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October 7, 2015

State of Colorado
Attn: Matt Lepore
Oil & Gas Conservation Commission
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801
Denver, CO 80203

Re: Rule 318A.a., A.c. Exception Location Request

Olson 4N67W30N Pad, NWNE Sec. 30 T4N R64W, Weld County, Colorado
Wells: Olson 30M-223 (doc #401042443), Olson 30M-223 (doc #401042443), Olson 30M-323 (doc #401043836), Olson 30M-403 (doc #401043857), Olson 30R-203 (doc #401043892), Olson 30R-223 (doc #401043923), Olson 30R-303 (doc #401043981), Olson 30R-343 (doc #401044011), Olson 30U-343 (doc #401044028)

Dear Director:

PDC Energy, Inc. ("PDC") is requesting an exception to Rule 318A.a. and Rule 318A.c. for the above-captioned well(s).

The location(s) are planned outside of a GWA window and are not within 50' of an existing well. This location is a good location in order to drill horizontal wells with sufficient lateral length in the producible zone and build sufficient production facilities on location.

We respectfully request that you approve this waiver to reduce the impact on the surface owner and surface operations. Attached is the Exception Location Waiver signed by the surface owner, Roger E. Olson on behalf of Olson Bros Management, LLC.

If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at (303) 860-5800.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kelsi Welch".

Kelsi Welch
Regulatory Analyst
PDC Energy, Inc.