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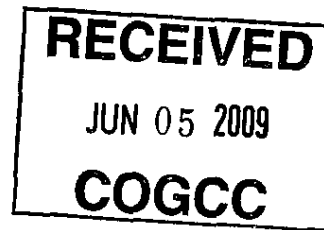


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May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2009

Ms Joan Savage  
5953 County Road 320  
Rifle, Co 81650

Certified Mailing Article # 7005 1820 0005 4849 7437

Re: **Advance Notice of Drilling Operations**  
Township 7 South, Range 94 West, 6<sup>th</sup>, P M  
Section 17. NWSW  
Garfield County, CO

Rulison Federal 17-13A	Jones 17-23A	Double B Ranch 18-43A BHL, SHL Sec 17
Rulison Federal 17-13B	Jones 17-23B	Double B Ranch 18-43B BHL, SHL Sec 17
Rulison Federal 17-13C	Jones 17-23C	Double B Ranch 18-43C BHL, SHL Sec 17
Rulison Federal 17-13D	Jones 17-23D	Double B Ranch 18-43D BHL, SHL Sec 17 ✓
Rulison Federal 17-14A	Jones 17-24A	
Rulison Federal 17-14B	Jones 17-24B	

Dear Mrs. Savage:

Pursuant to Rule 305 (1) B of the Rules and Regulations of the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC"), Noble Energy, Inc. ("Noble") hereby gives notice to you that it intends to commence operations for the drilling of a well or wells for oil and/or gas on the referenced lands no sooner than June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2009.

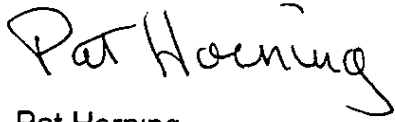
The attached plats illustrate the area, per COGCC rules and regulations, spacing orders or policies within which the well(s) may be located. Also the plats reflect the proposed location of the well(s) access road(s) and production facilities. The location of roads and production facilities as depicted on the plats are only proposed locations.

Prior to commencing these operations, as surface owner you have the responsibility for notifying any affected tenant. We will schedule an onsite consultation, if you request one to finalize the location of the well site(s), production facilities, pipelines and roads. The location will be staked before the consultation.

Our field Landmen Jim Kirkpatrick or Frank Jimenez can be reached at (970) 625-1494, Noble Energy Inc 800 Airport Road, Suite 3, Rifle, CO 81650.  
Thank you for your support of our exploration program

May 13, 2009

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Pat Horning". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped "P" and a long, sweeping "g".

Pat Horning  
Land Tech

Enclosures

cc Garfield County Local Governmental Designee

Jim Kirkpatrick  
Frank Jimenez