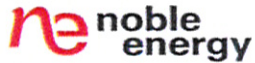


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Land Department

August 22, 2011

Cannon Land Company
Attention: Brown W. Cannon
3575 Cherry Creek North Drive
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RE: **Surface Exception Location Consent**
Well Set-Back (Twinning) Exception Consent
CANNON W15-68-1HN
Township 2 North, Range 66 West, 6th P.M.
Section 15: W/2NW/4
Weld County, CO

Dear Mr. Cannon:

Noble Energy, Inc. ("Noble") plans to drill the CANNON W15-68-1HN well (the "Well") at the referenced location which is more specifically described as 1,450 feet FNL, and 280 feet FWL which is outside the drilling window prescribed in Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC") Rule 318A.a.(1).

By signing this letter you hereby grant your consent to Noble to locate the Well outside of a GWA window as defined in COGCC Rule 318A.a.

Additionally, the Well is being proposed at a surface location approximately 675 feet from an existing surface well location. By signing this letter you also grant your consent to Noble to locate the Well more than 50 feet from the existing well as provided for under COGCC Rule 318A.c.(2).

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.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'J. Scott Lewis'.

J. Scott Lewis

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Brown W. Cannon', followed by a horizontal line.

Brown W. Cannon

Date: 10/14/11