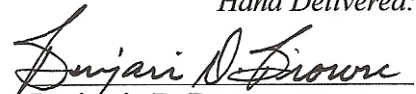


## Petroleum Development Corporation

December 10<sup>th</sup> 2010,

Benjamin D. Brown  
35954 WCR 69  
Briggsdale, Co. 80611

Hand Delivered:

  
Benjamin D. Brown

Notice of Drilling Operations  
Well Name: *Brown 13-2H*  
Township 6N Range 63W  
Sec. 2: *NWSE*  
Weld County, Colorado

Dear *Ben Brown*:

In accordance with the requirement of Rule 305.e.(1).B. of the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (COGCC), this letter serves as a 30-day notice by Petroleum Development Corporation (PDC) of its intention to conduct drilling operations on the captioned wells.

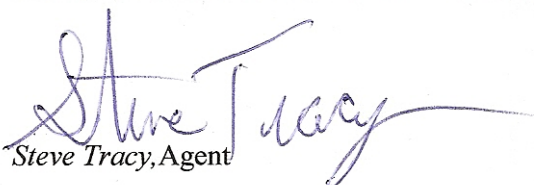
I will be contacting you shortly to schedule a consultation to discuss the location of the wellsite(s), access roads, production facilities and other related matters; however, the well location(s) may be staked prior to a consultation. Pursuant to Rule 306, you may also use the enclosed postage prepaid postcard to request a consultation or to designate a representative for surface consultation. You may waive the 30-day notice requirement; if so desired, please indicate on the enclosed postcard.

Additionally, enclosed please find a copy of the COGCC's brochure describing surface owner rights and responsibilities, and a copy of the COGCC's on-site inspection policy.

As surface owner you have the responsibility for notifying any affected tenant farmer, lessee or other party that may own or have an interest in any crops or surface improvements that could be affected by these proposed operations.

Should you have any questions regarding our operations or this notice, please feel free to contact me at contact me at 970-834-2055

Sincerely,  
PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

  
Steve Tracy, Agent

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