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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 11th day of A.D. May, 2016

Christa Vasquez
Christa Vasquez, Office Manager

Subscribed and sworn to me a Notary Public in and for the County of Washington, State of Colorado, this 11th day of May, 2016 A.D.

Dencia J. Raish Notary Public

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OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO
PUBLIC NOTICE
OF
PROPOSED UNDERGROUND INJECTION CONTROL PERMIT
PURPOSE OF PUBLIC NOTICE:
The purpose of this notice is to solicit public comment on the Decker 22-18 #2 disposal well, a Class II injection permit submitted by Diamond Operating Inc. The Decker 22-18 #2 is an existing oil and gas well being converted for disposal. The well was drilled at a location 1991 feet from north line and 2058 feet from west line of SENW of Section 18, Township 4 South, Range 53 West, 6th P.M., Washington County, Colorado.
BACKGROUND
Class II injection wells are permitted and regulated in such a manner as to prevent the contamination of underground sources of drinking water and to ensure fluid emplacement and confinement within the permitted injection zones. Class II injection wells are permitted to inject waste generated from oil and gas exploratory and production operations. Diamond Operating Inc. proposes to inject these fluids into the J-Sandstone of the Dakota Group at depths of between 4,844 and 4,848 ft in the Decker 22-18 #2 well through a cased-hole completion.
Public comments are encouraged and will be accepted, in writing at the Commission for a period of thirty (30) days after publication of this notice. If any data, information, or arguments submitted during the public comment period appear to raise substantial questions concerning proposed injection well permit, the Director may request that the Commission hold a hearing on the matter.
Additional information on the operation of the proposed injection well may be obtained at the Commission office.
IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF COLORADO
OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO
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