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State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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Plugging Bond Surety

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO:

1. ☒ Drill, ☐ Deepen, ☐ Re-enter, ☐ Recomplete and Operate

2. TYPE OF WELL

OIL ☐ GAS ☒ COALBED ☐ OTHER _____
SINGLE ZONE ☒ MULTIPLE ZONE ☐ COMMINGLE ZONE ☐

Refilling ☒

Sidetrack ☐

3. Name of Operator: PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

4. COGCC Operator Number: 69175

5. Address: 1775 SHERMAN STREET - SUITE 3000

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80203

6. Contact Name: Tyson Johnston Phone: (303)860-5809 Fax: (303)860-5838

Email: tjohnston@petd.com

7. Well Name: Keeler Well Number: 44-26

8. Unit Name (if appl): _____ Unit Number: _____

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 2350

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: SESE Sec: 26 Twp: 1N Rng: 45W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.018955 Longitude: -102.362431

Footage at Surface: 560 FNL/FSL FSL 660 FEL/FWL FEL

11. Field Name: Republican Field Number: 73275

12. Ground Elevation: 3752 13. County: YUMA

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 10/14/2009 PDOP Reading: 2.9 Instrument Operator's Name: S. DeManche

15. If well is ☐ Directional ☐ Horizontal (highly deviated) **submit deviated drilling plan.**

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL _____ FEL/FWL _____ Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL _____ FEL/FWL _____

Sec: _____ Twp: _____ Rng: _____ Sec: _____ Twp: _____ Rng: _____

16. Is location in a high density area? (Rule 603b)? ☐ Yes ☒ No

17. Distance to the nearest building, public road, above ground utility or railroad: 2650 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 560 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation: 1280 ft

20. LEASE, SPACING AND POOLING INFORMATION

Objective Formation(s)	Formation Code	Spacing Order Number(s)	Unit Acreage Assigned to Well	Unit Configuration (N/2, SE/4, etc.)
Niobrara	NBRR	318-8	640	All

21. Mineral Ownership: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian Lease #: _____

22. Surface Ownership: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian

23. Is the Surface Owner also the Mineral Owner? ☐ Yes ☒ No Surface Surety ID#: 19990086

23a. If 23 is Yes: Is the Surface Owner(s) signature on the lease? ☐ Yes ☒ No

23b. If 23 is No ☐ Surface Owners Agreement Attached or ☒ \$25,000 Blanket Surface Bon ☐ \$2,000 Surface Bond ☐ \$5,000 Surface Bond

24. Using standard QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng format enter entire mineral lease description upon which this proposed wellsite is located (attach separate sheet/map if you prefer):
All of Sec 26, T1N, R45W, 6th P.M. (Acreage Pooled)

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 560 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 640

DRILLING PLANS AND PROCEDURES

27. Is H2S anticipated? ☐ Yes ☒ No If Yes, attach contingency plan.

28. Will salt sections be encountered during drilling? ☐ Yes ☒ No

29. Will salt (>15,000 ppm TDS CL) or oil based muds be used during drilling? ☐ Yes ☒ No

30. If questions 27 or 28 are yes, is this location in a sensitive area (Rule 903)? ☐ Yes ☒ No If 28, 29, or 30 are "Yes" a pit permit may be required.

31. Mud disposal: ☐ Offsite ☒ Onsite

Method: ☒ Land Farming ☐ Land Spreading ☐ Disposal Facility Other: _____

Note: The use of an earthen pit for Recompletion fluids requires a pit permit (Rule 905b). If air/gas drilling, notify local fire officials.

Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Weight Per Foot	Setting Depth	Sacks Cement	Cement Bottom	Cement Top
SURF	9+5/8	7+0/0	17	300	150	300	1,350
1ST	6+1/4	4+1/2	10.5	2,350	150	2,350	1,350

32. BOP Equipment Type: ☒ Annular Preventer ☐ Double Ram ☐ Rotating Head ☐ None

33. Comments Section 26: All is pooled by Declaration of Pooling dated 8/16/1991 recorded at Book 694 Page 437 in Yuma County, CO. Conductor Casing will not be used Permit is a refile of Permit expiring 5/7/09

34. Location ID: 336938

35. Is this application in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan ? ☐ Yes ☐ No

36. Is this application part of submitted Oil and Gas Location Assessment ? ☒ Yes ☐ No

I hereby certify all statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct, and complete.

Signed: _____ Print Name: Tyson Johnston

Title: Landman Date: 1/6/2010 Email: tjohnston@petd.com

Based on the information provided herein, this Application for Permit-to-Drill complies with COGCC Rules and applicable orders and is hereby approved.

COGCC Approved: David S. Neslin Director of COGCC Date: 2/20/2010

API NUMBER

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Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: 2/19/2011

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

All representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in the Form 2A for this location shall constitute representations, stipulations and conditions of approval for this Form 2 Permit-to-Drill and are enforceable to the same extent as all other representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in this Permit-to-Drill.

1) Provide 24 hr notice of spud to Colby Horton at 970-867-2517 or e-mail at colby.horton@state.co.us. 2) Set surface casing at least 50' into Pierre Shale for aquifer coverage, (300' minimum - as proposed). Setting surface casing less than the approved depth is a permit violation unless prior written approval is obtained from the COGCC. 3) If completed, provide cement coverage from TD to a minimum of 200' above Niobrara. Verify coverage with cement bond log. 4) If dry hole, set 35 sks cement 50' above Niobrara top, 35 sks cement ½ out, ½ in surface casing, 10 sks cement at top of surface casing, cut casing 4' below GL, weld on plate, 5 sks cement in rat hole & 5 sks cement in mouse hole.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name	Doc Description
2098998	SURFACE CASING CHECK	LF@2241758 2098998
400022364	APD APPROVED	400022364.pdf
400022416	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER	LF@2213876 400022416
400022417	PLAT	LF@2213877 400022417
400026725	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY	LF@2213878 400026725
400026729	FORM 2 SUBMITTED	LF@2213879 400026729

Total Attach: 6 Files