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| <b>FORM<br/>2A</b><br><br>Rev<br>04/01 | State of Colorado<br><b>Oil and Gas Conservation Commission</b><br>1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80205 Phone: (303) 894-2100 Fax: (303) 894-2109 |  | <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 25%;">DE</td> <td style="width: 25%;">ET</td> <td style="width: 25%;">OE</td> <td style="width: 25%;">ES</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="4" style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">                     Document Number:<br/>                     400095394                 </td> </tr> </table> | DE | ET | OE | ES | Document Number:<br>400095394 |  |  |  |
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**Oil and Gas Location Assessment**

New Location     
  Amend Existing Location     
 Location#: \_\_\_\_\_

Submit original plus one copy. This form is to be submitted to the COGCC prior to any ground disturbance activity associated with oil and gas development operations. This Assessment may be approved as a standalone application or submitted as an informational report accompanying an Application for Permit-To-Drill, Form 2. Approval of this Assessment will allow for the construction of the below specified location; however, it does not supersede any land use rules applied by the local land use authority. This form may serve as notice to land owners and other interested parties, please see the COGCC web site at <http://colorado.gov/cogcc/> for all accompanying information pertinent to this Oil and Gas Location Assessment.

Location ID:  
**420119**  
  
 Expiration Date:  
**10/27/2013**

This location assessment is included as part of a permit application.

**1. CONSULTATION**

- This location is included in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan. CDP # \_\_\_\_\_
- This location is in a sensitive wildlife habitat area.
- This location is in a wildlife restricted surface occupancy area.
- This location includes a Rule 306.d.(1)A.ii. variance request.

**2. Operator**

Operator Number: 10334  
 Name: SLAWSON EXPLORATION COMPANY INC  
 Address: 1675 BROADWAY - SUITE 1600  
 City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

**3. Contact Information**

Name: Venessa Langmacher  
 Phone: (303) 857-9999  
 Fax: (303) 450-9200  
 email: vllpermitco@aol.com

**4. Location Identification:**

Name: Whipsaw Number: 18-11-66  
 County: WELD  
 QuarterQuarter: SE SE Section: 18 Township: 11N Range: 66W Meridian: 6 Ground Elevation: 5749  
 Define a single point as a location reference for the facility location. This point should be used as the point of measurement in the drawings to be submitted with this application. When the location is to be used as a well site then the point shall be a well location.  
 Footage at surface: 605 feet FSL, from North or South section line, and 605 feet FEL, from East or West section line.  
 Latitude: 40.915560 Longitude: -104.812630 PDOP Reading: 2.7 Date of Measurement: 05/05/2010  
 Instrument Operator's Name: Nick Roadifer

**5. Facilities (Indicate the number of each type of oil and gas facility planned on location):**

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| Special Purpose Pits: <input type="text" value="1"/> | Drilling Pits: <input type="text" value="1"/> | Wells: <input type="text" value="1"/>      | Production Pits: <input type="text"/>      | Dehydrator Units: <input type="text"/> |
| Condensate Tanks: <input type="text"/>               | Water Tanks: <input type="text" value="1"/>   | Separators: <input type="text" value="1"/> | Electric Motors: <input type="text"/>      | Multi-Well Pits: <input type="text"/>  |
| Gas or Diesel Motors: <input type="text" value="1"/> | Cavity Pumps: <input type="text"/>            | LACT Unit: <input type="text"/>            | Pump Jacks: <input type="text" value="1"/> | Pigging Station: <input type="text"/>  |
| Electric Generators: <input type="text" value="1"/>  | Gas Pipeline: <input type="text" value="1"/>  | Oil Pipeline: <input type="text"/>         | Water Pipeline: <input type="text"/>       | Flare: <input type="text" value="1"/>  |
| Gas Compressors: <input type="text"/>                | VOC Combustor: <input type="text"/>           | Oil Tanks: <input type="text" value="1"/>  | Fuel Tanks: <input type="text"/>           |  |

Other: Special Purpose Pit is a flare pit.

6. Construction:

Date planned to commence construction: 11/15/2010 Size of disturbed area during construction in acres: 6.05  
Estimated date that interim reclamation will begin: 01/15/2011 Size of location after interim reclamation in acres: 2.00  
Estimated post-construction ground elevation: 5746 Will a closed loop system be used for drilling fluids: Yes   
Will salt sections be encountered during drilling: Yes  No  Is H2S anticipated? Yes  No   
Will salt (>15,000 ppm TDS Cl) or oil based muds be used: Yes  No   
Mud disposal: Offsite  Onsite  Method: Land Farming  Land Spreading  Disposal Facility   
Other: Evaporation and Burial

7. Surface Owner:

Name: Lazy D Grazing Assn. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: 67889 HWY 85 Fax: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: Carr State: CO Zip: 80612 Date of Rule 306 surface owner consultation: 09/02/2010  
Surface Owner:  Fee  State  Federal  Indian  
Mineral Owner:  Fee  State  Federal  Indian  
The surface owner is:  the mineral owner  committed to an oil and gas lease  
 is the executer of the oil and gas lease  the applicant  
The right to construct the location is granted by:  oil and gas lease  Surface Use Agreement  Right of Way  
 applicant is owner  
Surface damage assurance if no agreement is in place:  \$2000  \$5000  Blanket Surety ID \_\_\_\_\_

8. Reclamation Financial Assurance:

Well Surety ID: 20100082  Gas Facility Surety ID: \_\_\_\_\_  Waste Mgnt. Surety ID: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Cultural:

Is the location in a high density area (Rule 603.b.): Yes  No   
Distance, in feet, to nearest building: 3106, public road: 2674, above ground utilit: 544  
, railroad: 5280, property line: 605

10. Current Land Use (Check all that apply):

Crop Land:  Irrigated  Dry land  Improved Pasture  Hay Meadow  CRP  
Non-Crop Land:  Rangeland  Timber  Recreational  Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_  
Subdivided:  Industrial  Commercial  Residential

11. Future Land Use (Check all that apply):

Crop Land:  Irrigated  Dry land  Improved Pasture  Hay Meadow  CRP  
Non-Crop Land:  Rangeland  Timber  Recreational  Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_  
Subdivided:  Industrial  Commercial  Residential

12. Soils:

List all soil map units that occur within the proposed location. Attach the National Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) report showing the "Map Unit Description" report listing the soil typical vertical profile. This data is to used when segregating topsoil.

**IMPORTANT: SOME DATA FIELDS HAVE BEEN MODIFIED.**

The required information can be obtained from the NRCS web site at <http://soildatamart.nrcs.usda.gov/> or from the COGCC web site GIS Online map page found at <http://colorado.gov/cogcc>. Instructions are provided within the COGCC web site help section.

NRCS Map Unit Name: 51, Peetz gravelly sandy loam, 5 to 20 percent slopes

NRCS Map Unit Name: \_\_\_\_\_

NRCS Map Unit Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**13. Plant Community:**

Complete this section only if any portion of the disturbed area of the location's current land use is on non-crop land.

Are noxious weeds present: Yes  No

Plant species from:  NRCS or,  field observation Date of observation: \_\_\_\_\_

List individual species: \_\_\_\_\_

Check all plant communities that exist in the disturbed area.

- Disturbed Grassland (Cactus, Yucca, Cheatgrass, Rye)
- Native Grassland (Bluestem, Grama, Wheatgrass, Buffalograss, Fescue, Oatgrass, Brome)
- Shrub Land (Mahogany, Oak, Sage, Serviceberry, Chokecherry)
- Plains Riparian (Cottonwood, Willow, Aspen, Maple, Poplar, Russian Olive, Tamarisk)
- Mountain Riparian (Cottonwood, Willow, Blue Spruce)
- Forest Land (Spruce, Fir, Ponderosa Pine, Lodgepole Pine, Juniper, Pinyon, Aspen)
- Wetlands Aquatic (Bullrush, Sedge, Cattail, Arrowhead)
- Alpine (above timberline)
- Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_

**14. Water Resources:**

Rule 901.e. may require a sensitive area determination be performed. If this determination is performed the data is to be submitted with the Form 2A.

Is this a sensitive area:  No  Yes Was a Rule 901.e. Sensitive Areas Determination performed:  No  Yes

Distance (in feet) to nearest surface water: 5013, water well: 2865, depth to ground water: 110

Is the location in a riparian area:  No  Yes Was an Army Corps of Engineers Section 404 permit filed  No  Yes

Is the location within a Rule 317B Surface Water Suppl Area buffer zone:

No  0-300 ft. zone  301-500 ft. zone  501-2640 ft. zone

If the location is within a Rule 317B Surface Water Supply Area buffer have all public water supply systems within 15 miles been notified:  No  Yes

**15. Comments:**

The distance to the nearest railroad is greater than one mile from this location.

I hereby certify that the statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct and complete.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 09/30/2010 Email: vllpermitco@aol.com

Print Name: Venessa Langmacher Title: Regulatory Supervisor

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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: 10/28/2010

**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:**

**All representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in this Form 2A for this location shall constitute representations, stipulations and conditions of approval for any and all subsequent operations on the location unless this Form 2A is modified by Sundry Notice, Form 4 or an Amended Form 2A.**

**Attachment Check List**

| Att Doc Num | Name                    |
|-------------|-------------------------|
| 2613296     | REFERENCE AREA PICTURES |
| 2613316     | CORRESPONDENCE          |
| 400095394   | FORM 2A APPROVED        |
| 400096410   | NRCS MAP UNIT DESC      |
| 400096411   | LOCATION DRAWING        |
| 400096412   | HYDROLOGY MAP           |
| 400096414   | ACCESS ROAD MAP         |
| 400096415   | REFERENCE AREA MAP      |
| 400096416   | CONST. LAYOUT DRAWINGS  |
| 400096417   | CONST. LAYOUT DRAWINGS  |
| 400096418   | LOCATION PICTURES       |
| 400096419   | OTHER                   |
| 400096420   | WELL LOCATION PLAT      |
| 400097181   | OTHER                   |
| 400097183   | OTHER                   |
| 400104527   | FORM 2A SUBMITTED       |

Total Attach: 16 Files

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**General Comments**

| <b><u>User Group</u></b> | <b><u>Comment</u></b>  | <b><u>Comment Date</u></b> |
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| Permit                   | Per Tim Kelly, surface restoration bond on file with State Land Board. PVG   | 10/26/2010<br>3:36:53 PM   |
| Permit                   | ON HOLD. Waiting on confirmation that surface restoration bond is on file with State Land Board. PVG   | 10/14/2010<br>5:54:56 AM   |
| OGLA                     | Attached Reference Area Pictures supplied by operator. Added Flare Pit to Facilities list per operator communication. Ready to Pass 10/25/2010.  | 10/7/2010<br>12:33:28 PM   |
| Permit                   | FEE SURFACE: SEE 2 "other" attachments and this email note: From: greg.tracy@westernls.com<br>To: pmorris@slawsoncompanies.com, VLLPermitco@aol.com<br>Sent: 10/4/2010 9:38:04 A.M. Mountain Daylight Time<br>Subj: RE: FORM 2/2A 400095391 / 400095394 for Whipsaw 18-11-66 sese 18 11N66W<br>The surface is Lazy D. It was part of the land swap with the State late last year. Please see Exhibit B of the PDF. Also I verified on the Weld County assessors website.<br>Greg Tracy, Project Manager, Western Land Services, 307.461.1472 | 10/4/2010<br>11:56:32 AM   |
| Permit                   | DRAFT: emailed operator regarding incorrect info in section iV-2- should be state/state  | 10/1/2010<br>4:03:32 PM    |

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