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Land Department

January 3, 2013

Steven T. Wells & Teresa Wells
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RE: **Surface Exception Location Consent**
Well Set-Back (Twinning) Exception Consent
WELLS RANCH AA27-79HN
Township 6 North, Range 63 West, 6th P.M.
Section 21: SE/4/NE/4
Weld County, CO

Dear Surface Owner:

Noble Energy, Inc. ("Noble") plans to drill the WELLS RANCH AA27-79HN well (the "Well") at the referenced location which is more specifically described as 1749 feet FNL, and 426 feet FEL 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 452 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) 304-5000.

NOBLE ENERGY, INC.

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Sean Casper

By: A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Steven T. Wells'.

Steven T. Wells

Date: 1-14-13

By: A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Teresa Wells'.

Teresa Wells

Date: 1-14-13