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State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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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: PO BOX 26

City: BRIDGEPORT State: WV Zip: 26330

6. Contact Name: CARRIE EGGLESTON Phone: (303)860-5800 Fax: (303)860-5838

Email: CEGGLESTON@PETD.COM

7. Well Name: WELLS RANCH Well Number: 43-12

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

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 6600

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: NESE Sec: 12 Twp: 5N Rng: 63W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.412080 Longitude: -104.377860

Footage at Surface: 1980 FNL/FSL FSL 656 FEL/FWL FEL

11. Field Name: WATTENBERG Field Number: 90750

12. Ground Elevation: 4624 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 11/18/2008 PDOP Reading: 6.0 Instrument Operator's Name: THOMAS G. CARLSON PLS 24657

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: 2090 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 1980 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation: 1220 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.)
CODELL	CODL	407-87	80	E2SE4
NIOBRARA	NBRR	407-87	80	E2SE4

21. Mineral Ownership: ☐ Fee ☐ State ☒ Federal ☐ Indian Lease #: COC72477

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

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

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):
SE, SEC. 12 T5N, R63W, 6TH PM

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 656 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 160

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	12+1/4	8+5/8	24	500	350	500	0
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	10.5	6,600	200	6,600	500

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

33. Comments NO CONDUCTOR CASING WILL BE USED. (PER PHONE WITH C. EGGLESTON)

34. Location ID: _____

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: JAMES R. SCHAFF

Title: VICE PRESIDENT LAND Date: 7/27/2009 Email: JSCHAFF@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. Nashin Director of COGCC Date: 10/20/2009

API NUMBER

05 123 30707 00

Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: 10/19/2011

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 Ed Binkley at 970-506-9834 or e-mail at ed.binkley@state.co.us . 2) Set surface casing 500' minimum, per Rule 317d, cement to surface. 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, 40 sks cement 50' above Niobrara top, 50 sks cement ½ out, ½ in surface casing, 10 sks cement top of surface casing, cut 4' below GL, weld on plate, 5 sks cement in rat hole 5 sks cement in mouse hole. Restore surface location.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name	Doc Description
1302953	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY	LF@2110565 1302953
1758000	WELL LOCATION PLAT	LF@2110507 1758000
1758002	TOPO MAP	LF@2110562 1758002
1758003	MINERAL LEASE MAP	LF@2110561 1758003
1758004	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY	LF@2110508 1758004
1758005	ACCESS ROAD MAP	LF@2110563 1758005
1758006	FED. DRILLING PERMIT	LF@2110509 1758006
400012552	APD ORIGINAL	LF@2110506 400012552

Total Attach: 8 Files