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Land Department

June 11, 2010

JBS Five Rivers Cattle Feeding, LLC.
1770 Promontory Circle
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RE: **Surface Exception Location Consent**
Directional Drilling Waiver
Well Set-Back (Twinning) Exception Consent
FIVE RIVERS BB30-18
Township 5 North, Range 63 West, 6th P.M.
Section 30: NE/4NW/4
Weld County, CO

Dear Mr. Thoren:

Noble Energy, Inc. ("Noble") plans to drill the FIVE RIVERS BB30-18 well (the "Well") at the referenced location which is more specifically described as 1,275 feet FNL, and 2,479 feet FWL which is outside the drilling window prescribed in Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC") Rule 318A.a.(1).

By signing this letter you hereby grant your consent to Noble to locate the Well outside of a GWA window as defined in COGCC Rule 318A.a and waive the directional drilling requirement under Rule 318A.e. Additionally, the Well is being proposed at a surface location approximately 785 feet from an existing surface well location. By signing this letter you also grant your consent to Noble to locate the Well more than 50 feet from the existing well as provided for under COGCC Rule 318A.c.(2).

We would like to thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions do not hesitate to call me at (970) 785-5000.

NOBLE ENERGY, INC.

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Mike Rodine

JBS Five Rivers Cattle Feeding, LLC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mike Thoren'.

Mike Thoren, Chief Executive Officer

Date: 6-18-2010