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## State of Colorado

## Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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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 ☐

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Plugging Bond Surety

20030009

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: Susan Miller Phone: (303)228-4246 Fax: (303)228-4286

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7. Well Name: BASHOR PC

Well Number: AA17-15

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

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 7000

## WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: SWSE Sec: 17 Twp: 6N Rng: 63W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.480900 Longitude: -104.458480

 Footage at Surface: 560 FNL/FSL 1940 FEL/FWL  
 FSL FEL

11. Field Name: Wattenberg Field Number: 90750

12. Ground Elevation: 4670 13. County: WELD

## 14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 06/28/2010 PDOP Reading: 4.1 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 FEL/FWL Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL FEL/FWL

Sec: Twp: Rng: Sec: Twp: Rng:

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: 354 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 560 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation: 1148 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           | unspaced                | 80                            | S/2SE/4                              |
| Niobrara               | NBRR           | unspaced                | 80                            | S/2SE/4                              |

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):  
Please see attached oil and gas lease description.

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 560 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 292

### 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

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              | 500           | 210          | 500           | 0          |
| 1ST         | 7+7/8        | 4+1/2          | 11.6            | 7,000         | 620          | 7,000         |            |

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

33. Comments Conductor casing will not be used. First string top of cement will be 200' above the Niobrara formation. This is a refile of the Bashor 17-43 filed under Petro-Canada Resources, API No. 05-123-24323. Noble Energy purchased Petro-Canada Resources in March-2010.

34. Location ID: 306263

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: Susan Miller

Title: Regulatory Analyst II Date: 9/1/2010 Email: smiller@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: \_\_\_\_\_ Director of COGCC Date: \_\_\_\_\_

#### API NUMBER

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Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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.

**Attachment Check List**

| Att Doc Num | Name                    | Doc Description                                     |
|-------------|-------------------------|---|
| 400080720   | FORM 2 SUBMITTED        | 400080720.pdf                                       |
| 400080724   | 30 DAY NOTICE LETTER    | 30 day notice.pdf                                   |
| 400082249   | WELL LOCATION PLAT      | Approved Plat.pdf                                   |
| 400089733   | LEGAL/LEASE DESCRIPTION | Bashor PC AA17-15 oil and gas lease description.pdf |

Total Attach: 4 Files