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X/15**State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203
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Inspection Date:

03/19/2019

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674902681**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**

Loc ID 328587	Inspector Name: Beam, Russell	On-Site Inspection <input type="checkbox"/>	2A Doc Num: _____	Status Summary: <input type="checkbox"/> THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED <input type="checkbox"/> NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED Findings: 4 Number of Comments 1 Number of Corrective Actions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corrective Action Response Requested
Operator Information: OGCC Operator Number: <u>100322</u> Name of Operator: <u>NOBLE ENERGY INC</u> Address: <u>1001 NOBLE ENERGY WAY</u> City: <u>HOUSTON</u> State: <u>TX</u> Zip: <u>77070</u>				
ANY CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) FROM PREVIOUS INSPECTIONS THAT HAVE NOT BEEN ADDRESSED ARE STILL APPLICABLE				

Contact Information:			
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Inspected Facilities:							
Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
248372	WELL	PA	10/28/2013	SI	123-16170	KARCH BLUE D 24-12	PA

General Comment:

This is a Final Reclamation Inspection for the PA Well. Well was plugged 10/28/2013.

Inspection was conducted on 3/19/19 by I, Russell Beam, COGCC Reclamation Specialist at the location.

The following Corrective Actions were observed during the Inspections..

1004,a Final Reclamation. This location is not in compliance due to the presence of undesirable species and the reclamation is not at percent cover and has non-uniform establishment of perennial cover – CA Date 3/19/2019.

Operator is directed to perform corrective actions outlined on this inspection report immediately. Doing so may decrease the duration of the alleged violations and the penalties that may be assessed pursuant to Rule 523.

End of summary.

Reclamation - Storm Water - Pit**Interim Reclamation:**

Date Interim Reclamation Started: _____ Date Interim Reclamation Completed: _____

Land Use: _____

Comment: _____

1002 SITE PREPARATION AND STABILIZATION

1002a. FENCING _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002b. SOIL REMOVAL AND
SEGREGATION _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002c. PROTECTION OF SOILS _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002E. SURFACE DISTURBANCE MINIMIZATION _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1003a. Waste and Debris removed? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Unused or unneeded equipment onsite? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Pit, cellars, rat holes and other bores closed? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Guy line anchors marked? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

- 1003b. Area no longer in use? _____ Production areas stabilized ? _____
- 1003c. Compacted areas have been cross ripped? _____
- 1003d. Drilling pit closed? _____ Subsidence over on drill pit? _____
- Cuttings management: _____
- 1003e. Areas no longer needed for drilling or subsequent operations for have been re-vegetated to 80% of pre-existing? _____
- Production areas have been stabilized? _____ Segregated soils have been replaced? _____

RESTORATION AND REVEGETATIONCropland

Top soil replaced _____ Recontoured _____ Perennial forage re-established _____

Non-Cropland

Top soil replaced _____ Recontoured _____ 80% Revegetation _____

1003e. INTERIM VEGETATION TRANSECT

TRANSECT RESULTS OF DISTURBED AREA% _____

TRANSECT RESULTS OF REFERENCE AREA% _____

TOTAL % OF DESIRABLE VEGETATION COVER _____

VEGETATIVE COVER _____

1003 f. Weeds Noxious weeds? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____ Date _____

Overall Interim Reclamation**Final Reclamation/ Abandoned Location:**

Date Final Reclamation Started: _____ Date Final Reclamation Completed: _____

Final Land Use: _____

Reminder: _____

Comment: _____

Well plugged _____ Pit mouse/rat holes, cellars backfilled _____

Debris removed _____ No disturbance /Location never built _____

Access Roads _____ Regraded _____ Contoured _____ Culverts removed _____

Gravel removed _____

Location and associated production facilities reclaimed _____ Locations, facilities, roads, recontoured _____

Compaction alleviation _____ Dust and erosion control _____

Non cropland: Revegetated 80% **Fail** Cropland: perennial forage _____

Weeds present **Fail** Subsidence _____

1004.d. FINAL VEGETATION TRANSECT

TRANSECT RESULTS OF DISTURBED AREA% _____

TRANSECT RESULTS OF REFERENCE AREA% _____

TOTAL % OF DESIRABLE VEGETATION COVER _____

VEGETATIVE COVER _____

Comment: **This location is not in compliance with Rule 1004a due to the presence of undesirable species and the reclamation is not at percent cover and has non-uniform establishment of perennial cover. Please refer to the attached inspection photos for more detail.**

Corrective Action: _____ Date _____

Perform reclamation in accordance to COGCC 1004 reclamation rules and requirements. Establish vegetation with total perennial, non-invasive uniform plant cover of at least eighty (80) percent of reference area levels. Ensure erosion controls are implemented to stabilize the seeded soil. Operator shall continue to monitor and manage this site until the location meets Rule 1004 standards. Operator is directed to perform corrective actions outlined on this inspection report immediately. Doing so may decrease the duration of the alleged violations and the penalties that may be assessed pursuant to Rule 523.

Overall Final Reclamation

Fail

Well Release on Active Location ☐Multi-Well Location ☐**Storm Water:**

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment

Comment: At the time of this inspection, some rill erosion was observed on the South end of the location and along the access road.

Corrective Action:

Date: _____

Pits: ☐ NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

Attached Documents

You can go to COGCC Images (<https://cogcc.state.co.us/weblink/>) and search by document number:

Document Num	Description	URL
401991740	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4780363
674902733	Inspection Photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4780347