

July 23, 2010

Noble Energy Production, Inc.
1625 Broadway, Ste 2000
Denver, CO 80202

Re: Notice of Proposed Well (318A.e. FRONT RANGE #11-17-23)
Surface Location: 1505' FSL and 2051' FWL Sec. 17, T4N, R66W, 6th P.M.,
Weld County, Colorado.
Bottom Hole Location: 1670' FSL and 2501' FWL Sec. 17, T4N, R66W,
Weld County, Colorado.

To Whom It May Concern:

K.P. Kauffman Company, Inc. hereby gives twenty (20) day notice in accordance with Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission rule 318A.e.(6) of a proposed BOUNDARY well or wellbore spacing unit to all owners in the proposed wellbore spacing unit. The Niobrara-Codell completion and spacing unit will comprise 160 acres including the SE/4SW/4 and SW/4SE/4 Sec. 17, T4N, R66W, Weld County, Colorado. Our records indicate that Noble Energy Production, Inc. operates both the RICHARDSON K #17-14X located in the SE/4SW/4 and OWENS K #20-28 located in the SW/4SE/4 Sec. 17, T4N, R66W, 6th P.M., Weld County, Colorado.

According to COGCC rules and policies, Noble Energy Production, Inc. shall have a twenty (20) day period after receipt of such notice to object in writing to the K.P. Kauffman Company, Inc. regarding the well location, proposed spacing unit, or any additional producing formation. If a timely objection is received, the matter shall be set on the docket at the next available Commission hearing. If you have any questions or comments please contact me either in writing or at the above phone listing.

Thank you,

Sherry Glass
Engineering Technician

WELL LOCATION CERTIFICATE

THIS MAP IS A GIS EXHIBIT AND DOES NOT REPRESENT A BOUNDARY SURVEY.

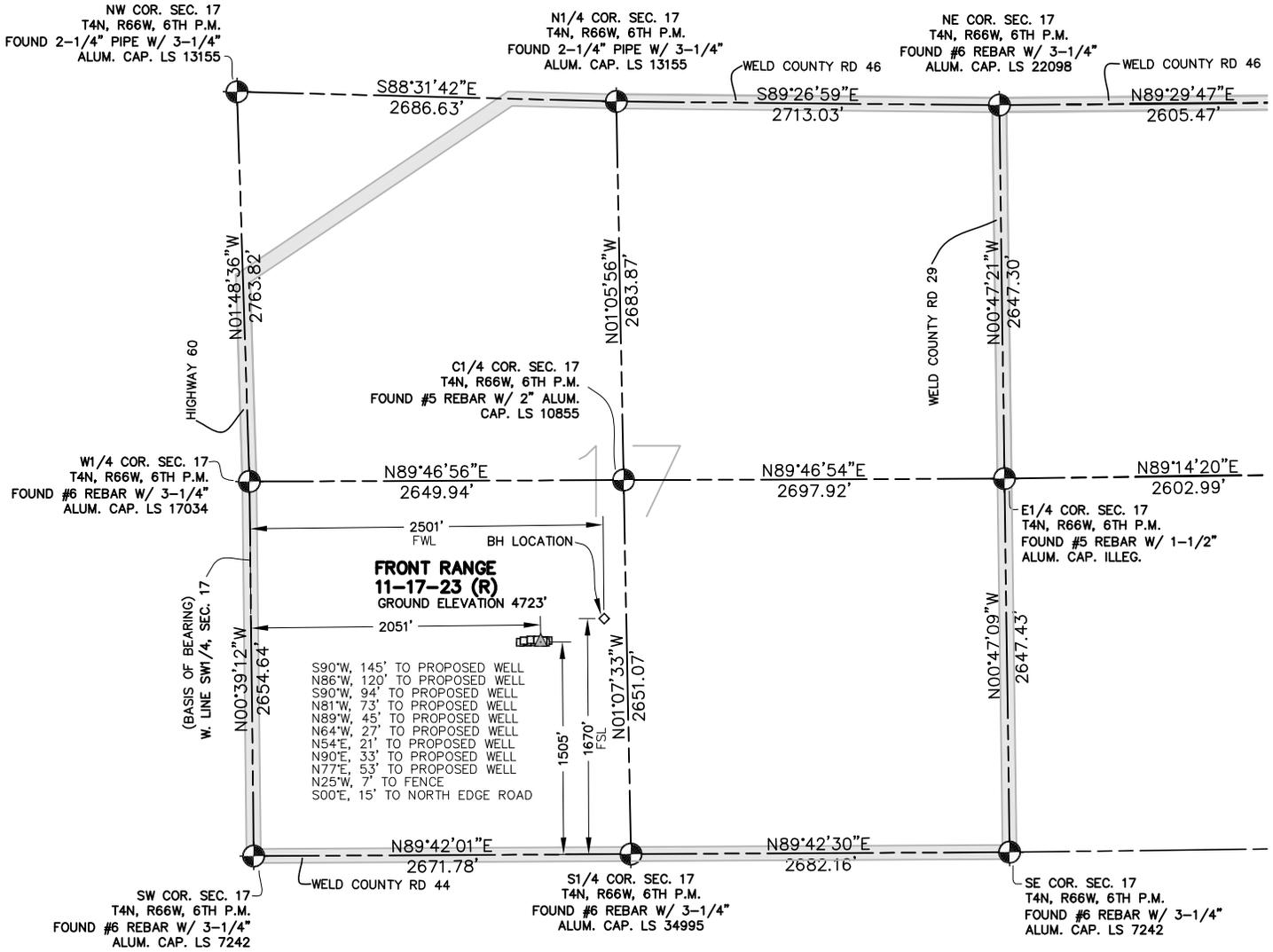


EXHIBIT MAP



WELL LOCATION CERTIFICATE

IN ACCORDANCE WITH A REQUEST FROM SHERRY GLASS OF KP KAUFFMAN INC., CIVIL ARTS-DREXEL GROUP, INC. HAS DETERMINED THE LOCATION OF FRONT RANGE 11-17-23 WELL SITE TO BE 2051' FWL AND 1505' FSL AS MEASURED AT NINETY (90) DEGREES FROM THE SECTION LINES OF SECTION 17, T4N, R66W, OF THE 6TH P.M., WELD COUNTY, CO.

LEGEND

- ⊕ = FOUND SURVEY MONUMENT
- = ROAD
- (C) = CALCULATED DIMENSION
- ▲ = PROPOSED WELL LOCATION
- ◇ = BOTTOM OF HOLE LOCATION
- = OTHER PROPOSED WELL LOCATION
- = EXISTING WELL LOCATION

NOTES

- BEARINGS SHOWN ON THIS MAP ARE BASED UPON GPS OBSERVATIONS MADE ON 03/01/2010 BY KIPPER GOLDSBERRY BETWEEN THE SOUTHWEST CORNER AND THE W1/4 CORNER OF SECTION 17, T4N, R66W, OF THE 6TH P.M., HAVING A BEARING OF N00°39'12"W, AS MONUMENTED AND SHOWN HEREON.
- ELEVATIONS ARE BASED UPON NAVD 88 DATUM.
- THE LOCATION FALLS IN AN AGRICULTURAL FIELD.

PROPOSED SURFACE HOLE DATA

(NAD 83)
 LATITUDE: 40.30854 N
 LONGITUDE: 104.80372 W
 PDOP: <6

NOTICE

ACCORDING TO COLORADO LAW YOU **MUST** COMMENCE ANY LEGAL ACTION BASED UPON ANY DEFECT IN THIS SURVEY WITHIN THREE YEARS AFTER YOU FIRST DISCOVERED SUCH DEFECT. IN NO EVENT MAY ANY ACTION BASED UPON ANY DEFECT IN THIS SURVEY BE COMMENCED MORE THAN TEN YEARS FROM THE DATE OF THE CERTIFICATION SHOWN HEREON.

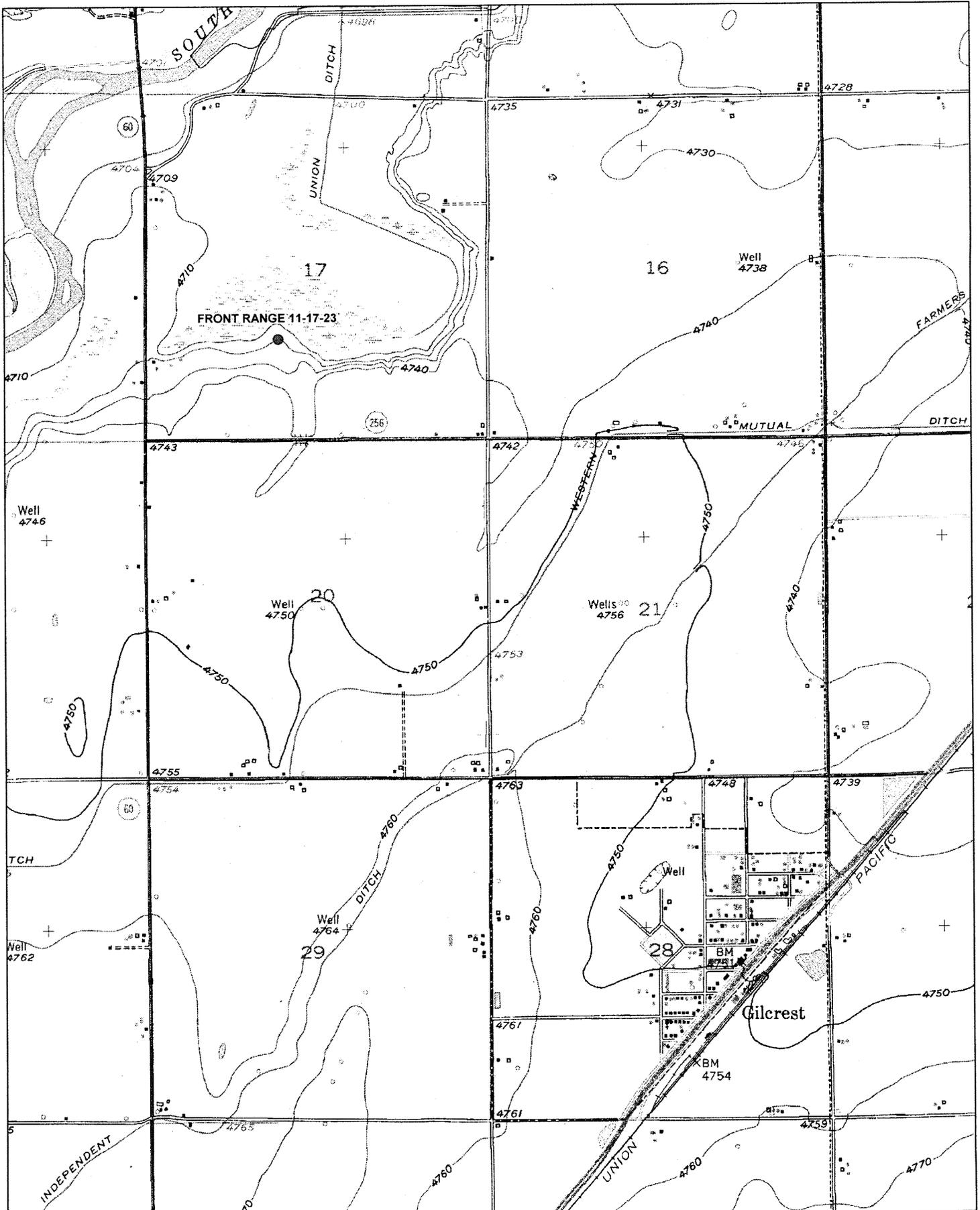
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS WELL LOCATION CERTIFICATE WAS PREPARED UNDER MY RESPONSIBLE CHARGE ON 05/12/2010 FOR AND ON BEHALF OF KP KAUFFMAN, INC. THAT IT IS NOT A LAND SURVEY PLAT OR AN IMPROVEMENT SURVEY PLAT, AND THAT IT IS NOT TO BE RELIED UPON FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF FENCE BUILDING OR OTHER FUTURE IMPROVEMENT LINES.

PETER D. STEGER
 COLORADO REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL
 LAND SURVEYOR NO. 25379

DATE: MAY 12, 2010



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 PLANNING :: Longmont, CO 80501
 SURVEYING :: P 303.682.1131
 :: F 303.682.1149



K. P. Kauffman Company, Inc.
1675 Broadway, Ste 2800
Denver, CO 80202
Undrilled acreage
NE/4SW/4, NW/4SE/4 section 17 4N 66W
NIOBRARA-CODELL-J SAND

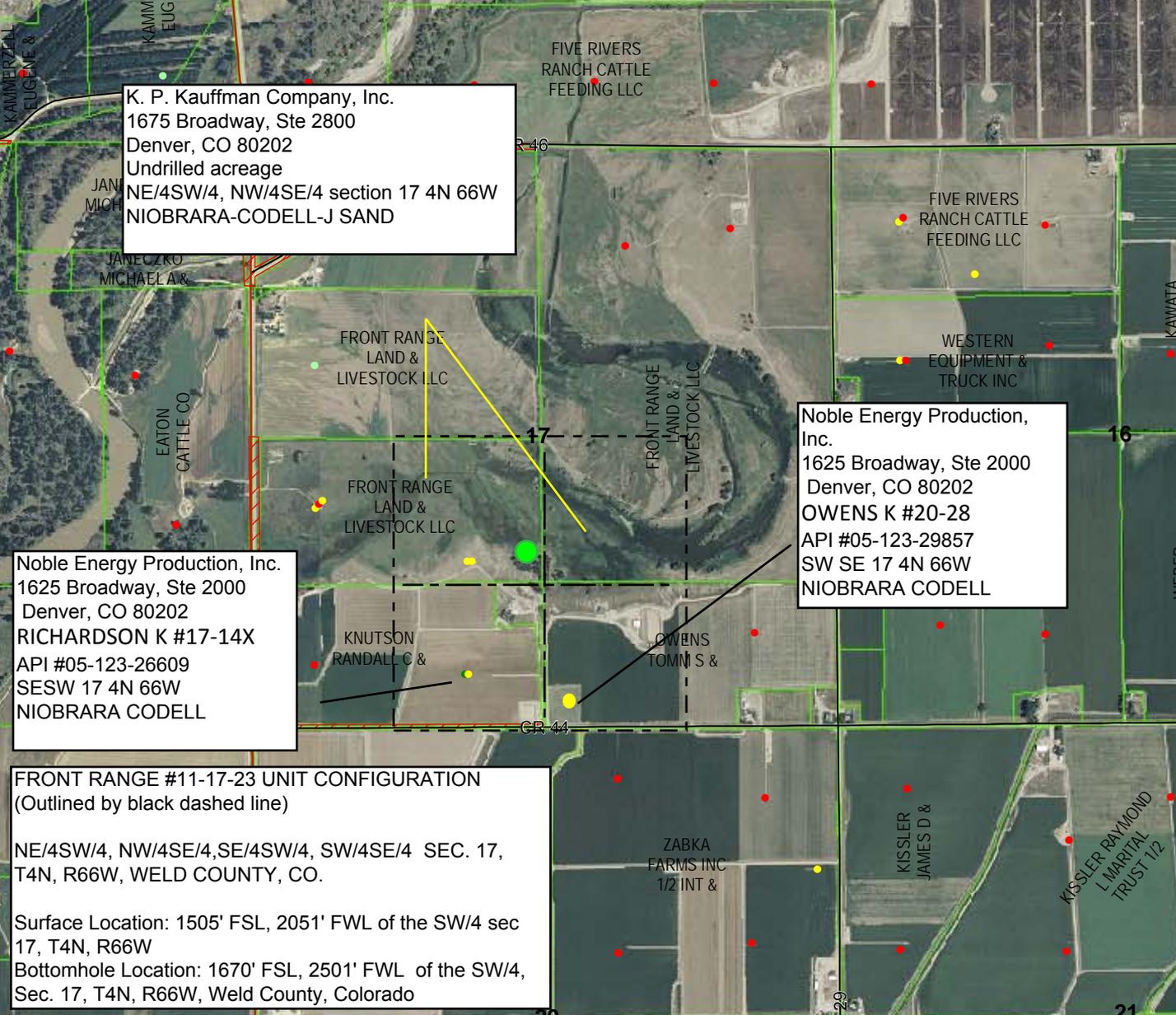
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1625 Broadway, Ste 2000
Denver, CO 80202
RICHARDSON K #17-14X
API #05-123-26609
SESW 17 4N 66W
NIOBRARA CODELL

Noble Energy Production,
Inc.
1625 Broadway, Ste 2000
Denver, CO 80202
OWENS K #20-28
API #05-123-29857
SW SE 17 4N 66W
NIOBRARA CODELL

FRONT RANGE #11-17-23 UNIT CONFIGURATION
(Outlined by black dashed line)

NE/4SW/4, NW/4SE/4, SE/4SW/4, SW/4SE/4 SEC. 17,
T4N, R66W, WELD COUNTY, CO.

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17, T4N, R66W
Bottomhole Location: 1670' FSL, 2501' FWL of the SW/4,
Sec. 17, T4N, R66W, Weld County, Colorado



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 City, State, ZIP+4 Denver, CO 80202

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Noble Energy, Inc.
1625 Broadway, Ste 2000
Denver, CO 80202

2. Article Number
 (Transfer from service label)

7009 3410 0000 2503 3933

COMPLETE THIS SECTION ON DELIVERY

A. Signature Agent
 Addressee
Kangel

B. Received by (Printed Name) KANGEL

C. Date of Delivery 7/26/10

D. Is delivery address different from item 1? Yes
 if YES, enter delivery address below: No

3. Service Type
 Certified Mail Express Mail
 Registered Return Receipt for Merchandise
 Insured Mail C.O.D.

4. Restricted Delivery? (Extra Fee) Yes

PS Form 3811, February 2004

Domestic Return Receipt

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