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**State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**

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06/22/2020

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FIELD INSPECTION FORM

Loc ID 329752 Inspector Name: Binschus, Chris On-Site Inspection 2A Doc Num: _____

Status Summary:

- THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION
- FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED
- NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED

Operator Information:

OGCC Operator Number: 100322
Name of Operator: NOBLE ENERGY INC
Address: 1001 NOBLE ENERGY WAY
City: HOUSTON State: TX Zip: 77070

Findings:

- 5 Number of Comments
- 2 Number of Corrective Actions
- Corrective Action Response Requested

ANY CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) FROM PREVIOUS INSPECTIONS THAT HAVE NOT BEEN ADDRESSED ARE STILL APPLICABLE

Contact Information:

Contact Name	Phone	Email	Comment
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Inspected Facilities:

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
329752	LOCATION	CL			-	STATE-64N64W 16NWNE	RI

General Comment:

[This inspection is in response to a reclamation complaint regarding a tank battery location. See complaint section for more details.](#)

Location

Overall Good:

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date: _____

Good Housekeeping:

Type	STORAGE OF SUPL		
Comment:	Unused supplies were observed at the northern entrance of the tank battery. Refer to the attached inspection photos.		
Corrective Action:	Comply with Rule 1004.a to remove the unused supplies.	Date:	07/10/2020

Overall Good:

Spills:

Type	Area	Volume		

In Containment: No

Comment:

Multiple Spills and Releases?

Venting:

Yes/No			
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Flaring:

Type		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

Inspected Facilities

Facility ID: 329752 Type: LOCATION API Number: - Status: CL Insp. Status: RI

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 _____

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 REVEGETATION

Cropland

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 Pass 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 In Locations, facilities, roads, recontoured _____

Compaction alleviation _____ Dust and erosion control _____

Non cropland: Revegetated 80% _____ Cropland: perennial forage In

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:

	<p>Operator has performed recent final reclamation activities with the evidence of fresh mulch and germination of some desirable plant species. However, annual weedy vegetation (lambquarter, Kochia and Setaria sp. (foxtail)) and some noxious weeds (Canada thistle and puncturevine) were observed. Canada thistle was observed at the early bud growth stage.</p> <p>Operator shall continue to monitor and manage this site until the location meets Rule 1004 standards, including stormwater and weed management. Operator may have to perform additional reclamation activities this Fall if desirable establishment is not achieved.</p> <p>Operator has failed to re-install a portion of fence along the tank battery entrance.</p>	
Corrective Action:	<p>Comply with Rule 1004.e. to control and manage all noxious weeds by July 10, 2020.</p> <p>Collaborate with the surface owner to re-install fencing along the entrance of the tank battery as soon as practicable.</p>	Date 07/10/2020
Overall Final Reclamation	Fail	Well Release on Active Location <input type="checkbox"/>
		Multi-Well Location <input type="checkbox"/>

Storm Water:

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

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date: _____

Pits: NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

Attached Documents

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

Document Num	Description	URL
402432819	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5185746
697501676	Inspection Photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5185745