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# State of Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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## APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO:

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

### 2. TYPE OF WELL

OIL  GAS  COALBED  OTHER \_\_\_\_\_  
SINGLE ZONE  MULTIPLE  COMMINGLE

Refiling

Sidetrack

3. Name of Operator: ENCANA OIL & GAS (USA) INC

4. COGCC Operator Number: 100185

5. Address: 370 17TH ST STE 1700

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202-5632

6. Contact Name: JENNIFER LIND Phone: (720)876-5890 Fax: (720)876-6890

Email: JENNIFER.LIND@ENCANA.COM

7. Well Name: MINCH Well Number: 23-4

8. Unit Name (if appl): \_\_\_\_\_ Unit Number: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 8118

## WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: NWSW Sec: 4 Twp: 3N Rng: 68W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.251700 Longitude: -105.016750

Footage at Surface: 1479 feet FNL/FSL FSL 265 feet FEL/FWL FWL

11. Field Name: WATTENBERG Field Number: 90750

12. Ground Elevation: 5079 13. County: WELD

### 14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 12/05/2011 PDOP Reading: 2.0 Instrument Operator's Name: BURKE

15. If well is  Directional  Horizontal (highly deviated) **submit deviated drilling plan.**

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL 1919 FSL 1812 FWL \_\_\_\_\_ Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL 1919 FSL 1812 FWL \_\_\_\_\_  
Sec: 4 Twp: 3N Rng: 68W Sec: 4 Twp: 3N Rng: 68W

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: 222 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 265 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 865 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	80	N/2SW/4
J SAND	JSND	232	80	N/2SW/4
NIOBRARA	NBRR	407	80	N/2SW/4

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):  
SEE ATTACHED MAP.

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 735 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 110

### 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
SURF	12+1/4	8+5/8	24	0	700	255	700	0
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.6	0	8,118	157	8,118	7,143

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

33. Comments NO CONDUCTOR CASING WILL BE UTILIZED. ENCANA REQUESTS THE APPROVAL OF A RULE318A(l).a.(1), EXCEPTION LOCATION AS THE WELL HEAD WILL BE LOCATED OUTSIDE A GWA DRILLING WINDOW, WAIVERS ARE ATTACHED. PROPOSED SPACING UNIT IS E2SW4, W2SE4 SEC.4 T3N, R68W.

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: JENNIFER LIND

Title: REGULATORY ANALYST Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: JENNIFER.LIND@ENCANA.

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: \_\_\_\_\_ Director of COGCC Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**API NUMBER**  
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Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:**  
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**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.**

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### Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
400239893	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER
400239894	TOPO MAP
400239895	MINERAL LEASE MAP
400239896	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST
400239897	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS
400239898	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400239899	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400239900	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN

Total Attach: 8 Files

### General Comments

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