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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO:			Document Number: <div style="text-align: center;">400126979</div> Plugging Bond Surety <div style="text-align: center;">20030009</div>				
1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drill, <input type="checkbox"/> Deepen, <input type="checkbox"/> Re-enter, <input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete and Operate							
2. TYPE OF WELL OIL <input type="checkbox"/> GAS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COALBED <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER _____ SINGLE ZONE <input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE ZONE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMINGLE ZONE <input type="checkbox"/>		Refiling <input type="checkbox"/> Sidetrack <input type="checkbox"/>					
3. Name of Operator: <u>NOBLE ENERGY INC</u>		4. COGCC Operator Number: <u>100322</u>					
5. Address: <u>1625 BROADWAY STE 2200</u> City: <u>DENVER</u> State: <u>CO</u> Zip: <u>80202</u>							
6. Contact Name: <u>JAN KAJIWARA</u> Phone: <u>(303)228-4092</u> Fax: <u>(303)228-4286</u> Email: <u>jkajiwar@nobleenergyinc.com</u>							
7. Well Name: <u>GUTTERSEN D</u>		Well Number: <u>23-20</u>					
8. Unit Name (if appl): _____		Unit Number: _____					
9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: <u>7200</u>							
WELL LOCATION INFORMATION							
10. QtrQtr: <u>SWNW</u> Sec: <u>23</u> Twp: <u>3N</u> Rng: <u>64W</u> Meridian: <u>6</u> Latitude: <u>40.211310</u> Longitude: <u>-104.523200</u>							
Footage at Surface: <u>2475</u> feet FNL/FSL <u>FNL</u> <u>1320</u> feet FEL/FWL <u>FWL</u>							
11. Field Name: <u>WATTENBERG</u>		Field Number: <u>90750</u>					
12. Ground Elevation: <u>4846</u>		13. County: <u>WELD</u>					
14. GPS Data: Date of Measurement: <u>12/08/2010</u> PDOP Reading: <u>2.2</u> Instrument Operator's Name: <u>DAVID C HOLMES</u>							
15. If well is <input type="checkbox"/> Directional <input type="checkbox"/> 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)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No							
17. Distance to the nearest building, public road, above ground utility or railroad: <u>5280</u> ft							
18. Distance to nearest property line: <u>1320</u> ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation: <u>801</u> 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	160	GWA			
NIOBRARA	NBRR	407	160	GWA			

IMPORTANT: SOME DATA FIELDS HAVE BEEN MODIFIED.

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#: 20030012

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):
SEE ATTACHED LEASE DESCRIPTION

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 1320 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 5635

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 28 or 29 are yes, is this location in a sensitive area (Rule 901.e)? ☐ Yes ☒ No

31. Mud disposal: ☒ Offsite ☐ Onsite

Method: ☒ Land Farming ☐ Land Spreading ☐ Disposal Facility Other: CLOSED LOOP

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	Wt/Ft	Csg/Liner Top	Setting Depth	Sacks Cmt	Cmt Btm	Cmt Top
SURF	12+1/4	8+5/8	24	0	650	212	650	0
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.6	0	7,200	650	7,200	

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

33. Comments NO CONDUCTOR CASING WILL BE USED. 1ST STRING TOP OF CEMENT = 200' ABOVE NIOBRARA. THE PROPOSED SPACING UNIT IS S/2NW, N/2SW. Noble requests approval of a Rule 318Aa and Rule 318Ac exception location: Wellhead is to be located outside of a GWA drilling window and will be located more than 50' from an existing well location. 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: JAN KAJIWARA

Title: REGULATORY ANALYST Date: 2/14/2011 Email: jkajiwara@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: 3/11/2011

API NUMBER

05 123 33128 00

Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: 3/10/2013

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.

Operator must meet water well testing requirements as per amended rule 318A.

- 1) Provide 24 hour notice of MIRU to Bo Brown at 970-330-6085 or email at bo.brown@state.co.us.
- 2) Set surface casing per Rule 317d, with 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 and from 200' below Sussex to 200' above Sussex. Verify coverage with cement bond log.
- 4) If dry hole, 40 sks cement 50' above Dakota top, set 60 sks cement from 50' below D Sand base to 100' above D Sand top, 40 sks cement 50' above Niobrara top, 40 sks cement 50' above Sussex 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
1726393	SURFACE CASING CHECK
2530217	LEGAL/LEASE DESCRIPTION
400126979	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
400127153	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER
400127154	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400133073	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST
400133076	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS
400133077	PROPOSED SPACING UNIT

Total Attach: 8 Files

General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
Permit	ON HOLD Waiting for a better lease description.	2/16/2011 8:00:52 AM
Permit	Opr corrected and resubmitted. sf	2/15/2011 1:32:07 PM
Permit	Back to draft for surface and mineral information. sf	2/15/2011 10:39:03 AM

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