Bill Barrett Corporation

June 19, 2013

Colorado Oil & Gas Conservation Commission
The Chancery Building
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801
Denver, CO 80203

RE: Request to the director for 318A.a Surface Location Exception
Request to the director for 318A.c Twinning Location Exception

Circle B 6-66-9-0164BH	**Circle B 6-66-9-0362BH**
Circle B 6-66-9-0164CH	**Circle B 6-66-9-0362CH**
Circle B 6-66-9-0263BH	**Circle B 6-66-9-0461BH**
Circle B 6-66-9-0263CDH	**Circle B 6-66-9-0461CDH**
Circle B 6-66-9-0263CH	**Circle B 6-66-9-0461CH**

NENW Section 9, T6N-R66W
Weld County, Colorado

Attn: Mr. Lepore, Director

Bill Barrett Corporation (BBC) is planning to drill the above mentioned wells on land's purchased and owned by BBC, to the Niobrara and Codell formations.

The surface locations of BBC's proposed wells have been staked outside of the 318A.a drilling window. The locations are being permitted as an exception location. As BBC is the surface owner, there is no need to obtain a waiver.

Under revised Rule 318A.c any new twinning well is to be located within 50' of an existing well. The surface location of BBC's proposed wells have been staked approximately 600' from the nearest oil & gas well. As BBC is the surface owner, there is no need to obtain a waiver.

BBC respectfully requests that the COGCC approve the requested exception location waiver and application for permit to drill the captioned wells.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 303-312-8172.

Sincerely,

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