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Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
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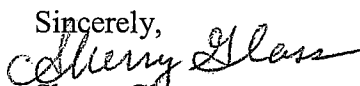
RE: Greater Wattenberg Area Rule 318c, "A well to be drilled in excess of two thousand five hundred (2,500) feet in depth shall be located not less than six hundred (600) feet from any lease line, and shall be located not less than one thousand two hundred (1,200) feet from any other producible or drilling oil or gas well when drilling to the same common source of supply, unless authorized by order of the Commission upon hearing. The Director may grant an operator's request for a well location exception to the requirements of this rule or any order because of geologic, environmental, topographic or archaeologic conditions, irregular sections, a surface owner request, or for other good cause shown, provided that a waiver or consent signed by the lease owner toward whom the well location is proposed to be moved, agreeing that said well may be located at the point at which the operator proposes to drill the well and where correlative rights are protected."

Dear Director,

K.P. Kauffman Company, Inc. respectfully requests an Exception Location for our well to be drilled: *KOESTER #18-33-5*, located in the SW/4NW/4, Sec. 33, T4N, R67W, 6th PM, Weld County, Colorado. The mineral owner has granted K.P. Kauffman Company, Inc. an exception by the **MINERAL** owner to Rule 318c) allowing the location to be closer than 600' from their lease line and an exception as determined by the COGCC. This exception location request is based on the mineral owners original waiver, allowing this location to be closer than 600' from the lease line. IF you have any questions, please contact Jason Lilley, CPL at 303-825-4822.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.
Thank you.

Sincerely,


Sherry Glass
Engineering Technician

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