BEFORE THE OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
CONDOR ENERGY TECHNOLOGY LLC FOR)
AN ORDER ESTABLISHING AN) Cause No.
EXPLORATORY 640-ACRE DRILLING AND)
SPACING UNIT AND ESTABLISHING WELL) Docket No.
LOCATION RULES FOR THE NIOBRARA)
FORMATION LOCATED IN SECTION 9,)
TOWNSHIP 6 NORTH, RANGE 60 WEST, 6 TH)
P.M., AN UNNAMED FIELD, MORGAN)
COUNTY, COLORADO)

APPLICATION

Condor Energy Technology LLC ("Applicant"), by and through its attorneys, Beatty & Wozniak, P.C., respectfully submits this Application to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado (the "Commission") for an order establishing one exploratory 640-acre drilling and spacing unit and authorizing one (1) horizontal well, with the option to drill three (3) additional horizontal wells, within the 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation underlying the below-described Application Lands. In support of its Application, Applicant states and alleges as follows:

- 1. Applicant is a limited liability company duly authorized to conduct business in the State of Colorado.
- 2. Applicant holds the right to operate on the following lands (hereafter the "Application Lands"):

Township 6 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M. Section 9: All

Morgan County, Colorado.

A reference map of the Application Lands is attached hereto.

- 3. The Application Lands are subject to Commission Rule 318.a. which provides that a well to be drilled in excess of two thousand five hundred (2,500) feet in depth shall be located not less than six hundred (600) feet from any lease line, and shall be located not less than one thousand two hundred (1,200) feet from any other producible or drilling oil or gas well when drilling to the same source of supply, unless authorized by order of the Commission upon hearing. There are no other specific Commission Orders applicable to the Niobrara Formation underlying the Application Lands.
- 4. To promote efficient drainage within the Niobrara Formation of the Application Lands, to protect correlative rights and to avoid waste, the Commission should establish one exploratory drilling and spacing unit of approximately 640-acres for the Application Lands.

- 5. That the above-proposed exploratory drilling and spacing unit will allow efficient drainage of the Niobrara Formation; will prevent waste; will not adversely affect correlative rights and will assure the greatest ultimate recovery of gas and associated hydrocarbon substances from the reservoirs. A drilling and spacing unit of the size and shape specified above is not smaller than the maximum area that can be economically and efficiently drained by the proposed wells in the drilling and spacing unit.
- 6. That the Applicant is requesting to drill and complete one horizontal well, with the option to drill three (3) additional horizontal wells, in the established 640-acre exploratory drilling and spacing unit comprised of the Application Lands.
- 7. The Applicant states that each proposed horizontal well shall be located on the surface anywhere within the drilling and spacing unit.
- 8. In accordance with Rule 318, Applicant will locate and drill the wells so that the treated interval of the horizontal wells is no closer than 600 feet from the boundaries of the units. Applicant requests that the 1,200 foot internal wellbore setback of Rule 318 be relaxed so that the treated interval of the horizontal wells may be separated by a minimum of 150 feet.
- 9. The Applicant is requesting up to four (4) well pads to be located within the proposed unit for production of oil, gas, and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation in the Application Lands.
- 10. The Applicant maintains that the proposed horizontal wells will have no adverse effect on correlative rights of adjacent owners.
- 11. That according to the information and belief of the Applicant, the names and addresses of the interested parties hereto are set forth in <u>Exhibit A</u>; and the undersigned certifies that copies of this Application will be served on each interested party within seven (7) days of the filing hereof, as required by Rule 503.e.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that this matter be set for hearing at the next available opportunity, that notice be given as required by law, and that upon such hearing this Commission enter its order:

- A. Establishing the Application Lands as an approximate 640-acre exploratory drilling unit for the Niobrara Formation, in which one horizontal well, with the option to drill three (3) additional horizontal wells, is authorized to efficiently drain gas and associated hydrocarbon resources, prevent waste, and protect correlative rights.
- B. Providing that the treated interval of the proposed horizontal wells shall be no closer than 600 feet from the boundaries of the unit and not less than 150 feet from the treated interval of another well within the unit and authorizing up to four (4) well pads to be located anywhere within the drilling and spacing unit.

- C. Finding that an approximate 640-acre exploratory drilling unit for the Niobrara Formation will prevent waste, protect correlative rights, and maximize the efficient and economic production of the Niobrara Formation on the Application Lands.
- D. For such other findings and orders as the Commission may deem proper or advisable in this matter.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that this matter be set for hearing in February 2013, that notice be given as required by law, and that upon such hearing, the Commission enter its order consistent with Applicant's request as set forth above.

DATED this day of December, 2012.

Respectfully submitted:

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VERIFICATION

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	dent, with Condor Energy Technology LLC, upon oath pregoing Application and that the statements contained a, information and belief.
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	ame: Clark Moore le: Executive Vice President
Subscribed and sworn to before me for Condor Energy Tech	e this $\underline{\hspace{1.5cm}/\hspace{1.5cm}3}$ day of December, 2012, by Clark Moore mology LLC,
Witness my hand and official seal.	
My commission expires: May 26, LC	716
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AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING		
STATE OF COLORADO)		
)ss. CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER)		
Jamie L. Jost of lawful age, and being first duly sworn upon her oath, states and declares:		
That she is the attorney for Condor Energy Technology LLC, that on or before December, 2012, she caused a copy of the attached Application to be deposited in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the parties listed on Exhibit A to the Application. Jamie L. Jost		
Subscribed and sworn to before me on December <u>/3</u> , 2012.		
Witness my hand and official seal.		
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