

DESIGNATION OF AGENT

The undersigned is, on the records of the Bureau of Land Management, Unit Operator under the Whittaker Flats Unit Agreement, Mesa County, Colorado, No. COC75609X, approved and effective on December 20, 2012 and hereby designates:

Black Hills Plateau Production LLC
1515 Wynkoop Street, 5th Floor
Denver, CO 80202

as its agent, with full authority to act on its behalf in complying with the terms of the unit agreement and regulations applicable thereto and on whom the Authorized Officer or his representative may serve written or oral instructions in securing compliance with the Oil and Gas Operating Regulations with respect to drilling, testing, and completing the WHF DHS3C-19 D17 998 well in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 17, Township 9 South, Range 98 West, Mesa County, Colorado. Bond Coverage will be provided under Statewide BLM Bond No.: 000132.

It is understood that this Designation of Agent does not relieve the Unit Operator of responsibility for compliance with the terms of the unit agreement and the oil and gas operation regulations. It is also understood that this Designation of Agent does not constitute an assignment of any interest under the unit agreement or any lease committed thereto.

In case of default on the part of the designated agent, the Unit Operator will make full and prompt compliance with all regulations, lease terms, or orders of the Secretary of the Interior or his duly authorized representative.

The Unit Operator agrees promptly to notify the Authorized Officer of any change in the designated agent.

This Designation of Agent is deemed to be temporary and in no manner a permanent arrangement and a designated agent may not designate another party as agent.

This designation is given only to enable the agent herein designated to drill the above specified well. It is understood that this Designation of Agent is limited to the field operations performed while drilling and completing the specified well and does not include administrative actions requiring specific authorization of the Unit Operator. This designation in no way will serve as authorization for the agent to conduct field operations for the specified well after it has been completed for production. Unless sooner terminated, this designation shall terminate when there is filed in the appropriate office of the Bureau of Land Management all reports and a Well Completion Report and Log (Form 3160-4) as required by the approved Application for Permit to Drill for the specified well.

In the event the above specified well is completed as a non-paying unit well, the authority for the designated agent to operate this well shall be established by completion of the

Delegation of Authority to Operate Non-paying Unit Well form and submittal of the form in the appropriate office of the Authorized Officer.

Encana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc.
Unit Operator

By: Helen M. Capps
Date: **Helen M. Capps**
Attorney In Fact

By: _____
Authorized Officer
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