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SITE INVESTIGATION AND REMEDIATION WORKPLAN

This form shall be submitted to the Director for approval prior to the initiation of site investigation and remediation activities. Form 27 is intended to be used whenever possible. Additional documentation will be required when large volumes of soil and groundwater have been impacted or involve large facilities with multiple source areas. See Rule 910. Attach as many pages as needed to fully describe the proposed work.

OGCC Employee:
 Spill Complaint
 Inspection NOAV
Tracking No: **401007416**

CAUSE OF CONDITION BEING INVESTIGATED AND REMEDIATED

Spill or Release Plug & Abandon Central Facility Closure Site/Facility Closure Other (describe): _____

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Name of Operator: <u>Noble Energy, Inc.</u>	No: <u>970-304-5329</u>
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API Number: <u>05-123-24849</u>	County: <u>Weld</u>
Facility Name: <u>BATES-6N66W / 20NWNW</u>	Facility Number: <u>306527</u> Spill ID 445185
Well Name: <u>BATES</u>	Well Number: <u>20-22</u>
Location: (QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng, Meridian): <u>NWNW S20 T6N R66W 6PM</u> Latitude: <u>40.479416</u> Longitude: <u>-104.80822</u>	

TECHNICAL CONDITIONS

Type of Waste Causing Impact (crude oil, condensate, produced water, etc): Oil / Produced Water

Site Conditions: Is location within a sensitive area (according to Rule 901e)? Y N If yes, attach evaluation.

Adjacent land use (cultivated, irrigated, dry land farming, industrial, residential, etc.): Cropland

Soil type, if not previously identified on Form 2A or Federal Surface Use Plan: Kim loam, 1 to 3 percent slopes

Potential receptors (water wells within 1/4 mi, surface waters, etc.): Occupied building 230ft NNW; Water Well 340ft SW; Water Well 650ft WNW; Irrigation Ditch 40ft W

Description of Impact (if previously provided, refer to that form or document):

Impacted Media (check):	Extent of Impact:	How Determined:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Soils	<u>Refer to attached Table 1 and Figure 2</u>	<u>Lab sample analysis</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Vegetation	_____	_____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Groundwater	<u>Refer to the attached Table 2 and Figures 2 & 3</u>	<u>Lab sample analysis</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water	_____	_____

REMEDIATION WORKPLAN

Describe initial action taken (if previously provided, refer to that form or document):

The well was shut in and a site assessment was conducted to determine the nature and extent of impacted material. Site assessment activities conducted on March 22, 2016 included soil sampling from soil borings and subsequent groundwater sampling from temporary monitoring wells. Refer to Spill/Release Report Document # 401007416 (Initial) and # 401014611 (Supplemental). COGCC issued spill tracking # 445185 for this release.

Describe how source is to be removed:

Soil samples collected from borings BH03 and BH07 (Figure 2) indicated TPH concentrations in the vadose zone above COGCC Table 910-1 soil standards. Soil borings BH01, BH02, BH04 through BH06, and BH08 indicate that soil impacts do not extend beyond the immediate release area. Soil impacts will be treated in place, along with groundwater once crops are harvested in the fall.

Describe how remediation of existing impacts is to be accomplished, including removal and disposal at an injection well or licensed facility, land treatment on site, removal of impacted groundwater, insitu bioremediation, burning of oily vegetation, etc.:

Soil and groundwater impacts are present above the applicable COGCC Table 910-1 standards, and will be addressed in situ subsequent to the harvesting of the surrounding cropland. Groundwater sampling will continue on a quarterly basis to assess the remaining dissolved phase impacts.



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If groundwater has been impacted, describe proposed monitoring plan (# of wells or sample points, sampling schedule, analytical methods, etc.): Nine of the soil borings were completed as groundwater monitoring wells on March 22 and July 15, 2016, as illustrated on Figure 3. Groundwater samples from these wells indicated that petroleum hydrocarbon concentrations were above COGCC Table 910-1 standards in wells BH03 and BH07. Groundwater sampling will continue on a quarterly basis to further assess remaining dissolved phase impacts. Describe reclamation plan. Discuss existing and new grade recontouring; method and testing of compaction alleviation; and reseeding program, including location of new seed, seed mix and noxious weed prevention. Attach diagram or drawing. Use additional sheet for description if required. After remediation and monitoring activities are completed, reclamation will be completed in compliance with COGCC Rule 1004. Monitoring wells will be properly plugged and abandoned per Colorado Division of Water Resources standards once a NFA determination is achieved for the project. Attach samples and analytical results taken to verify remediation of impacts. Show locations of samples on an onsite schematic or drawing. Is further site investigation required? [] Y [x] N If yes, describe: Quarterly groundwater monitoring will continue on a quarterly basis to assess remaining dissolved phase impacts. Final disposition of E&P waste (landtreated and disposed onsite, name of licensed disposal facility, recycling, reuse, etc.): No waste was generated during site assessment and sampling activities.

IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE

Date Site Investigation Began: 3/22/16 Date Site Investigation Completed: 7/15/16 Date Remediation Plan Submitted: 10/3/2016 Remediation Start Date: TBD Anticipated Completion Date: TBD Actual Completion Date: TBD

I hereby certify that the statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct, and complete.

Print Name: Jacob Evans Signed: Jacob Evans Title: Senior Environmental Specialist Date: 10/3/2016 Digitally signed by Jacob Evans DN: cn=Jacob Evans, o=Noble Energy, Inc., ou, email=j.evans@nobleenergyinc.com, c=US Date: 2016.10.03 09:37:09 -06'00'

OGCC Approved: Title: Northeast EPS Date: 10/11/2016