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

Attn: Matthew Lepore, Director

**RE: Request to the Director for 318A.n Anti-Collision Waiver**  
Niobrara Horizontal Well New Drill

Pronghorn J24-15-10XRLNC: SESW Section 15-T5N-R61W, 6<sup>th</sup> PM, Weld County, Colorado

Mr. Lepore:

Bonanza Creek Energy, Inc. ("Bonanza") intends to drill the above referenced horizontal oil and gas well to the Niobrara Formation, from a well pad to be located as described above. The wellbore productive interval is planned to be approximately 125 feet away from the Weld County 22-15 vertical well (API# 05-123-19630).

Bonanza Creek Energy is the owner and operator of the referenced Weld County 22-15 well.

Bonanza respectfully requests that the COGCC review the enclosed information and grant an Exception to Rule 318A.n for the subject Application for Permit to Drill.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

**BONANZA CREEK ENERGY, INC.**  
**BONANZA CREEK ENERGY OPERATING COMPANY, LLC.**

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Keith S. Caplan".

Keith S. Caplan  
Senior Regulatory Specialist