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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: PDC ENERGY INC4. COGCC Operator Number: 691755. Address: 1775 SHERMAN STREET - STE 3000City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 802036. Contact Name: Julie Webb Phone: (303)860-3933 Fax: ()Email: julie.webb@pdce.com7. Well Name: LaSalle Well Number: 25G-212

8. Unit Name (if appl): _____ Unit Number: _____

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 11254

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: SWNW Sec: 25 Twp: 5N Rng: 65W Meridian: 6Latitude: 40.373640 Longitude: -104.620170

Footage at Surface: 1390 feet FNL 245 feet FWL
 FNL/FSL FEL/FWL

11. Field Name: Wattenberg Field Number: 9075012. Ground Elevation: 4640 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 11/21/2012 PDOP Reading: 1.8 Instrument Operator's Name: Thomas G. Carlson15. 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
2033 FNL 823 FWL 2030 FNL 500 FEL
 Sec: 25 Twp: 5N Rng: 65W Sec: 25 Twp: 5N Rng: 65W

16. Is location in a high density area? (Rule 603b)? ☐ Yes ☒ No17. Distance to the nearest building, public road, above ground utility or railroad: 233 ft18. Distance to nearest property line: 215 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 147 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		160	GWA

21. Mineral Ownership: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian Lease #: _____22. Surface Ownership: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian23. 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 ☐ No23b. 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):

Sec 25 T5N R65W See attached mineral lease map. Horizontal wellbore crosses lease lines within drilling and spacing unit; distance to lease line is 0'; distance to unit boundary is 460'.

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 0 ft

26. Total Acres in Lease: 99

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	9+5/8	36	0	875	830	875	0
1ST	8+3/4	7	26	0	7,270	650	7,270	500
1ST LINER	6+1/8	4+1/2	11.6	6061	11,254			

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

33. Comments 7" casing string will be cemented to at least 200' above Niobrara, around 500' from surface. CBL will only be run in the vertical section of the wellbore. Conductor casing will not be used. Operator requests an exception location per rule 318Aa and rule 318Ac: well will not be drilled in a legal drilling window or twinned with an existing well. Waivers attached. Per rule 318Ae, the Operator requests the proposed spacing unit consisting of 160 acres, S2N2 of Section 25, in T5N-R65W. Proposed spacing unit map and 30-day certificate is attached.

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: Julie Webb

Title: Regulatory Analyst Date: 4/24/2013 Email: julie.webb@pdce.com

Operator must have a valid water right or permit allowing for industrial use or purchased water from a seller that has a valid water right or permit allowing for industrial use, otherwise an application for a change in type of use is required under Colorado law. Operator must also use the water in the location set forth in the water right decree or well permit, otherwise an application for a change in place of use is required under Colorado law. Section 37-92-103(5), C.R.S. (2011).

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: Matthew Lee Director of COGCC Date: 5/22/2013

API NUMBER

05 123 37409 00

Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: 5/21/2015

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 notice of MIRU via an electronic Form 42.
 2)Comply with Rule 317.i and provide cement coverage to a minimum of 200' above the Niobrara. Verify cement coverage with a cement bond log per 317.o.

Applicable Policies and Notices to Operators

Notice Concerning Operating Requirements for Wildlife Protection.

Policy for Bradenhead Monitoring During Hydraulic Fracturing Treatments in the Greater Wattenberg Area.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
2114072	VARIANCE REQUEST
2482346	SURFACE CASING CHECK
400390574	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
400390739	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400390740	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400390742	DIRECTIONAL DATA
400396305	OFFSET WELL EVALUATION
400402733	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST
400402734	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS
400402735	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY
400402736	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER
400402743	PROPOSED SPACING UNIT
400408526	MINERAL LEASE MAP
400408528	VARIANCE REQUEST

Total Attach: 14 Files

General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
Permit	Received and attached Variance Request for the 2 PDC wells within 150'.	5/21/2013 10:50:22 AM
Permit	ON HOLD - need Rule 318A.m variance request letter for 2 PDC wells within 150' of proposed wellbore	5/17/2013 10:51:55 AM
Engineer	Evaluated offset wells for adequate cement coverage.	5/2/2013 2:43:05 PM
Permit	Corrected acres in Mineral Lease to 99 from 460. Ready to pass pending public comment.	4/25/2013 1:14:59 PM

Total: 4 comment(s)

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<u>Type</u>	<u>Comment</u>
Drilling/Completion Operations	Prior to drilling operations, Operator will perform an anti-collision scan of existing offset wells that have the potential of being within close proximity of the proposed well. This anti-collision scan will include definitive MWD or gyro surveys of the offset wells with included error of uncertainty per survey instrument, and compared against the proposed wellpath with its respective error of uncertainty. If current surveys do not exist for the offset wells, Operator may have gyro surveys conducted to verify bottomhole location. The proposed well will only be drilled if the anti-collision scan results indicate that there is not a risk for collision, or harm to people or the environment. For the proposed well, upon conclusion of drilling operations, an as-constructed gyro survey will be submitted to COGCC with the Form 5.
Drilling/Completion Operations	Operator will comply with COGCC Policy for Bradenhead Monitoring During Hydraulic Fracturing Treatments in the Greater Wattenberg Area dated May 29, 2012. The Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (COGCC) has established this Policy Regarding Bradenhead Monitoring During Hydraulic Fracturing Treatments ("Treatment") in the Greater Wattenberg Area ("GWA") pursuant to COGCC 207.a. ("Policy"). This Policy applies to oil and gas operations in the GWA as defined by the COGCC Rules of Practice and Procedure.

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