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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

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: JAN KAJIWARA Phone: (303)228-4092 Fax: (303)228-4286

Email: jkajiwara@nobleenergyinc.com

7. Well Name: SHABLE USX AB Well Number: 11-65-1HNL

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

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 16402

## WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: NWSW Sec: 11 Twp: 7N Rng: 64W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.586020 Longitude: -104.525090

Footage at Surface: 2033 feet FNL/FSL FSL 250 feet FEL/FWL FWL

11. Field Name: WATTENBERG Field Number: 90750

12. Ground Elevation: 4823 13. County: WELD

### 14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 05/04/2012 PDOP Reading: 1.7 Instrument Operator's Name: ROBERT DALEY

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

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL 2309 FSL 900 FWL \_\_\_\_\_ Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL 2310 FSL 535 FEL/FWL FEL  
Sec: 11 Twp: 7N Rng: 64W Sec: 12 Twp: 7N Rng: 64W

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: 3260 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 250 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 343 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		640	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#: \_\_\_\_\_

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):  
 7N-64W SEC. 11: ALL, SEC. 12: E/2, SW/4

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 250 ft                      26. Total Acres in Lease: 1120

**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	
SURF	13+3/4	9+5/8	36	0	600	300	600	0
1ST	8+3/4	7	26	0	7,248	510	7,248	
1ST LINER	6+1/8	4+1/2	11.6	7097	16,402			

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

33. Comments    1ST STRING TOP OF CEMENT=200' ABOVE THE NIOBRARA. TWO WELL PAD WITH SHABLE USX AB11-64-1HNL. PRODUCTION FACILITY WILL BE LOCATED APPROX. 286' N OF WELL PAD DOC 400290518. EXCEPTION LOCATION TO RULE 318A.a and 318A.c REQUESTED AND ATTACHED. UNIT CONFIGURATION = SEC. 11: S/2N2/, N2/S2. SEC. 12: S/2N2, N/2S/2. Noble Energy will comply with the COGCC Policy for Bradenhead Monitoring during Hydraulic Fracturing Treatments in the Greater Wattenberg Area dated 5/29/12. NEAREST WELL SHABLE USX AB11-09P @ 343'.

34. Location ID:    416234

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: \_\_\_\_\_                      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: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>API NUMBER</b>
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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
400301828	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER
400301829	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400301830	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS
400314186	DIRECTIONAL DATA
400314187	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400335797	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST
400335799	PROPOSED SPACING UNIT
400335812	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY

Total Attach: 8 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>
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.
Drilling/Completion Operations	<p>1. At least seven (7) days prior to fracture stimulation, the operator is to notify all operators of non-operated wells within 300 feet of the wellbore to be fracture stimulated of the anticipated date stimulation date and the recommended best management practice to shut-in all wells within 300' of the stimulated wellbore completed in the same formation.</p> <p>2. The operator will have bradenhead pressure monitored for all wells identified within 300 feet of the well to be fracture stimulated. All wells within 300 feet are operated by Noble Energy, Inc.</p> <p>3. Bradenhead pressure gauges are to be installed 24 hours prior to stimulation. The gauges are to read at least once during every 24-hour period until 24-hours after stimulation is completed (post flowback). The gauges are to be of the type able to read current pressure and record the maximum encountered pressure in a 24-hour period. The gauge is to be reset between each 24-hour period. The pressures are to be recorded and saved. Alternate electronic measurement may be used to record the prescribed pressures. Data shall be kept for a period of one year.</p> <p>If at any time during stimulation or the 24-hour post-stimulation period, the bradenhead annulus pressure of the treatment well or offset wells increases more than 200 psig, as per Rule 341, the operator of the well being stimulated shall verbally notify the Director as soon as practicable, but no later than twenty-four (24) hours following the incident. Within fifteen (15) days after the occurrence, the operator shall submit a Sundry Notice, Form 4, giving all details, including corrective actions taken.</p>
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.
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.

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