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Land Department

October 14, 2011

Wells Ranch LLLP
32010 County Road 63
Gill, Colorado 80624

RE: **Surface Exception Location Consent**
WELLS RANCH AF08-69-1HN
Township 5 North, Range 62 West, 6th P.M.
Section 08: NW/4NW/4
Weld County, CO

Dear Wells Ranch:

Noble Energy, Inc. ("Noble") plans to drill the WELLS RANCH AF08-69-1HN well (the "Well") at the referenced location which is more specifically described as 480 feet FNL, and 353 feet FWL which is outside the drilling window prescribed in Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC") Rule 318A.a.(1).

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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Sean Casper

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Steve Wells'.

Steve Wells

Date: 10/19/11