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October 8, 2012

Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission  
The Chancery Building  
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite # 801  
Denver, Colorado 80203

Attn: Mr. Matt Lepore, Director

RE: Request to the Director Request to the Director for 318A.a Surface Location Exception (Outside 318A Drilling Window) and Request for Exception to Rule 603.a. (1)

Campbell JF #17-6D, being 1,512' FNL and 1,525' FEL.  
Campbell JF #17-13D, being 1,512' FNL and 1,510' FEL.  
Campbell JF #17-9D, being 1,512' FNL and 1,495' FEL.  
Campbell JF #17-8D, being 1,512' FNL and 1,480' FEL.  
Campbell JF #17-41D, being 1,512' FNL and 1,465' FEL.  
Niobrara/Codell New Drill  
Township 2 North, Range 65 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.  
Section 17: SW/4NE/4  
Weld County, Colorado

Mr. Lepore:

Great Western Oil and Gas Company, LLC is planning to drill the above mentioned wells to the Niobrara - Codell formation(s).

The surface location of Great Western's proposed wells has been staked outside of the 318A.a drilling window. The location is being permitted as an exception location. This location is a good location to both reduce the impact on the surface owner and to increase the number of wells reachable from one well pad to minimize surface disturbance. Great Western Oil and Gas Company, LLC has obtained permission, contained in a waiver, from the surface owner. Please see attached waiver.

Under 603.a Requiring that the wells drilled be located a distance of one hundred fifty (150) feet or one and one-half (1-1/2) times the height of the derrick, whichever is the greater, from any building unit public road, major above ground utility line or railroad. Great Western Oil and Gas Company, LLC has obtained permission, contained in a waiver, from the surface owner. Please see attached waiver.



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OIL & GAS COMPANY

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Great Western Oil and Gas Company, LLC respectfully requests that the COGCC review the enclosed information and approve the requested exception location waiver, rig height waiver and Application for Permit to Drill the captioned wells. Thank you for your attention to the enclosed.

Respectfully,

Janni Keidel  
Permitting Technician  
Great Western Oil and Gas Company, LLC  
1700 Broadway, Suite #650  
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**Great Western**  
OIL & GAS COMPANY  
LOCATION WAIVER

October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2012

Grace I. Campbell  
9517 County Road #41  
Fort Lupton, Colorado 80621

Re: Request for Exception to Rule 318 A(a)

Campbell JF 17-6D, 1,512' FNL and 1,525' FEL  
Campbell JF 17-13D, 1,512' FNL and 1,510' FEL  
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Township 2 North, Range 65 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.  
Section 17: S/2NE/4  
Weld County, Colorado

Dear Grace I. Campbell:

Great Western Oil and Gas Company ("GWOG") plans to drill the above oil and gas wells from the above described surface location.

Rule 318A(a) of the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC") Rules and Regulations requiring that the wells drilled in a square with sides four hundred (400) feet in length, the center of which is the center of any quarter/quarter or a square with sides eight hundred (800) feet in length, the center of which is the center of the quarter section.

Please waive this requirement showing your approval of the new wells being drilled at the location referenced above.

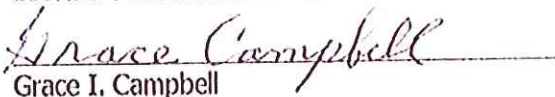
Therefore, please evidence your request to waive ("COGCC") Rule 318A(a) by signing below. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Gary P. Steele at (720) 494-1390 or (970) 686-8831.

Sincerely,



Gary P. Steele  
Great Western Oil and Gas Company, LLC

SIGNED FOR IDENTIFICATION:

  
Grace I. Campbell

Date: October 4, 2012

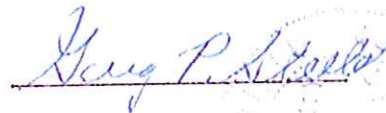
### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF COLORADO      }  
  }ss.  
COUNTY OF WELD         }

This foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2012, by Grace I. Campbell, to me that she duly executed the same as her free and voluntary act and deed for the purposes therein set forth.

Witness my hand and notarial seal.

[SEAL]



My commission Expires:

RETURN TO:  
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Great Western  
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RIG HEIGHT WAIVER

October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2012

Melborn Ranch, Inc.  
3173 52 Avenue  
Greeley, Colorado 80634-8766

Re: Request for Exception to Rule 603 a.(1)

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Weld County, Colorado

Dear Melborn Ranch, LLC:

Great Western Oil and Gas Company ("GWOG") plans to drill the above oil and gas wells from the above described surface location.

Rule 603 a.(1) of the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC") Rules and Regulations requiring that the wells drilled be located a distance of one hundred fifty (150) feet or one and one-half (1-1/2) times the height of the derrick, whichever is greater, from any building unit, public road, major above ground utility line or railroad. The closest surface location is approximately 190 feet from your property line.

Please waive this requirement showing your approval of the new wells being drilled at the location referenced above.

Therefore, please evidence your request to waive ("COGCC") Rule 603 a. (1) by signing below. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Gary P. Steele at (720) 494-1390 or (970) 686-8831.

Sincerely,

Sincerely,  
Harry P. Stahl

Gary P. Steele

Great Western Oil and Gas Company, LLC

SIGNED FOR IDENTIFICATION;

William O. Sarcos  
President.

Date: Oct 4, 2012

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF COLORADO

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COUNTY OF WELD

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This foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2012, by William D. Sarchet as the President of Melborn Ranch, Inc., Trustee, to me known to be the identical person described in and who executed the within and foregoing instrument of writing and acknowledge to me that he duly executed the same as his free and voluntary act and deed for the purposes therein set forth.

Witness my hand and notarial seal.

[SEAL]

Gray P. Steele

My commission Expires

GARY P. STEELE  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
STATE OF COLORADO  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 9/11/2015

RETURN TO:

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