

FORM
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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 ☐
SINGLE ZONE ☒ MULTIPLE ☐ COMMINGLE ☐

Refiling ☐

Sidetrack ☐

3. Name of Operator: ENCANA OIL & GAS (USA) INC

4. COGCC Operator Number: 100185

5. Address: 370 17TH ST STE 1700

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202-5632

6. Contact Name: JENNIFER LIND Phone: (720)876-5890 Fax: (720)876-6890

Email: JENNIFER.LIND@ENCANA.COM

7. Well Name: MELBON RANCH Well Number: 3A-17H

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

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 12023

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: NWSW Sec: 17 Twp: 2N Rng: 65W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.135420 Longitude: -104.692930

Footage at Surface: 1463 feet FNL/FSL 1243 feet FEL/FWL FWL

11. Field Name: WATTENBERG Field Number: 90750

12. Ground Elevation: 4940 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 08/20/2011 PDOP Reading: 1.7 Instrument Operator's Name: BURKE

15. If well is ☐ Directional ☒ Horizontal (highly deviated) **submit deviated drilling plan.**

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL 720 FSL 549 FWL 540 FSL 530 FEL FEL
Sec: 17 Twp: 2N Rng: 65W Sec: 17 Twp: 2N Rng: 65W

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: 1445 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 1189 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 211 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.)
NIOBRARA	NBRR	407	320	S/2

21. Mineral Ownership: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian Lease #:

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 Bond ☐ \$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):

T2N-R65W-SEC.17: N/2NE, S/2

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 530 ft

26. Total Acres in Lease: 400

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 28 or 29 are yes, is this location in a sensitive area (Rule 901.e)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

31. Mud disposal: ☒ Offsite ☐ Onsite

If 28, 29, or 30 are "Yes" a pit permit may be required.

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	Wt/Ft	Csg/Liner Top	Setting Depth	Sacks Cmt	Cmt Btm	Cmt Top
CONDUCTOR	24	16	30	0	80	80	80	0
SURF	12+1/4	9+5/8	40	0	800	198	800	0
1ST	8+3/4	7	26	0	7,733	947	7,733	500
2ND	6+1/8	4+1/2	13.5	0	12,023			

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

33. Comments ENCANA REQUESTS THE APPROVAL OF THE OMISSION OF OPEN HOLE LOGS ON THIS WELL. REQUEST LETTER ATTACHED. FORM 2A FOR THIS WELL IS ALREADY IN PROCESS (DOC ID 400205814).

34. Location ID: _____

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: JENNIFER LIND

Title: REGULATORY ANALYST Date: _____ Email: JENNIFER.LIND@ENCANA.

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: _____ Director of COGCC Date: _____

API NUMBER

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Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

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.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
400214600	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER
400214601	OTHER
400214605	MINERAL LEASE MAP
400214621	PROPOSED SPACING UNIT
400214692	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400214871	WELL LOCATION PLAT

Total Attach: 6 Files

General Comments

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