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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 ☐

Refilling ☒

Sidetrack ☐

Document Number:

400178657

PluggingBond SuretyID

20030009

3. Name of Operator: NOBLE ENERGY INC

4. COGCC Operator Number: 100322

5. Address: 1625 BROADWAY STE 2200

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

6. Contact Name: JEAN MUSE-REYNOLDS Phone: (303)228-4316 Fax: (303)228-4286

Email: jmuse@nobleenergyinc.com

7. Well Name: BATTLEMENT MESA Well Number: 34-31D (34F)

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

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 10031

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: SENW Sec: 34 Twp: 7S Rng: 95W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 39.396769 Longitude: -107.984602

Footage at Surface: 1534 feet FNL/FSL FNL 2312 feet FEL/FWL FWL

11. Field Name: RULISON Field Number: 75400

12. Ground Elevation: 8292 13. County: GARFIELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 01/10/2008 PDOP Reading: 2.7 Instrument Operator's Name: ROBERT WOOD

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

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL FEL/FWL Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL FEL/FWL
1129 FNL 2029 FEL 1129 FNL 2029 FEL
Sec: 34 Twp: 7S Rng: 95W Sec: 34 Twp: 7S Rng: 95W

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: 1501 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 335 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 299 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.)
WILLIAMS FORK	WMFK	139-53	640	ALL

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):

ON FILE WITH THE STATE OF COLORADO.

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 626 ft

26. Total Acres in Lease: 3721

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: CLOSED LOOP SYSTEM

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	20+0/0	16+0/0		0	100	15	100	0
SURF	14+3/4	9+5/8	24	0	3,000	550	3,000	0
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.6	0	10,031	650	10,031	

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

33. Comments Parasite String 3000'. The Production Casing Top of Cement will be 200 feet above Top of Gas. All conditions are the same as prior approved permit. The pad is located in Project Rulison 3-Mile Radius Tier II. DOE was notified 7/27/09. This pad has been built. 9 wells have already been drilled on this pad. The existing pit was closed 2/1/10. No new pits will be constructed. A closed loop system will be used for this APD. This re-file will not require any expansion/disturbance of the pad. This location does not require a variance from any of the rules listed in COGCC Rule 306.d (1). (A). (ii). This location is not in a wildlife restricted surface occupancy area. EHS&R Dept. recommendations: pro-active awareness, that H2S could be present in the drilling of wells that are currently being permitted in the Piceance Basin.

34. Location ID: 334384

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: JEAN MUSE-REYNOLDS

Title: REGULATORY COMPLIANCE Date: 10/25/2011 Email: jmuse@nobleenergyinc.com

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.

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Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
400178657	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
400217841	H2S CONTINGENCY PLAN
400217850	LOCATION DRAWING
400217851	LOCATION PICTURES
400217852	REFERENCE AREA PICTURES
400217859	CONST. LAYOUT DRAWINGS
400217869	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400217870	APD APPROVED

Total Attach: 8 Files

General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>

Total: 0 comment(s)

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<u>Type</u>	<u>Comment</u>
Drilling/Completion Operations	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Spill reporting and cleanup per COGCC guidelines, EPA regulations, CDPEH regulations, and Noble Energy Inc. policies.
Storm Water/Erosion Control	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stormwater management practices during construction and interim reclamations phases in accordance with CDPHE regulations.• Stormwater management practices in accordance with COGCC rules throughout the operating life of the locations.
General Housekeeping	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Waste minimization practices including re-use and recycling when practicable.• Waste management (handling and disposal) practices in accordance with COGCC rules and RCRA guidelines as applicable.• Good housekeeping practices relative to overall site condition.
Wildlife	Bird protection practices in accordance with the Migratory Bird Act.
Material Handling and Spill Prevention	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasure (SPCC) Plans in accordance with 40 CFR, Part 112.• Secondary containment for oil and produced water vessels in accordance with COGCC rules.
Planning	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Traffic minimization practices whenever possible in order to reduce dust, noise, congestion, road maintenance.• Noise minimization.• Use of multi-well pad sites for the purpose of minimizing areas of disturbance, traffic, and environmental impact.• Proper reclamation and reseeding practices in accordance with COGCC rules, landowner requirements and BLM stipulations as applicable.
Interim Reclamation	Use of portable toilets whenever long-term activities are occurring onsite.

Total: 7 comment(s)