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Form C-129  
Revised August 1, 2011  
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NFO Permit No. \_\_\_\_\_  
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## 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 ConocoPhillips Company,  
whose address is P. O. Box 2197 Houston, TX 77252,  
hereby requests an exception to Rule 19.15.18.12 for 90 days days or until  
December 16, Yr 2019, for the following described tank battery (or LACT):

Name of Lease VACUUM ABO 3 BATTERY Name of Pool \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Battery: Unit Letter \_\_\_\_\_ Section 34 Township 17S Range 35E

Number of wells producing into battery 21 WELLS

B. Based upon oil production of 450 barrels per day, the estimated \* volume  
of gas to be flared is 178 MCF/PD MCF; Value \_\_\_\_\_ per day.

C. Name and location of nearest gas gathering facility:  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

E. This exception is requested for the following reasons: This battery is connecting to a gathering line which  
services multiple operations. Flaring will occur intermittently because the gathering line does not have adequate capacity  
or the pressure from our well is not enough to overcome the high gathering line pressure. Our production is then  
sporadically curtailed by third party. Attached is a list of wells 25-02880

<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>Rhonda Rogers</u></p> <p>Printed Name &amp; Title <u>Rhonda Rogers, Regulatory Coordinator</u></p> <p>E-mail Address <u>rogerrs@conocophillips.com</u></p> <p>Date <u>9/18/2019</u> Telephone No. <u>832-486-2737</u></p>	<p><b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b></p> <p>Approved Until <u>12/16/2019</u></p> <p>By <u>[Signature]</u></p> <p>Title <u>Petroleum Engineer</u></p> <p>Date <u>10/04/19</u></p>
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\* Gas-Oil ratio test may be required to verify estimated gas volume.

**Vac Abo Unit Battery 3**

VA 04-05	30-025-02888
VA 06-57	30-025-02990
VA 06-67	30-025-08541
VA 06-69	30-025-08542
VA 06-70	30-025-08523
VA 06-76	30-025-20200
VA 06-80	30-025-20119
VA 06-86	30-025-30760
VA 08-10	30-025-03025
VA 08-12	30-025-20058
VA 10-06	30-025-03012
VA 11-07	30-025-02993
VA 13-02	30-025-03044
VA 13-03	30-025-03045
VA 13-05	30-025-03067
VA 13-10	30-025-03070
VA 13-11	30-025-03049
VA 13-16	30-025-03072
VA 13-21	30-025-37384
VA 13-24	30-025-37431
VA 14-02	30-025-03064
21 WELLS	