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Mr. David Neslin
Colorado Oil & Gas Conservation Commission
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801
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Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation
Wolf 36-3624H
NE/4 NW/4 Section 36 T10N R59W

Dear Mr. Neslin,

Whiting Oil & Gas Corporation (Whiting) requests an exception to Rule 318.a of the Colorado Oil & Gas Conservation Commission. The proposed well would be located less than 1,200 feet from the existing well bores. The proposed bore path will cross the Terrace 36-11H existing bore path approximately 110 feet below the existing bore. The Terrace 36-11H well is located in the NW/4NW/4 of Section 36 and is operated by Whiting.

Whiting believes that additional reserves can be extracted by the proposed well due to the geologic nature of the Niobrara formation. The State of Colorado owns the minerals and will receive additional royalties from the production of the proposed well.

A signed waiver has been previously submitted to your office.

Please contact me at 307-237-9310 if you have any questions. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Michael L. Brown
Agent for Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation