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District II  
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210  
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
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1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

HOBBS OGD  
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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

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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)

A. Applicant OXY USA WTP LIMITED PARTNERSHIP,  
whose address is PO BOX 4294, HOUSTON, TX 77210,  
hereby requests an exception to Rule 19.15.18.12 for 120 <sup>90</sup> days or until  
JANUARY 7th  
February 4th, Yr 2017, for the following described tank battery (or LACT):

Name of Lease B HARDIN #1 Name of Pool HOBBS; ABO, NORTHWEST (97212)

Location of Battery: Unit Letter D Section 19 Township 18S Range 38E

Number of wells producing into battery 1 300-25-369.34

B. Based upon oil production of 280 barrels per day, the estimated \* volume  
of gas to be flared is 1050 MCF; Value \_\_\_\_\_ per day.

C. Name and location of nearest gas gathering facility:

DCP

D. Distance 1125' Estimated cost of connection: Repair estimate is \$40,000

E. This exception is requested for the following reasons: DCP is the only gatherer in the area. Their current  
line to our battery has failed and they have no timeframe on correcting the issue. We are evaluating a  
different formation and need to produce well to get actual rates and determine the decline.

**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

*Jennifer Hudgens*

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& Title Environmental Specialist

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**OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

Approved Until

1/7/2017

By

*Marys Brown*

Title

Dist Supervisor

Date

10/10/2016

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