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State of Colorado  
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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PluggingBond SuretyID 20030110			

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO:

1. ☒ Drill, ☐ Deepen, ☐ Re-enter, ☐ Recomplete and Operate

2. TYPE OF WELL

OIL ☒ GAS ☐ COALBED ☐ OTHER ☐ Pilot Hole  
SINGLE ZONE ☐ MULTIPLE ☒ COMMINGLE ☐

Refiling ☐  
Sidetrack ☐

3. Name of Operator: WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION 4. COGCC Operator Number: 96155  
5. Address: 1700 BROADWAY STE 2300  
City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80290  
6. Contact Name: Michael Brown Phone: (307)237-9310 Fax: ()  
Email: ml\_brown@bresnan.net  
7. Well Name: Horsetail Well Number: 18-0733H  
8. Unit Name (if appl):  Unit Number:   
9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 6167

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: SWSE Sec: 18 Twp: 10N Rng: 57W Meridian: 6  
Latitude: 40.832514 Longitude: -103.791947

Footage at Surface: 330 feet FNL/FSL 1952 feet FEL/FWL FEL

11. Field Name: Wildcat Field Number: 99999  
12. Ground Elevation: 4802 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 06/23/2011 PDOP Reading: 2.8 Instrument Operator's Name: Jeremy Harris

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: 3220 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 330 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 5280 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.)
Niobrara	NBRR	535-60	960	Sec 7 & 18

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 Bond ☐ \$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):

All of Section 18 and the S/2 of Section 7, T10N-R57W

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 330 ft

26. Total Acres in Lease: 960

### 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

If 28, 29, or 30 are "Yes" a pit permit may be required.

Method: ☐ Land Farming ☐ Land Spreading ☒ Disposal Facility Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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
CONDUCTOR	26			0	60			
SURF	13+1/2	9+5/8	36.0	0	1,500	648	1,500	0
OPEN HOLE	8+3/4	7		0	6,167			

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

33. Comments \_\_\_\_\_

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: Michael L. Brown

Title: Agent

Date: 8/26/2011

Email: ml\_brown@bresnan.net

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: 9/25/2011

#### API NUMBER

05 123 34420 00

Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: 9/24/2013

#### 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.

- 1) Provide 24 hour notice of MIRU to Colby Horton at 970-467-2517 or e-mail at colby.horton@state.co.us.
- 2) Plug back pilot hole: In addition to kick off plug set 60 sks cement from 50' below D-Sand base to 100' above D-Sand top and set 40 sks cement 50' above Niobrara top.

### Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
400200321	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
400200354	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400200359	TOPO MAP
400200364	DRILLING PLAN

Total Attach: 4 Files

### General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>

Total: 0 comment(s)

### BMP

<u>Type</u>	<u>Comment</u>
Material Handling and Spill Prevention	<p>Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasures (SPCC) plans are in place to address any possible spill associated with oil and gas operations throughout the State of Colorado.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Materials and fluids will be stored in a neat and orderly fashion.</li><li>• Waste will be collected regularly and disposed of at an offsite facility.</li><li>• Prompt cleanup is required of spills to minimize waste materials entering the stormwater runoff.</li><li>• Drip pans will be used during fueling and maintenance to contain spills or leaks.</li><li>• Cleanup of trash and discarded material will be done at the end of the work day.</li><li>• Cleanup will consist of monitoring the road, location and any other work areas.</li><li>• Material to be cleaned up includes trash, scrap, and contaminated soil.</li></ul>
Storm Water/Erosion Control	<p>Stormwater management plans (SWMP) are in place to address construction, drilling and operations associated with oil and gas development throughout the State of Colorado. BMPs will be constructed as necessary to prevent stormwater from leaving the construction site. BMPs used will vary according to the location, and will remain until the pad is reclaimed.</p>

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