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# GAS CAPTURE PLAN

Date: <u>03/14/18</u>

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Devon & OGRID No.: Devon Energy Prod Co., LP (6137)

Amended - Reason for Amendment: <u>Submitting new APD's for Mr. Potato Head 11-14 331H, 332H, 621H, 622H. 623H,</u> <u>711H, 712H, 731H, & 732H.</u>

This Gas Capture Plan outlines actions to be taken by the Devon to reduce well/production facility flaring/venting for new completion (new drill, recomplete to new zone, re-frac) activity.

Note: Form C-129 must be submitted and approved prior to exceeding 60 days allowed by Rule (Subsection A of 19.15.18.12 NMAC).

#### Well(s)/Production Facility – Name of facility

The well(s) that will be located at the production facility are shown in the table below.

Well Name	API	Well Location (ULSTR)	Footages		Expected MCF/D	Flared/ Vented	Comments
Mr. Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 331H		Sec. 11, T24S, R29E	350 FNL, 1105 F	FWL			Mr. Potato Head 11 CTB 1
Mr. Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 332H		Sec. 11, T24S, R29E	350 FNL, 2016	FWL			Mr. Potato Head 11 CTB 1
Mr. Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 621H		Sec. 11, T24S, R29E	350 FNL, 1045 F	FWL			Mr. Potato Head 11 CTB 1
Mr. Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 622H		Sec. 11, T24S, R29E	350 FNL, 1135 I	FWL			Mr. Potato Head 11 CTB 1
Mr. Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 623H		Sec. 11, T24S, R29E	350 FNL, 1045 I	FWL			Mr. Potato Head 11 CTB 1
Mr. Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 711H		Sec. 11, T24S, R29E	350 FNL, 1075 I	FWL			Mr. Potato Head 11 CTB 1
Mr. Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 712H		Sec. 11, T24S, R29E	350 FNL, 1986 I	FWL			Mr. Potato Head 11 CTB 1
Mr. Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 731H		Sec. 11, T24S, R29E	200 FNL, 1045 I	FWL			Mr. Potato Head 11 CTB 1
Mr. Potato Head 11-14 Fed Com 732H		Sec. 11, T24S, R29E	200 FNL, 1075 I	FWL			Mr. Potato Head 11 CTB 1

## **Gathering System and Pipeline Notification**

#### **Flowback Strategy**

After the fracture treatment/completion operations, well(s) will be produced to temporary production tanks and gas will be flared or vented. During flowback, the fluids and sand content will be monitored. When the produced fluids contain minimal sand, the wells will be turned to production facilities. Gas sales should start as soon as the wells start flowing through the production facilities, unless there are operational issues on <u>DCP</u> system at that time. Based on current information, it is <u>Devon's</u>

belief the system can take this gas upon completion of the well(s).

Safety requirements during cleanout operations from the use of underbalanced air cleanout systems may necessitate that sand and non-pipeline quality gas be vented and/or flared rather than sold on a temporary basis.

## **Alternatives to Reduce Flaring**

Below are alternatives considered from a conceptual standpoint to reduce the amount of gas flared.

- Power Generation On lease
  - Only a portion of gas is consumed operating the generator, remainder of gas will be flared
- Compressed Natural Gas On lease
  - Gas flared would be minimal, but might be uneconomical to operate when gas volume declines
- NGL Removal On lease
  - Plants are expensive, residue gas is still flared, and uneconomical to operate when gas volume declines