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Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801
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RE: Request for Surface Location Exception (Outside 318A.a and 318A.c)

Kortum LD 09-371HN	Doc# 401792455	Kortum LD 09-376HC	Doc# 401796743
Kortum LD 09-372HN	Doc# 401793120	Kortum LD 09-376HN	Doc# 401796823
Kortum LD 09-372HNNX	Doc# 401795881	Kortum LD 09-378HN	Doc# 401797051
Kortum LD 09-373HC	Doc# 401796182	Kortum LD 09-378HNNX	Doc# 401797153
Kortum LD 09-373HN	Doc# 401796282	Kortum LD 09-379HC	Doc# 401797605
Kortum LD 09-375HN	Doc# 401796612	Kortum LD 09-379HN	Doc# 401797886
Kortum LD 09-375HNNX	Doc# 401796687		

NWNE Section 21
Township 1 South, Range 67 West, 6th P.M.
Adams County, Colorado

Dear Director:

Please let this letter serve as a request for administrative approval of an exception location for the captioned oil and gas wells. Great Western Operating Company, LLC ("Great Western") proposes to drill the above referenced wells at a surface location outside a legal drilling window as defined by Rule 318A.a and greater than 50' from an existing well as defined by Rule 318A.c.

Rule 318A.a of the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission's Rules and Regulations requires wells to be drilled in a square with sides 400 feet in length, the center of which is the center of any quarter/quarter section or in the center of any quarter section with the four sides being 800 feet in length. Great Western proposes to drill the above referenced wells at a surface location outside a legal drilling window.

Rule 318A.c of the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission's Rules and Regulations requires wells to be staked at a surface location less than fifty (50) feet from another well. Great Western proposes to drill the above referenced wells at a surface location greater than 50' from an existing well.

Great Western respectfully requests that the COGCC review the enclosed information and approve the requested exception location waiver. The surface owner acknowledges and agrees with the staked surface location of the well. The surface owner has waived Rule 318A.a and Rule 318A.c in the Surface Use Agreement on Page 5, Section g.

Respectfully,

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