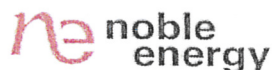


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May, 25, 2012

Shable Homestead, LLC  
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RE: **Surface Exception Location Consent**  
**Well Set-Back (Twinning) Exception Consent**  
SHABLE USX AB11-64-1HNL  
Township 7 North, Range 64 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.  
Section 11: NW/4SW/4  
Weld County, CO

Dear Mr. Shable:

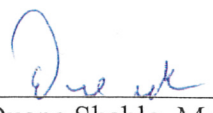
Noble Energy, Inc. ("Noble") plans to drill the SHABLE USX AB11-64-1HNL well (the "Well") at the referenced location which is more specifically described as 1995 feet FSL, and 250 feet FWL which is outside the drilling window prescribed in Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC") Rule 318A.a.(1).

By signing this letter you hereby grant your consent to Noble to locate the Well outside of a GWA window as defined in COGCC Rule 318A.a. Additionally, the Well is being proposed at a surface location approximately 410 feet from an existing surface well location. By signing this letter you also grant your consent to Noble to locate the Well more than 50 feet from the existing well as provided for under COGCC Rule 318A.c.(2).

We would like to thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions do not hesitate to call me at (970) 304-5000.

NOBLE ENERGY, INC.

  
Ryan Hawkins  
Land Negotiator

By:   
Duane Shable, Manager

Date: 5-25-12