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PluggingBond SuretyID  
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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: NOBLE ENERGY INC 4. COGCC Operator Number: 100322  
 5. Address: 1625 BROADWAY STE 2200  
 City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202  
 6. Contact Name: JAN KAJIWARA Phone: (303)228-4092 Fax: (303)228-4286  
 Email: jkajiwara@nobleenergyinc.com  
 7. Well Name: BOULTER G Well Number: 16-75HN  
 8. Unit Name (if appl): \_\_\_\_\_ Unit Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 11399

**WELL LOCATION INFORMATION**

10. QtrQtr: SWSE Sec: 16 Twp: 4N Rng: 65W Meridian: 6  
 Latitude: 40.307430 Longitude: -104.665610  
 Footage at Surface: 824 feet FNL/FSL 1947 feet FEL/FWL FEL  
 11. Field Name: WATTENBERG Field Number: 90750  
 12. Ground Elevation: 4807 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:  
 Date of Measurement: 10/04/2011 PDOP Reading: 1.2 Instrument Operator's Name: BRIAN T BRINKMAN

15. If well is  Directional  Horizontal (highly deviated) **submit deviated drilling plan.**  
 Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL 860 FSL 2565 FWL 535 Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL 2565 FEL/FWL FWL  
 Sec: 16 Twp: 4N Rng: 65W Sec: 16 Twp: 4N 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: 805 ft  
 18. Distance to nearest property line: 283 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 600 ft

**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	407-87	320	GWA

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#: 20030012  
 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):

PLEASE SEE ATTACHED.

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 535 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 501

### 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

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	18+1/2	16		0	100	6	100	0
SURF	13+3/4	9+5/8	36	0	550	276	550	0
1ST	8+3/4	7	26	0	7,490	524	7,490	
1ST LINER	6+1/8	4+1/2	11.6	7303	11,399			

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

33. Comments 2 WELL PAD WITH BOULTER G21-69HN AND BOULTER G16-75HN. 1ST STRING TOP OF CEMENT = 200' ABOVE NIOBRARA. THE PRODUCTION LINER WILL BE HUNG OFF INSIDE 7" CASING. UNIT CONFIGURATION = E/2W/2, W/2E/2 OF SECTION 16. NOBLE ENERGY INC. CERTIFIES THAT THE LEASES SHALL BE COMMITTED TO THE UNIT. IN THIS UNIT, THERE ARE BOTH STATE & FEE SURFACE OWNERS.

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: JAN KAJIWARA

Title: REGULATORY ANALYST Date: 2/13/2012 Email: jkajiwara@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
400224731	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
400228030	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400228044	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER
400228045	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400228046	WAIVERS
400251402	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST
400251403	LEGAL/LEASE DESCRIPTION
400251404	PROPOSED SPACING UNIT
400251406	DIRECTIONAL DATA

Total Attach: 9 Files

### General Comments

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

Total: 0 comment(s)

### BMP

<u>Type</u>	<u>Comment</u>
General Housekeeping	Housekeeping will consist of neat and orderly storage of materials and fluids. Wastes will be temporarily stored in sealed containers and regularly collected and disposed of at offsite, suitable facilities. If spills occur prompt cleanup is required to minimize any commingling of waste materials with stormwater runoff. Routine maintenance will be limited to fueling and lubrication of equipment. Drip pans will be used during routine fueling and maintenance to contain spills or leaks. Any waste product from maintenance will be containerized and transported offsite for disposal or recycling. There will be no major equipment overhauls conducted onsite. Equipment will be transported offsite for major overhauls. Cleanup of trash and discarded materials will be conducted at the end of each work day. Cleanup will consist of patrolling the roadway, access areas, and other work areas to pickup trash, scrap debris, other discarded materials, and any contaminated soil. These materials will be disposed of properly.
Storm Water/Erosion Control	Stormwater management plans (SWMP) are in place to address construction, drilling and operations associated with Oil & Gas development throughout the state of Colorado in accordance with Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) General Permit No. COR-038637. BMP's will be constructed around the perimeter of the site prior to, or at the beginning of construction. BMP's used will vary according to the location, and will remain in place until the pad reaches final reclamation.
Material Handling and Spill Prevention	Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasures (SPCC) plans are in place to address any possible spill associated with Oil & Gas operations throughout the state of Colorado in accordance with CFR 112.

Total: 3 comment(s)