



Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP

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Mr. Troy Swain (tswain@weldgov.com)
Oil & Gas Liaison and LGD
Weld County Planning Department
1555 North 17th Avenue
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Re: Request for Form 2 Expedited Approval – Surface Owner Waiver Due to Unexpected Circumstances
Meguire 1 (Document #401395378)
Meguire 2 (Document #401395379)
Meguire 4N-16HZ Pad (Location ID #331104 / Document #401395377)
Section 21: NW
Township 2 North, Range 65 West, 6th P.M.
Weld County, Colorado

Dear Mr. Swain:

Pursuant to Rule 303.i, please be advised that Kerr-McGee Oil and Gas Onshore LP (KMG) intends to request COGCC expedited approval of Form 2 for the above-captioned wells due to exigent circumstances. The Meguire 1 (Document #401395378) and Meguire 2 (Document #401395379) wells are being drilled to access the previously drilled Adamson 35C-28HZ (API #05-123-41824 / Document #400833307) and Adamson 28N-28HZ (API #05-123-41821 / Document #400833290) wells to allow for the subsurface plugging and abandonment of the Adamson wells. The Meguire wells will not produce hydrocarbons and they will be subsequently plugged and abandoned at the conclusion of operations. In order to qualify for expedited approval, KMG must obtain a written waiver of certain provisions of Rule 305.c Local Government Designee.

Specifically, KMG respectfully requests that Weld County waive the twenty (20) day comment period for the Form 2 applications for the Meguire 1 and Meguire 2 wells. The circumstances necessitating this request are as follows:

- Adamson 35C-28HZ – *coiled tubing became stuck in the well during operations to prepare the well for production and is unable to be retrieved from the surface. KMG is preparing to access the well from the subsurface (via the Meguire #1 well) to properly plug and abandon the Adamson wellbore.*
- Adamson 28N-28HZ – *small-diameter measurement equipment became lodged in the well during operations and is unable to be retrieved from the surface. KMG is preparing to access the well from the subsurface (via the Meguire #2 well) to properly plug and abandon the Adamson wellbore.*

- Based on our operations schedule, the wells are anticipated to spud during the week of September 25th. This will allow KMG to drill the access wells, plug and abandon both Adamson wells, and subsequently plug and abandoned the Meguire wells.

KMG believes that expedited approval is prudent in this instance as it will allow operations to commence in a timely manner and allow for operations to be conducted in a prudent and safe manner.

Please waive the Rule 305.c comment period by signing below and return the executed copy to my attention via electronic mail (nathan.bennett@anadarko.com). I can be reached via telephone (720-929-3159) should you wish to discuss this in further detail.

Your time and consideration in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully,

KERR-MCGEE OIL AND GAS ONSHORE LP



Nathan S. Bennett
Regulatory Manager

I, Troy Swain, in my capacity as Local Government Designee for Weld County (CO), hereby waive the Rule 305.c comment period of twenty (20) days for the Meguire 1 and Meguire 2 Form 2 applications.

By: Troy E Swain 9-20-2017

Troy Swain
Local Government Designee
Weld County, CO