



**Crestone Peak Resources Operating LLC**

October 12, 2023

Director Murphy  
Colorado Energy and Carbon Management Commission  
1120 Lincoln Street, Ste. 801  
Denver, Colorado 80203

RE: Colorado Energy and Carbon Management Commission (ECMC) Rule 304.d. Lesser Impact Area Exemption Request Bijou 3-65 19-24 North Pad (Form 02A Doc #403497330) SENW of Section 21, Township 3 South, Range 65 West  
Adams County, CO

Dear Director Murphy,

Crestone Peak Resources Operating LLC (CPR) respectfully requests a ECMC Rule 304.d Lesser Impact Area Exemption from the following rules:

- Exemption being requested from: ECMC Rule 304.c.(2) Noise Mitigation Plan
  - Resource Concern: *Noise originating from the location becoming a nuisance to proximate receptors.*
  - Exemption Circumstance: *Since the location is greater than 1 mile (5,280') from the nearest Residential Building Unit (RBU) and is greater than 1 mile (5,280') from the nearest high priority habitat, noise originating from the location is not anticipated to be a nuisance to nearby receptors.*
  - Description: *As seen on the aerial view of the location the nearest RBU is to the west and is measured at more than 5,280' from the working pad surface.*
- Exemption being requested from: ECMC Rule 304.c.(3) Light Mitigation Plan
  - Resource Concern: *Light originating from the location becoming a nuisance to proximate receptors.*
  - Exemption Circumstance: *Since the location is greater than 1 mile (5,280') from the nearest Residential Building Unit (RBU) and is greater than 1 mile (5,280') from the nearest high priority habitat, light originating from the location is not anticipated to be a nuisance to nearby receptors.*
  - Description: *As seen on the aerial view of the area the nearest RBU is to the NW and is measured at approximately 5,280' from the working pad surface.*

CPR respectfully requests that the ECMC review the enclosed information and approve the Lesser Impact Area Exemption Request for the subject pad. Please do not hesitate to contact me to discuss this request in further detail.

Sincerely,

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