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State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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Plugging Bond Surety

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO:

1. ☒ Drill, ☐ Deepen, ☐ Re-enter, ☐ Recomplete and Operate

2. TYPE OF WELL

OIL ☐ GAS ☒ COALBED ☐ OTHER _____
SINGLE ZONE ☐ MULTIPLE ZONE ☒ COMMINGLE ZONE ☐

Refiling ☐

Sidetrack ☐

3. Name of Operator: NOBLE ENERGY INC

4. COGCC Operator Number: 100322

5. Address: 1625 BROADWAY STE 2200

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

6. Contact Name: KATE MILLER Phone: (303)228-4449 Fax: (303)228-4280
Email: kmiller@nobleenergyinc.com

7. Well Name: STROHAUER F Well Number: 32-21D

8. Unit Name (if appl): _____ Unit Number: _____

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 7419

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: NWSE Sec: 32 Twp: 5N Rng: 65W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.352180 Longitude: -104.686750

Footage at Surface: 1345 FNL/FSL FSL 2480 FEL/FWL FEL

11. Field Name: WATTENBERG Field Number: 90750

12. Ground Elevation: 4669 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 12/29/2009 PDOP Reading: 1.9 Instrument Operator's Name: DAVID C. HOLMES

15. If well is ☒ Directional ☐ Horizontal (highly deviated) **submit deviated drilling plan.**

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL 2570 FSL 2350 FEL 2570 FEL 2350 FEL
Sec: 32 Twp: 5N Rng: 65W Sec: 32 Twp: 5N Rng: 65W

16. Is location in a high density area? (Rule 603b)? ☐ Yes ☒ No

17. Distance to the nearest building, public road, above ground utility or railroad: 486 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 161 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation: 798 ft

20. LEASE, SPACING AND POOLING INFORMATION

Objective Formation(s)	Formation Code	Spacing Order Number(s)	Unit Acreage Assigned to Well	Unit Configuration (N/2, SE/4, etc.)
CODELL	CODL	407-87	160	GWA
NIOBRARA	NBRR	407-87	160	GWA

21. Mineral Ownership: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian Lease #: _____

22. Surface Ownership: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian

23. Is the Surface Owner also the Mineral Owner? ☐ Yes ☒ No Surface Surety ID#: _____

23a. If 23 is Yes: Is the Surface Owner(s) signature on the lease? ☐ Yes ☒ No

23b. If 23 is No ☒ Surface Owners Agreement Attached or ☐ \$25,000 Blanket Surface Bon ☐ \$2,000 Surface Bond ☐ \$5,000 Surface Bond

24. Using standard QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng format enter entire mineral lease description upon which this proposed wellsite is located (attach separate sheet/map if you prefer):
Section 32, T5N, R65W: SE/4

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 82 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 160

DRILLING PLANS AND PROCEDURES

27. Is H2S anticipated? ☐ Yes ☒ No If Yes, attach contingency plan.

28. Will salt sections be encountered during drilling? ☐ Yes ☒ No

29. Will salt (>15,000 ppm TDS CL) or oil based muds be used during drilling? ☐ Yes ☒ No

30. If questions 27 or 28 are yes, is this location in a sensitive area (Rule 903)? ☐ Yes ☒ No If 28, 29, or 30 are "Yes" a pit permit may be required.

31. Mud disposal: ☒ Offsite ☐ Onsite

Method: ☒ Land Farming ☐ Land Spreading ☐ Disposal Facility Other: CLOSED LOOP SYSTEM

Note: The use of an earthen pit for Recompletion fluids requires a pit permit (Rule 905b). If air/gas drilling, notify local fire officials.

Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Weight Per Foot	Setting Depth	Sacks Cement	Cement Bottom	Cement Top
SURF	12+1/4	8+5/8	24	525	226	525	0
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.6	7,419	683	7,419	

32. BOP Equipment Type: ☒ Annular Preventer ☐ Double Ram ☐ Rotating Head ☐ None

33. Comments NO CONDUCTOR CASING WILL BE USED. TOC=200' ABOVE THE NIOBRARA. PROPOSED SPACING UNIT IS SENW, SWNE, NESW, NWSE SEC 32. LOCATION IS OUTSIDE THE DRILLING WINDOW AND IS MORE THAN 50' FROM AN EXISTING WELL.

34. Location ID: _____

35. Is this application in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan ? ☐ Yes ☐ No

36. Is this application part of submitted Oil and Gas Location Assessment ? ☒ Yes ☐ No

I hereby certify all statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct, and complete.

Signed: _____ Print Name: KATE MILLER

Title: REGULATORY ANALYST Date: 3/25/2010 Email: kmiller@nobleenergyinc.com

Based on the information provided herein, this Application for Permit-to-Drill complies with COGCC Rules and applicable orders and is hereby approved.

COGCC Approved: David S. Neslin Director of COGCC Date: 5/4/2010

API NUMBER

05 123 31531 00

Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: 5/3/2012

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY: _____

All representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in the Form 2A for this location shall constitute representations, stipulations and conditions of approval for this Form 2 Permit-to-Drill and are enforceable to the same extent as all other representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in this Permit-to-Drill.

1) Provide 24 hour notice of MIRU to Bo Brown at 970-330-6085 or e-mail at bobrown@state.co.us. 2) Comply with Rule 317.i and provide cement coverage from TD to a minimum of 200' above Niobrara and from 200' below Sussex to 200' above Sussex. Verify coverage with cement bond log. 3) Comply with Rule 321. Run and submit Directional Survey from TD to base of surface casing. Ensure that the wellbore complies with setback requirements in commission orders or rules prior to producing the well.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name	Doc Description
2110245	SURFACE CASING CHECK	LF@2451461 2110245
400049620	PROPOSED SPACING UNIT	LF@2445582 400049620
400049623	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS	LF@2445584 400049623
400049624	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST	LF@2445586 400049624
400049626	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY	LF@2445588 400049626
400049627	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN	LF@2445590 400049627
400049629	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER	LF@2445592 400049629
400049640	WELL LOCATION PLAT	LF@2445594 400049640
400050511	FORM 2 SUBMITTED	LF@2445596 400050511

Total Attach: 9 Files