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Land Department

August 23, 2018

Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
Attn: Julie Murphy, Director
1120 Lincoln Street Suite 801
Denver, Colorado 80203

Re: **RULES 318A.a and 318A.c EXCEPTION LOCATION REQUEST**
Request to the Director for 318A.a (Drilling Window Location Exception)
Request to the Director for 318A.c (Twinning Location Exception)

WELL NAME(S): Wells Ranch State AA36-622 (Doc #401637106), Wells Ranch State AA36-633 (Doc #401637067), Wells Ranch State AA36-643 (Doc #401637050), Wells Ranch State AA36-654 (Doc #401637033), Wells Ranch State AA36-664 (Doc #401637008), Wells Ranch State AA36-673 (Doc #401636997), Wells Ranch State AA36-683 (Doc #401636981)

Township 6 North, Range 62 West, 6th P.M.

Section 32: SWNW

Weld County, Colorado

Dear Director:

Noble Energy, Inc. ("Noble") respectfully requests an exception to drill the above mentioned wells at the referenced location, which is outside the drilling window prescribed in the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC") Rule 318A.a, and are not within fifty feet of an existing well under COGCC rule 318A.c., per the surface owner's request. Therefore, Noble has obtained written permission from the surface owner(s) by way of signed waiver.

Thank you for your consideration of the requested exception locations and Applications for Permit to Drill for each of the wells mentioned.

If you have any questions, please contact me at your earliest convenience at (303)228-4232, or holly.hill@nblenergy.com

Regards,
NOBLE ENERGY, INC.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Holly Hill'.

Holly Hill
Regulatory Supervisor