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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 ☒

Refilling ☐  
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: MARI CLARK Phone: (303)228-4413 Fax: (303)228-4286  
Email: mclark@nobleenergyinc.com

7. Well Name: FIVE RIVERS USX K Well Number: 09-08D

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

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 7651

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: NWSW Sec: 10 Twp: 4N Rng: 66W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.324530 Longitude: -104.771760

Footage at Surface: 2036 FNL/FSL FSL 425 FEL/FWL FWL

11. Field Name: WATTENBERG Field Number: 90750

12. Ground Elevation: 4726 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 03/31/2010 PDOP Reading: 1.2 Instrument Operator's Name: MICHAEL DILKA

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

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL FNL/FSL Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL FNL/FSL  
2064 FNL 590 FEL 2064 FNL 590 FEL  
Sec: 9 Twp: 4N Rng: 66W Sec: 9 Twp: 4N Rng: 66W

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: 393 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 425 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation: 851 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	80	S/2NE/4
NIOBRARA	NBRR	407-87	80	S/2NE/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#: 20030012

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 Bond ☐ \$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):  
T4N, R66W, SECTION 9: NE/4

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 590 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

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	510	216	510	0
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.6	7,651	717	7,651	

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

33. Comments NO CONDUCTOR CASING WILL BE USED. 1ST STRING TOP OF CEMENT = 200' ABOVE NIOBRARA. WELL IS TO BE TWINNED WITH EXISTING MONFORT 12-10 & PROPOSED FIVE RIVERS K09-22D. AS DRILLED FORM 4 SUBMITTED FOR MONFORT 12-10. Noble Energy Inc requests approval of Rule 318Aa exception location: Wellhead is to be located outside of a GWA drilling window.

34. Location ID: 330702

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: MARI CLARK

Title: REG. ANALYST II Date: 9/1/2010 Email: mclark@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: 10/4/2010

#### API NUMBER

05 123 32299 00

Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: 10/3/2012

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 970-397-4124 or e-mail at bo.brown@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
2621921	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST	LF@2547218 2621921
2621922	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS	LF@2547220 2621922
400064707	FORM 2 SUBMITTED	LF@2534578 400064707
400077908	WELL LOCATION PLAT	LF@2534579 400077908
400077909	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER	LF@2534580 400077909
400077910	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS	LF@2534581 400077910
400087972	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN	LF@2534582 400087972
400089113	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST	LF@2534583 400089113
400089114	PROPOSED SPACING UNIT	LF@2534584 400089114

Total Attach: 9 Files

### **General Comments**

<b><u>User Group</u></b>	<b><u>Comment</u></b>	<b><u>Comment Date</u></b>
Permit	Entered Location ID. Corrected distance to nearest well permitted in the same formation. PVG	9/28/2010 7:39:20 AM

Total: 1 comment(s)

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