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**RE: EXCEPTION LOCATION REQUEST (Outside 318A.a Windows)**

State Antelope 42-12-13HNB (Doc # 401928861)	State Antelope V41-B11-13HNB (Doc # 401928851)
State Antelope V-B-13HNB (Doc # 401928858)	State Antelope W42-C12-13HNB (Doc # 401928862)
State Antelope X44-D14-13HNB (Doc # 401928864)	State Antelope Y44-E14-13HNB (Doc # 401928866)
State Antelope Y-E-13HNB (Doc # 401928869)	

State Antelope 43-13 Pad  
Township 5N, Range 62W, 6th PM  
Section 13, SENE  
Weld County, Colorado

Dear Director Robbins:

Bonanza Creek Energy Operating Company LLC. ("Bonanza") is planning to drill the above-mentioned wells to the Niobrara formation.

Rule 318A.a of the Colorado Oil and Gas Commission's Rules and Regulations requires wells to be drilled and completed in a square with sides four hundred (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 eight hundred (800) feet in length.

The surface location of Bonanza's proposed wells has been staked outside of the 318A.a drilling window. The location is being permitted as an exception location. This location is a good location to reduce the impact on the surface owner. The exception location waiver for rule 318A.a is included as an attachment to the APD.

Bonanza respectfully request that the COGCC review the enclosed information and approve the requested exception location waiver and Application for Permit to Drill the above captioned well.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Brian Dodek'.

Brian Dodek  
Manager – Environmental & Regulatory Compliance