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APPLICATION FOR EXCEPTION TO NO-FLARE RULE 306

(See Rule 306 and Rule 1129)

A. Applicant ConocoPhillips Company,

whose address is 3300 N. "A" St., Bldg. 6 Midland, TX 79705,

hereby requests an exception to Rule 306 for 1 YEAR days or until

OCTOBER, Yr 2010, for the following described tank battery (or LACT):

Name of Lease Leamex Btty # 7 Name of Pool Leamex; Paddock

Location of Battery: Unit Letter N Section 22 Township 17S Range 33E

Number of wells producing into battery 3 30-025-24897; 30-025-26222

B. Based upon oil production of 82 barrels per day, the estimated * volume

of gas to be flared is 12 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: _____

Duke (DEFS) is not accepting gas from Battery #7, which consists of Leamex #21, Leamex #26, and

Devon State #2. This is due to the high CO2 content within the production stream, currently at 40%.

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 Jalyn N. Fiske

Printed Name _____

& Title Jalyn N. Fiske Regulatory Specialist

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Approved Until 10/05/10

By [Signature]

Title PETROLEUM ENGINEER

Date OCT 05 2009

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