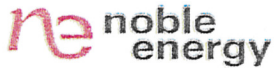


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May 20, 2011

Randall S. Lamp
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RE: **Surface Exception Location Consent**
KARAKAKES H14-63HN
Township 3 North, Range 65 West, 6th P.M.
Section 13: NW/4SW/4
Weld County, CO

Dear Mr. Lamp:

Noble Energy, Inc. ("Noble") plans to drill the KARAKAKES H14-63HN well (the "Well") at the referenced location which is more specifically described as 1,484 feet FSL, and 283 feet FWL which is outside the drilling window prescribed in Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC") Rule 318A.a.(1).

By signing this letter you hereby grant your consent to Noble to locate the Well outside of a GWA window as defined in COGCC Rule 318A.a.

We would like to thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions do not hesitate to call me at (970) 785-5000.

NOBLE ENERGY, INC.

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Nate McCorkell

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Randall S. Lamp'.

By: Randall S. Lamp

Date: 5/24/2011