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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 Pilot Hole
SINGLE ZONE MULTIPLE ZONE COMMINGLE ZONE

Refiling
Sidetrack

Document Number:
400105161
Plugging Bond Surety
20030110

3. Name of Operator: WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION 4. COGCC Operator Number: 96155

5. Address: 1700 BROADWAY STE 2300
City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80290

6. Contact Name: Larry Brown Phone: (307)237-9310 Fax: ()
Email: ld_brown@bresnan.net

7. Well Name: Pawnee Well Number: 16-13H

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

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 7229

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: NWSW Sec: 16 Twp: 10N Rng: 59W Meridian: 6
Latitude: 40.835220 Longitude: -103.992170

Footage at Surface: 1834 feet FNL/FSL FSL 413 feet FEL/FWL FWL

11. Field Name: _____ Field Number: _____

12. Ground Elevation: 5115 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 09/10/2010 PDOP Reading: 2.2 Instrument Operator's Name: Tim Leibert

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: 5280 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 413 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation: 5280 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.)

21. Mineral Ownership: Fee State Federal Indian Lease #: 8440.5

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):
All of Section 16, T10N-R59W

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 413 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 640

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: _____

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	9+5/8	36	1,500	421	1,500	0
OPEN HOLE	8+3/4			7,229			

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

33. Comments NO CONDUCTOR CASING WILL BE USED. THIS IS THE PILOT HOLE.

34. Location ID: 420186

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: Larry D. Brown

Title: Agent Date: 11/1/2010 Email: ld_brown@bresnan.net

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: 11/27/2010

API NUMBER
05 123 32493 00

Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: 11/26/2012

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 hr notice of MIRU to Bo Brown at 970-330-6085 or email at bo.brown@state.co.us.
- 2) Set surface casing per Rule 317d, cement to surface. Setting surface casing less than the approved depth is a permit violation unless prior written approval is obtained from the COGCC.
- 3) If completed, provide cement coverage from the intermediate casing shoe to a minimum of 200' above Niobrara. Verify cement with a cement bond log.
- 4) 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.
- 5) If dry hole, 40 sks cement 50' above Niobrara top, tag 50 sks cement ½ out, ½ in surface casing, 10 sks cement top of surface casing, cut 4' below GL, weld on plate, 5 sks cement in rat hole & 5 sks cement in mouse hole. Restore location.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
400105161	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
400105177	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400105179	TOPO MAP
400105206	DRILLING PLAN

Total Attach: 4 Files

General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
Permit	This is the pilot hole portion of permit which is being permitted after the approval of the lateral.	11/2/2010 10:46:46 AM

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