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Land Department

September 7, 2010

Robert G. Feit  
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RE: **Surface Exception Location Consent**  
**Directional Drilling Waiver**  
**Well Set-Back (Twinning) Exception Consent**  
FEIT E23-97HZ  
Township 6 North, Range 65 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.  
Section 23: SE/4SE/4  
Weld County, CO

Dear Mr. Feit:

Noble Energy, Inc. ("Noble") plans to drill the FEIT E23-97HZ well (the "Well") at the referenced location which is more specifically described as 1,286 feet FSL, and 250 feet FEL 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 743 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.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'B. DeRose'.

Brian DeRose  
Field Land Negotiator

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Robert G. Feit'.

Robert G. Feit

Date: 9/7/10