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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

Refiling
Sidetrack

3. Name of Operator: NOBLE ENERGY INC 4. COGCC Operator Number: 100322

5. Address: 1625 BROADWAY STE 2200
City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

6. Contact Name: KATE MILLER Phone: (303)228-4449 Fax: (303)228-4280
Email: kmiller@nobleenergyinc.com

7. Well Name: STROHAUER F Well Number: 32-23

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

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 7679

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: SWSE Sec: 32 Twp: 5N Rng: 65W Meridian: 6
Latitude: 40.351960 Longitude: -104.682850

Footage at Surface: _____ FNL/FSL _____ FEL/FWL _____
1269 FSL 1392 FEL

11. Field Name: WATTENBERG Field Number: 90750

12. Ground Elevation: 4668 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 11/12/2009 PDOP Reading: 2.2 Instrument Operator's Name: DAVID C. HOLMES

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: 809 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 97 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation: 806 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	160	SE/4
JSAND	JSND	232	160	SE/4
NIOBRARA	NBRR	407-87	160	SE/4

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#: _____

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):
Section 32-T5N-R65W: SE/4

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 1247 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: CLOSED LOOP SYSTEM

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	525	226	525	0
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.6	7,679	721	7,679	

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

33. Comments NO CONDUCTOR CASING WILL BE USED. TOC=200' ABOVE THE NIOBRARA. LOCATION IS LESS THAN 150 FEET FROM PROPERTY LINE; CDPHE AND SURFACE OWNER WAIVER ATTACHED.

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: KATE MILLER

Title: REGULATORY ANALYST Date: 3/4/2010 Email: kmiller@nobleenergyinc.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: 4/1/2010

API NUMBER
05 123 31344 00

Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: 3/30/2012

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 hour notice of MIRU to Bo Brown at 970-330-6085 or e-mail at bobrown@state.co.us 2) Comply with Rule 317.i and provide cement coverage from TD to a minimum of 200' above Niobrara and from 200' below Sussex to 200' above Sussex. Verify coverage with cement bond log.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name	Doc Description
2109713	SURFACE CASING CHECK	LF@2437884 2109713
400044790	PLAT	LF@2431249 400044790
400044792	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER	LF@2431250 400044792
400044794	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST	LF@2431251 400044794
400044795	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS	LF@2431252 400044795
400044797	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY	LF@2431253 400044797
400044799	FORM 2 SUBMITTED	LF@2431254 400044799

Total Attach: 7 Files