

BEFORE THE OIL & GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION BY KERR- )  
MCGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE LP FOR AN ORDER ) CAUSE NO. 407  
POOLING ALL INTERESTS IN FOUR APPROXIMATE )  
240-ACRE TO 480-ACRE DESIGNATED HORIZONTAL ) DOCKET NO. *To be assigned*  
WELLBORE SPACING UNITS LOCATED IN PORTIONS )  
OF SECTION 4, TOWNSHIP 1 NORTH, RANGE 67 WEST, )  
6<sup>TH</sup> P.M., AND SECTIONS 28 AND 33, TOWNSHIP 2 )  
NORTH, RANGE 67 WEST, 6<sup>TH</sup> P.M., FOR THE )  
DEVELOPMENT/OPERATION OF THE CODELL AND )  
NIOBRARA FORMATIONS, WATTENBERG FIELD, )  
WELD COUNTY, COLORADO )

APPLICATION

Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP ("Kerr-McGee" or "Applicant", Operator No. 47120), by and through its attorneys, Beatty & Wozniak, P.C., respectfully submits this Application to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado (the "Commission") for an order pooling all interests in four approximate 240-acre to 480-acre horizontal wellbore spacing units established for portions of Section 4, Township 1 North, Range 67 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M. and Sections 28 and 33, Township 2 North, Range 67 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., for development and operation of the Codell and Niobrara Formations. In support of its Application, Applicant states and alleges as follows:

1. Applicant is a limited partnership formed under the laws of the State of Delaware; is a wholly owned subsidiary of Anadarko Petroleum Corporation; is duly authorized to conduct business in the State of Colorado; and is a registered operator in good standing with the Commission.

2. Applicant owns substantial leasehold interests in the below-listed lands:

Township 1 North, Range 67 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.

Section 4: NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$

Township 2 North, Range 67 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.

Section 28: SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$

Section 33: W $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$

*Weld County, Colorado*

*Wellbore Spacing Unit ("WSU") No. 1*

Township 1 North, Range 67 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.

Section 4: N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$

Township 2 North, Range 67 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.

Section 28: S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$

Section 33: E $\frac{1}{2}$

*Weld County, Colorado*

*WSU Nos. 2 and 3*

Township 1 North, Range 67 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.

Section 4: NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$

Township 2 North, Range 67 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.

Section 28: SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$

Section 33: E $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$

*Weld County, Colorado*

*WSU No. 4*

These lands are hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Application Lands" and depicted in Exhibits A-1 through A-3 attached hereto.

3. On April 27, 1998, the Commission adopted Rule 318A. which, among other things, allowed certain drilling locations to be utilized to drill or twin a well, deepen a well or recomplete a well and to commingle any or all of the Cretaceous Age Formations from the base of the Dakota Formation to the surface. On December 5, 2005, Rule 318A. was amended to allow interior infill and boundary wells to be drilled and wellbore spacing units to be established. On August 8, 2011, Rule 318A. was again amended to, among other things, address drilling of horizontal wells. The Application Lands are subject to Rule 318A.

4. Pursuant to Rule 318A., Applicant designated an approximate 240-acre horizontal wellbore spacing unit, comprised of WSU #1, for the Hunziker 2N-4HZ well (API No. Pending) for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation. Applicant notified all owners in the proposed wellbore spacing unit pursuant to Rule 318A.e.(6). Applicant did not receive any objections to the establishment of the proposed wellbore spacing unit within the 30-day response period.

5. Pursuant to Rule 318A., Applicant also designated an approximate 480-acre horizontal wellbore spacing unit, comprised of WSU #2, for the Hunziker 27C-4HZ well (API No. Pending) for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation. Applicant notified all owners in the proposed wellbore spacing unit pursuant to Rule 318A.e.(6). Applicant did not receive any objections to the establishment of the proposed wellbore spacing unit within the 30-day response period.

6. Pursuant to Rule 318A., Applicant also designated an approximate 480-acre horizontal wellbore spacing unit, comprised of WSU #3, for the Hunziker 1N-4HZ well (API No. Pending) for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation. Applicant notified all owners in the proposed wellbore spacing unit pursuant to Rule 318A.e.(6). Applicant did not receive any objections to the establishment of the proposed wellbore spacing unit within the 30-day response period.

7. Pursuant to Rule 318A., Applicant also designated an approximate 240-acre horizontal wellbore spacing unit, comprised of WSU #4, for the Hunziker 26N-4HZ well (API No. Pending) for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation. Applicant notified all owners in the proposed wellbore spacing unit pursuant to Rule 318A.e.(6). Applicant did not receive any objections to the establishment of the proposed wellbore spacing unit within the 30-day response period.

8. The Hunziker 2N-4HZ well, the Hunziker 27C-4HZ well, the Hunziker 1N-4HZ well, and the Hunziker 26N-4HZ well are hereinafter referred to as "Subject Wells."

9. Acting pursuant to the applicable Colorado statutes and COGCC regulations, Applicant seeks an order pooling all interests, including, but not limited to, any nonconsenting interests and leased mineral interests, in four approximate 240-acre to 480-acre horizontal wellbore spacing units established for the Application Lands for the development and operation of the Codell and Niobrara Formations.

10. Applicant requests that the pooling order entered as a result of this Application be made effective as of the date of this Application.

11. Further, Applicant requests that any nonconsenting interests with whom the Applicant has been unable to secure a lease or other agreement to participate in the drilling of the Subject Wells, are made subject to the cost recovery provisions of §34-60-116(7), C.R.S.

12. The granting of this Application is in accord with the Oil and Gas Conservation Act, found at §§34-60-101, *et seq.*, C.R.S., and the Commission rules.

13. Applicant requests that relief granted under this Application should be effective on oral order by the Commission, and Applicant hereby agrees to be bound by said oral order.

14. That the names and addresses of the interested parties (persons who own any interest in the mineral estate of the tracts to be pooled, except owners of overriding royalty interest) according to the information and belief of the Applicant are set forth in Exhibit B attached hereto. The Applicant shall submit a certificate of service for the Application within the seven days as required by Rule 503.e.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that this matter be set for hearing, that notice be given as required by law and that upon such hearing, this Commission enter its order:

A. Pooling all interests in four approximate 240-acre to 480-acre horizontal wellbore spacing units established for the Application Lands, for the development and operation of the Codell and Niobrara Formations, with the pooling order made effective as of the date of this Application.

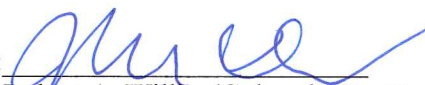
B. Providing that the nonconsenting interests of any owners with whom the Applicant has been unable to secure a lease or other agreement to participate in the drilling of the Subject Wells, are pooled by operation of statute, pursuant to §34-60-116(6) & (7), C.R.S., and made subject to the cost recovery provisions thereof.

C. For such other findings and orders as the Commission may deem proper or advisable in the premises.

DATED this 17<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,

**KERR-MCGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE LP**

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STATE OF COLORADO

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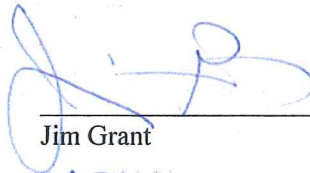
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Jim Grant, Staff Landman for Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP, upon oath deposes and says that he has read the foregoing Application and that the statements contained therein are true to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

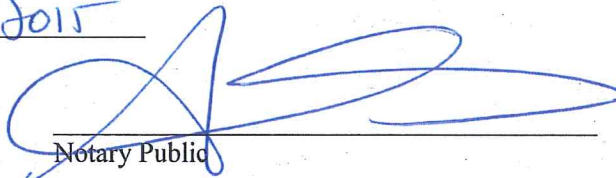
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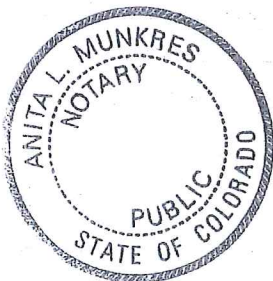
  
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Jim Grant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of November, 2014, by Jim Grant, Staff Landman for Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP.

Witness my hand and official seal.

My commission expires: 8/8/2015

  
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Notary Public



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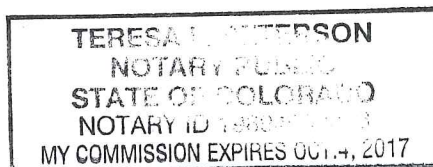
Jennifer Pittenger, of lawful age, and being first duly sworn upon her oath, states and declares:


That she is a Legal Assistant at Beatty & Wozniak, P.C., attorneys for Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP, and on or before November 25, 2014, caused a copy of the attached Application to be deposited in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the parties listed on Exhibit B to the Application.

  
Jennifer Pittenger

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2014.

Witness my hand and official seal.

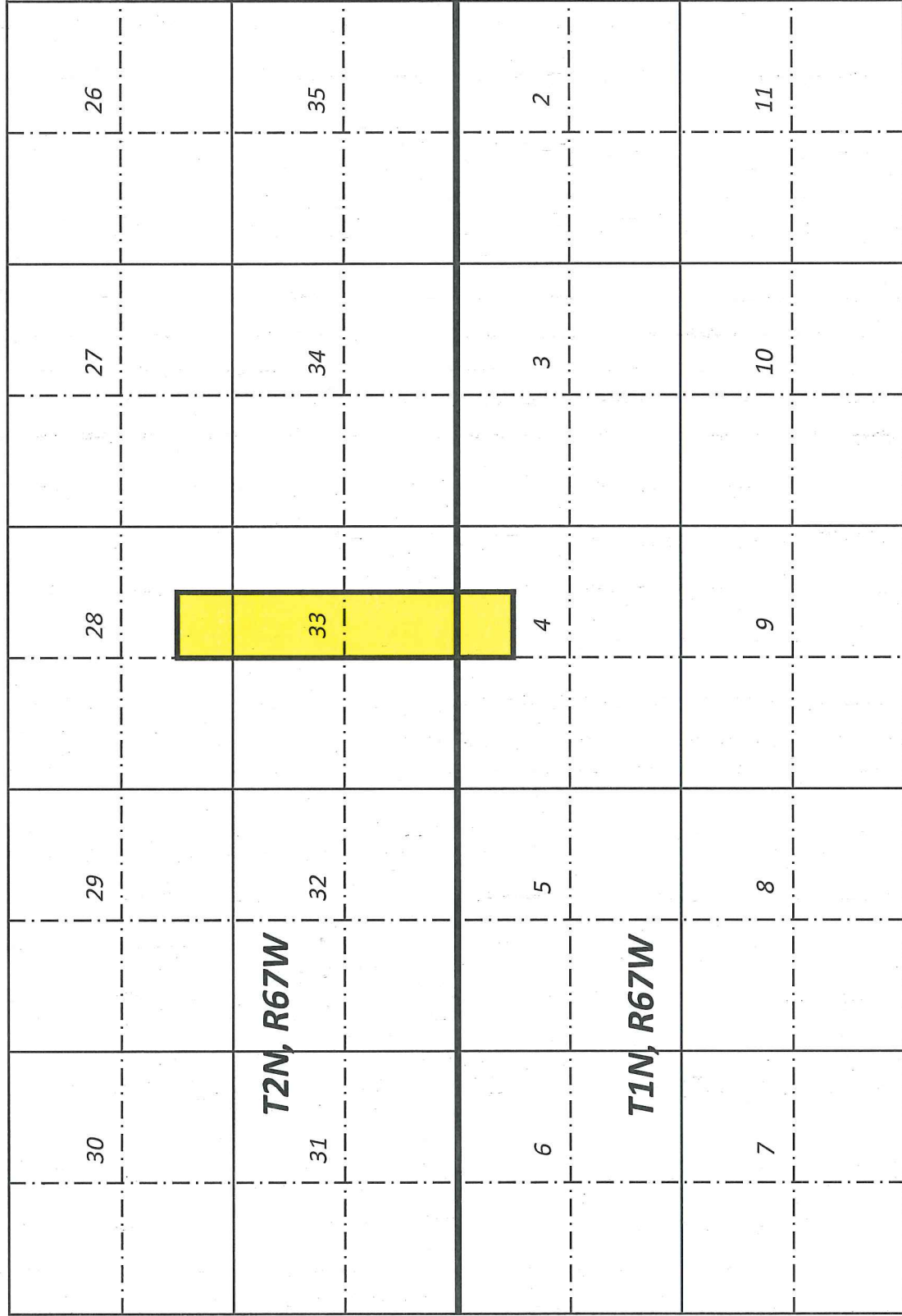


  
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T1N R67W and T2N R67W  
Weld County, WSU #1

Exhibit A-1  
Application Map

Application Lands - 

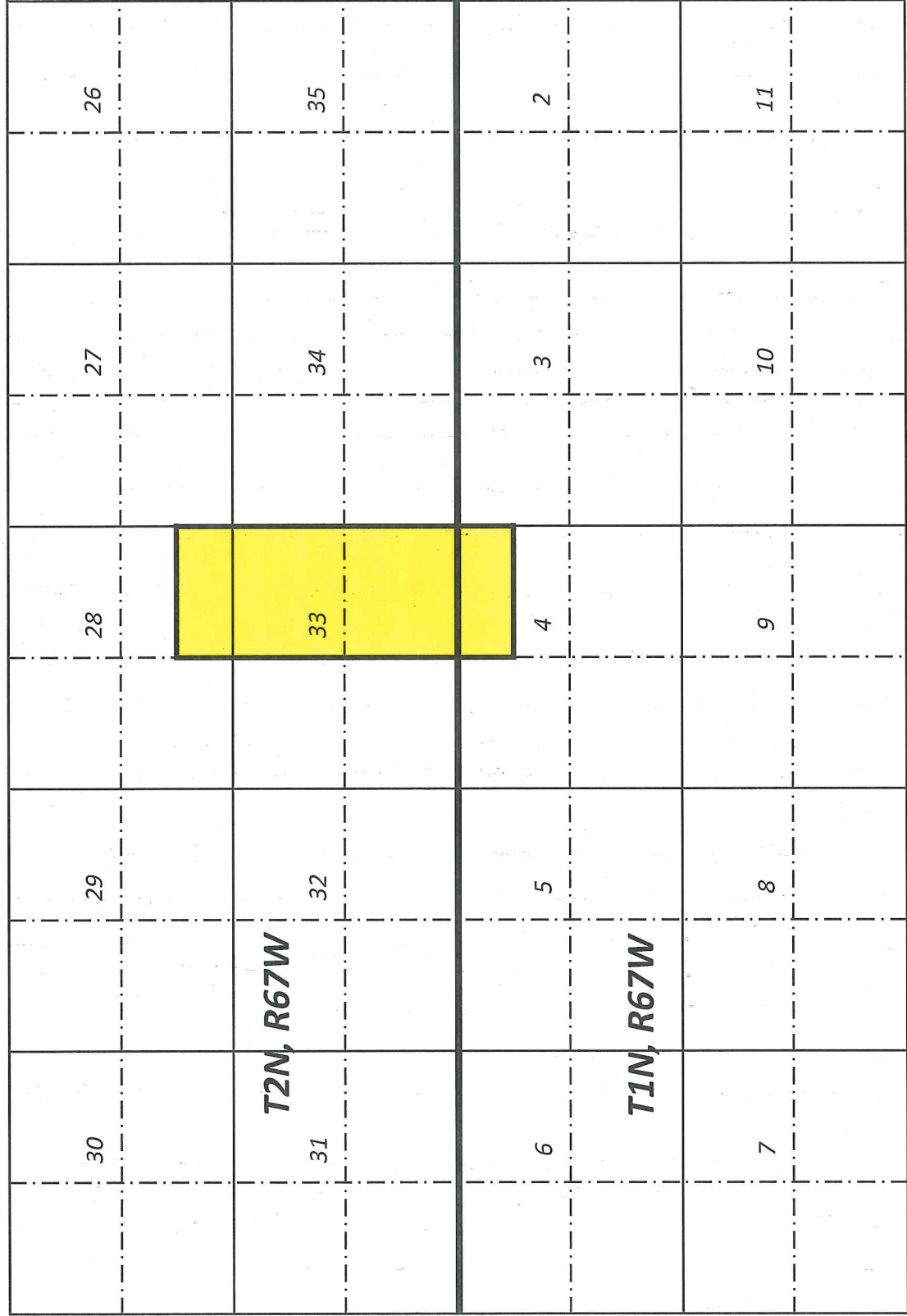




T1N R67W and T2N R67W  
Weld County, WSU #2 and #3

**Exhibit A-2**  
Application Map

Application Lands - 



T1N R67W and T2N R67W  
Weld County, WSU # 4

Exhibit A-3  
Application Map

Application Lands - 

30	29	28	27	26
T2N, R67W 31	32	33	34	35
6	5	4	3	2
T1N, R67W	8	9	10	11
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## EXHIBIT B

### INTERESTED PARTIES

The names and addresses of the interested parties (persons who own any interest in the mineral estate of the tracts to be pooled, except owners of overriding royalty interest) according to the information and belief of the Applicant are set forth in this Exhibit B.

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