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

IN THE MATTER OF THE AMENDED)
APPLICATION OF EXTRACTION OIL & GAS,)
LLC FOR AN ORDER (1) VACATING A)
PORTION OF ORDER NO. 535-2 AND (2)	Cause No. 535
MODIFYING ORDER NO. 535-599 TO INCLUDE)
THE NIOBRARA FORMATION, ALLOW FOR	Docket No. 150900543
ADDITIONAL WELLS IN AN EXISTING 1,280-)
ACRE DRILLING AND SPACING UNIT AND	Type: SPACING AND
ESTABLISH WELL LOCATION RULES) INCREASED DENSITY
APPLICABLE TO THE DRILLING AND)
PRODUCING OF WELLS FROM THE CODELL)
AND NIOBRARA FORMATIONS COVERING	,)
LANDS IN SECTIONS 7 AND 18, TOWNSHIP 10))
NORTH, RANGE 66 WEST, 6TH P.M., WELD	,)
COUNTY, COLORADO.)

AMENDED APPLICATION

Extraction Oil & Gas, LLC, Operator No. 10459 ("Applicant" or "Extraction"), by and through its attorneys, Welborn Sullivan Meck & Tooley, P.C., respectfully submits this **Amended** Application to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado ("Commission") for an order (1) vacating Order No. 535-2 only as it pertains to the Application Lands, and (2) modifying Order No. 535-599 to include the Niobrara Formation, approve additional wells and modified setbacks in an existing 1,280-acre drilling and spacing unit described in this Application applicable to the drilling of wells and producing of oil, gas, and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell and Niobrara Formations covering certain lands in Weld County, Colorado. In support of its Application, Applicant states as follows:

1. Applicant owns leasehold interests in the following lands ("Application Lands"):

Township 10 North, Range 66 West, 6th P.M.

Section 7: All Section 18: All

A reference map of the Application Lands is attached hereto.

2. On August 12, 2010, the Commission entered Order No. 535-2, which established 145 approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing units and approved one horizontal well within each unit for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell and Niobrara Formations. The Application Lands are subject to this Order for the Niobrara Formation.

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- 3. On December 15, 2014, the Commission entered Order No. 535-599, which vacated two approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing units established by Order No. 535-2 for Sections 7 and 18, Township 10 North, Range 66 West, 6th P.M., established an approximate 1,280-acre drilling and spacing unit for the Application Lands, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation, and approved up to four (4) horizontal wells within the unit.
 - 4. The Codell and Niobrara Formations underlie the Application Lands.
- 5. To promote efficient drainage of the Codell and Niobrara Formations within the Application Lands and to avoid waste, the Commission should: (1) vacate Order No. 535-2 as it pertains to the Application Lands; and (2) modify Order No. 535-599 to include the Niobrara Formation and allow for a total of up to eight (8) wells within the 1,280-acre drilling and spacing unit covering the Application Lands in order to efficiently and economically recover oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell and Niobrara Formations.
- 6. Applicant requests the surface location for each proposed horizontal well be located at a legal location in the above-described drilling and spacing unit or on adjacent lands. Applicant further requests that the 600 foot distance between the productive interval of each wellbore and the unit boundaries established in Order No. 535-599 be amended and that the productive interval of each wellbore be no closer than 600 feet from the east and west unit boundaries and no closer than 300 feet from the north and south unit boundaries.
- 7. Applicant requests authority to drill only those wells necessary to determine the well density which allows the most efficient drainage of the Codell and Niobrara Formations, prevents waste, does not adversely affect correlative rights, and assures the greatest ultimate recovery of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbon substances from the Codell and Niobrara Formations. The drilling and spacing unit is not smaller than the maximum area that can be economically and efficiently drained by the proposed wells in such drilling and spacing unit. Applicant further maintains that wells drilled in the drilling and spacing unit will have no adverse effect on correlative rights of adjacent owners.
- 8. The names and addresses of the interested parties according to the information and belief of the Applicant are set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof, and the undersigned certifies that copies of the **Amended** Application shall be served on each interested party as required by Rule 503.e., 507.b.1, and 507.b.5.

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

Dated this 16th day of July, 2015, amended August 5, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

WELBORN SULLIVAN MECK & TOOLEY, P.C.

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VERIFICATION

STATE OF COLORADO)
) ss
CITY & COUNTY OF DENVER)

Drew Stout, Land Tech with Extraction Oil & Gas, LLC, upon oath deposes and says that he has read the foregoing **AMENDED** Application and that the statements contained therein are true to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

EXTRACTION OIL & GAS, LLC

Drew Stout, Land Tech

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ______ day of August, 2015, by Drew Stout, Land Tech for Extraction Oil & Gas, LLC.

Witness my hand and official seal.

TARA PETERS
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF COLORADO
NOTARY ID 20114039482
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JUNE 28, 2019

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

EXHIBIT A

INTERESTED PARTIES

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10N6StV Hwy 85 Reference Map - Secs. 7 and 18, T10N, R66W, 6th P.M. 1" = 2500 Feet e4 -

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STATE OF COLORADO 888 CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER

I, Joseph C. Pierzchala, of lawful age, and being first duly sworn upon my oath, state and declare:

That I am the attorney for Extraction Oil & Gas, LLC and that on or before 7 August, 2015. I caused a copy of the attached **AMENDED** Application to be deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the parties on the Exhibit A to the Application.

Joseph C. Pierzchala

Subscribed and sworn to before me August 11 , 2015

Witness my hand and official seal.

MELISSA A. MORMAN **NOTARY PUBLIC** STATE OF COLORADO NOTARY ID 19894012434 MY COMMISSION EXPIRES AUGUST 29, 2017

My commission expires: 8/24/3017