



# Petroleum Development Corporation

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State of Colorado  
Oil & Gas Conservation Commission  
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801  
Denver, CO 80203

Re: **Rule 318A.a. & 318A.c. Waiver**  
EEE 21NDU, 11-21DU, 21-21DU, 21ADU  
Centennial 22-21DU, 21KDU, 12-21DU, 21GDU  
Ryland 20SD, 42-20D, 20VD, 20CD, 41-20D, 20RD, 20UD  
Township 4N, Range 67W, Section 21: NW/4NW/4  
Weld County, Colorado

Dear Director:

Per rule 318A.a. and 318A.c., Petroleum Development Corporation is requesting a surface location waiver for the above-captioned wells, located in the NWNW of Section 21, T4N, R67W.

The wells are outside the GWA "drilling windows", and are not twinning an existing well. The location was chosen in order to both reduce the impact on the surface owner and to increase the number of wells reachable from one well pad, thereby decreasing overall surface disturbance.

Additionally, Petroleum Development Corporation purchased the surface property on April 30, 2010, and obviously consents to the location which it has chosen. We also have a surface location waiver from the previous owners, which is also attached.

We respectfully request that you approve this waiver.

If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at 303-860-5803.

Thank you,

Sarah M. Garrett  
Landman  
Petroleum Development Corporation