Burton Flat Deep Unit 56H (30-015-40683)  
Burton Flat Deep Unit 58H (30-015-41057)