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**NOTICE OF ALLEGED VIOLATION - ISSUED**

Per Rule 522, the Director has reasonable cause to believe that a violation of the Act, or of any Commission rule, order, or permit has occurred, the Director will require the operator to remedy the violation and may commence an enforcement action seeking penalties by issuing a Notice of Alleged Violation (NOAV). Per Rule 523, an operator who violates the Act, or a Commission rule, order, or permit may be subject to a penalty imposed by Commission order.

**OPERATOR INFORMATION**

OGCC Operator Number: 42300  
Name of Operator: HUNTINGTON ENERGY LLC  
Address: 908 NW 71ST STREET  
City: OKLAHOMA CITY State: OK Zip: 73116  
Contact Name and Telephone:  
Name: Catherine Smith  
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**Well Location, or Facility Information (if applicable):**

API Number: 05- - -00 Facility or Location ID: 279485  
Name: FOSSIL FEDERAL Number: 6-18  
QtrQtr: NWNW Sec: 18 Twp: 44N Range: 16W Meridian: N  
County: SAN MIGUEL

**ALLEGED VIOLATION**

Rule: 210.b  
Rule Description: Signs & Markers- Wells & Batteries  
Initial Discovery Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Was this violation self-reported by the operator? No  
Date of Violation: \_\_\_\_\_ Approximate Time of Violation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Was this a discrete violation of obvious duration? No  
Description of Alleged Violation:  

Pursuant to Rule 210.b, within 60 days after the completion of a well or the installation of a battery, Huntington Energy LLC ("Operator") shall install a permanent sign at the wellhead. This sign shall provide, among other required information, a phone number at which the Operator can be reached at all times and a phone number for local emergency services (911 where available).

During an inspection of Operator's Fossil Federal 6-18 facility (Location ID 279485, API 05-113-06199 "Location") on December 5, 2017 (Field Inspection Report No. 680402250), COGCC Staff observed that the signage at the Location did not include a phone number at which the Operator can be reached at all times or a phone number for local emergency services.

In Field Inspection Report No. 680402250, COGCC Staff required Operator to modify the signage to include emergency contact information by January 5, 2018. During the follow up inspection on January 11, 2018 (Field Inspection Report No. 680402375), COGCC Staff observed that the signage had not been modified to include emergency contact information. On April 19, 2018, Operator emailed COGCC Staff a photo showing the Operator contact number was added to the sign, but still no number for local emergency services was posted.

Operator failed to timely install a permanent sign with the required information at the Location, in violation of Rule 210.b.

Abatement or Corrective Action Required to be Performed by Operator: \_\_\_\_\_ Corrective Action Due Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Proper and timely abatement does not preclude the assessment of penalties and an Order Finding Violation.**

Operator shall immediately install signage at the Location that includes a phone number for local emergency services (911 if available).

**PENALTY**

Penalties for violations alleged in this NOAV will be calculated pursuant to Rule 523, with daily penalties accruing pursuant to Section 34-60-121(1), C.R.S.

**ANSWER**

Pursuant to Rule 522.d.(2), the operator must file an Answer to this NOAV within 28 days of its receipt, or a default judgement may be entered. An answer will, at a minimum, discuss the allegations contained in the NOAV, responding to each; identify corrective actions taken in response to the NOAV, if any; and identify facts known to the operator at the time that are relevant to the operator's response to the alleged violations. Hard copy answers are filed with the Commission Secretary at the Commission's Denver office and should also be emailed to [dnr\\_cogccenforcement@state.co.us](mailto:dnr_cogccenforcement@state.co.us).

**NOAV ISSUED**

NOAV Issue Date: 08/17/2018

COGCC Representative Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

COGCC Representative: Kira Gillette

Title: NOAV Specialist

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Phone Num: (303) 894-2100x5165

**CORRECTIVE ACTION COMPLETED**

Rule: 210.b

Rule Description: Signs & Markers- Wells & Batteries

Corrective Action Start Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Corrective Action Complete Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Has corrective action for this violation been performed as required? No

Description of Actual Corrective Action Performed by Operator

NOAV closed pursuant to Order 1V-731.

**FINAL RESOLUTION**

Cause #: \_\_\_\_\_ Order #: \_\_\_\_\_ Docket #: \_\_\_\_\_

Enforcement Action: Administrative Order of Consent

Final Resolution Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Final Resolution Comments:

NOAV closed pursuant to Order 1V-731.

**ATTACHMENT LIST**

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401737156	NOAV CERTIFIED MAIL RECEIPT
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401737162	NOAV ISSUED
401737167	NOAV IN PROCESS
401743432	NOAV CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT

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