

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, 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

Form C-104B
March 19, 2001

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Submit 1 copy of the final affected
wells list along with 1 copy of this form
per number of wells on that list to
appropriate District Office

Change of Operator Name

OGRID: 168489

Effective Date: 06/01/2003

Previous Operator Name and Information:

Name: Ricks Exploration, Inc.

Address: 550 W. Texas Ave. Suite 1300

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: Midland, Texas 79701

New Operator Name and Information:

New Name: Concho Exploration, Inc.

Address: 550 W. Texas Ave. Suite 1300

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: Midland, Texas 79701

I hereby certify that the rules of the Oil Conservation Division have been complied with and that the information given on this form and the attached list of wells is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature: _____

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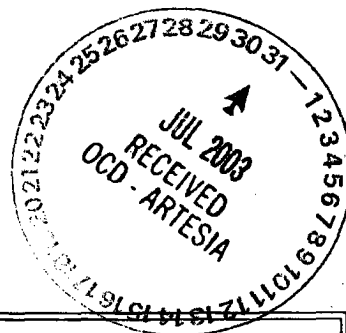
name: Brenda Coffman

Title: Regulatory Analyst

Date: 06/13/2003

Phone: (432)685-4373

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NMOCD Approval

Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

District: _____

Date: _____

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