



May 21, 2018

Director Julie Murphy  
Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission  
Department of Natural Resources  
The Chancery Building  
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801  
Denver, CO 80203

Re: Request for Exception to Rule 317.p

**Johnson 01N-65W-30 Pad, SESW Section 30, T1N-R65W, Weld County, Colorado**

JOHNSON 01N-65W-30-1S, Doc ID: 401539182  
JOHNSON 01N-65W-30-2S, Doc ID: 401540070  
JOHNSON 01N-65W-30-3H, Doc ID: 401540071  
JOHNSON 01N-65W-30-4H, Doc ID: 401540081  
JOHNSON 01N-65W-30-5H, Doc ID: 401540085

JOHNSON 01N-65W-30-6H, Doc ID: 401540086  
JOHNSON 01N-65W-30-7H, Doc ID: 401540088  
JOHNSON 01N-65W-30-9H, Doc ID: 401540089  
JOHNSON 01N-65W-30-10H, Doc ID: 401540091

Dear Director Murphy

Verdad Resources LLC respectfully requests approval for an Open Hole Logging Exception to Rule 317.p. The above-named wells are requested to be exempt from this requirement due to the proximity of existing well(s) with acceptable petrophysical logs that adequately describes the stratigraphy of the wellbore, adequately verifies surface casing setting depth, and adequately verifies any aquifer coverage. The existing well listed in the table below have log(s) which meet the offsetting well surface-hole distance and bearing requirements.

Well Name	API Number	Distance from Well(s)	Azimuth (Degrees)	Log Type Document Number
Lochbuie 21-31	05-123-21798	700' SE	175 deg.	Micro Log – Doc #1485063 Array Induction – Doc #1485062 Compensated Neutron – Doc #1485061

One of the first wells drilled on the pad will be logged with Cased hole Pulsed Neutron Log with Gamma Ray Log from KOP into the surface casing. All wells on the pad will have a cement bond log with gamma-ray run on production casing (or on intermediate casing if production liner is run) into the surface casing. The horizontal portion of every well will be logged with a measured while-drilling gamma-ray log. The Form 5, Completion Report, for each well on the pad will list all logs run in that well and have those logs attached. The Form 5 for each well shall clearly state "No open-hole logs were run" and shall reference the Rule 317.p Exception granted for the well.

Should you have any questions, please feel to contact me at (720)-845-6917.

Sincerely,  
Verdad Resources

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Regulatory Manager