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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: BLACK RAVEN ENERGY INC 4. COGCC Operator Number: 10203
 5. Address: 1331 17TH STREET - #350
 City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202
 6. Contact Name: JANICE ALDSTADT Phone: (303)308-1330 Fax: (303)308-1590
 Email: jaldstadt@blackravenenergy.com
 7. Well Name: RAFERT Well Number: 843-9-33
 8. Unit Name (if appl): _____ Unit Number: _____
 9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 3000

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: NWSE Sec: 9 Twp: 8N Rng: 43W Meridian: 6
 Latitude: 40.676700 Longitude: -102.149780
 Footage at Surface: 1760 feet FSL 1423 feet FEL
 11. Field Name: AMHERST Field Number: 2480
 12. Ground Elevation: 3662 13. County: PHILLIPS

14. GPS Data:
 Date of Measurement: 11/22/2011 PDOP Reading: 2.8 Instrument Operator's Name: KEVIN MCCORMICK

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: 1410 ft
 18. Distance to nearest property line: 845 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 4233 ft

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			

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):

T8N-R43W- SECTION 9 SE/4

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 845 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 160

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: EVAP & BURIAL

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	9+7/8	7+0/0	17	12	450	180	450	0
1ST	6+1/4	4+1/2	10.5	12	2,700	80	2,700	1,600

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

33. Comments No conductor casing will be used. The perforated interval is estimated to be shallower than 2,500 feet.

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: JANICE ALDSTADT

Title: LANDMAN Date: 12/21/2011 Email: jaldstadt@blackravenenergy.

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 G. Nesline Director of COGCC Date: 1/15/2012

API NUMBER
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Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: 1/14/2014

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.

The perforated interval or completed interval must be shallower than 2500 feet in vertical depth without an approved exception location.

- 1) Provide 24 hr notice of spud to Jim Precup at 303-469-1902 or e-mail at james.precup@ state.co.us.
- 2) Set surface casing at least 50' into Pierre Shale for aquifer coverage, (450' minimum - as proposed).
- 3) If completed, provide cement coverage from TD to a minimum of 200' above Niobrara. Verify coverage with cement bond log.
- 4) If dry hole, set 35 sks cement 50' above Niobrara top, 35 sks cement ½ out, ½ in surface casing, 10 sks cement at top of surface casing, cut casing 4' below GL, weld on plate, 5 sks cement in rat hole & 5 sks cement in mouse hole.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
400234514	APD APPROVED
400234519	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400234520	TOPO MAP
400241141	FORM 2 SUBMITTED

Total Attach: 4 Files

General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
Permit	Final Review Completed. No LGD or public comment received.	1/12/2012 11:35:28 AM
Permit	Okay to pass pending public comment 1/11/12.	1/3/2012 11:44:20 AM

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