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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

Document Number:
400038377
Plugging Bond Surety
20030009

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: 32-24

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

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 7252

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: SWSE Sec: 32 Twp: 5N Rng: 65W Meridian: 6
Latitude: 40.352110 Longitude: -104.686750

Footage at Surface: 1320 FNL/FSL FSL 2480 FEL/FWL FEL

11. Field Name: WATTENBERG Field Number: 90750

12. Ground Elevation: 4669 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 11/12/2009 PDOP Reading: 3.2 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: 486 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 161 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation: 788 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	GWA
NIOBRARA	NBRR	407-87	160	GWA

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: 161 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	7,252	658	7,252	

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

33. Comments **NO CONDUCTOR CASING WILL BE USED. TOC=200' ABOVE THE NIOBRARA. PROPOSED SPACING UNIT IS THE W/2SE4, E/2SW4. Location is outside the drilling window and more than 50' from an existing well; exception granted.**

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: 3/26/2010 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. Nashin Director of COGCC Date: 5/4/2010

API NUMBER
05 123 31530 00

Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: 5/3/2012

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) Set at least 770' of surface casing per Rule 317A, cement to surface. 3) 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
2110243	SURFACE CASING CHECK	LF@2451460 2110243
400049774	PROPOSED SPACING UNIT	LF@2445000 400049774
400049777	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS	LF@2445001 400049777
400049781	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST	LF@2445002 400049781
400049782	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY	LF@2445003 400049782
400049784	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER	LF@2445004 400049784
400049785	WELL LOCATION PLAT	LF@2445005 400049785
400050512	FORM 2 SUBMITTED	LF@2445006 400050512

Total Attach: 8 Files