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State of Colorado

Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO:

1. Drill, Deepen, Re-enter, Recomplete and Operate

2. TYPE OF WELL

OIL GAS COALBED OTHER _____
SINGLE ZONE MULTIPLE ZONE COMMINGLE ZONE Refiling Sidetrack

Document Number:

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Plugging Bond Surety

20030009

3. Name of Operator: NOBLE ENERGY INC 4. COGCC Operator Number: 1003225. Address: 1625 BROADWAY STE 2200City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 802026. Contact Name: Cheryl Johnson Phone: (303)228-4437 Fax: (303)228-4286Email: cheryljohnson@nobleenergyinc.com7. Well Name: Phillips Well Number: 23-1-20

8. Unit Name (if appl): _____ Unit Number: _____

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 7612

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: SW/NE Sec: 23 Twp: 5N Rng: 67W Meridian: 6Latitude: 40.386970 Longitude: -104.856870Footage at Surface: 1931 FNL/FSL FNL 1654 FEL/FWL FEL11. Field Name: Wattenberg Field Number: 9075012. Ground Elevation: 4965 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 04/26/2010 PDOP Reading: 1.2 Instrument Operator's Name: Michael Dilka15. If well is Directional Horizontal (highly deviated) **submit deviated drilling plan.**

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL _____ FEL/FWL _____ Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL _____ FEL/FWL _____

2548 FNL 2556 FEL 2548 FNL 2556 FELSec: 23 Twp: 5N Rng: 67W Sec: 23 Twp: 5N Rng: 67W16. Is location in a high density area? (Rule 603b)? Yes No17. Distance to the nearest building, public road, above ground utility or railroad: 3254 ft18. Distance to nearest property line: 977 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation: 935 ft

20. LEASE, SPACING AND POOLING INFORMATION

Objective Formation(s)	Formation Code	Spacing Order Number(s)	Unit Acreage Assigned to Well	Unit Configuration (N/2, SE/4, etc.)
Codell	CODL	407-87	160	SWNE, SENW, NESW, NWSE
Niobrara	NBRR	407-87	160	SWNE, SENW, NESW, NWSE

21. Mineral Ownership: Fee State Federal Indian Lease #: _____

22. Surface Ownership: Fee State Federal Indian

23. Is the Surface Owner also the Mineral Owner? Yes No Surface Surety ID#: _____

23a. If 23 is Yes: Is the Surface Owner(s) signature on the lease? Yes No

23b. If 23 is No Surface Owners Agreement Attached or \$25,000 Blanket Surface Bon \$2,000 Surface Bond \$5,000 Surface Bond

24. Using standard QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng format enter entire mineral lease description upon which this proposed wellsite is located (attach separate sheet/map if you prefer):
5N-67W Sec 23: NE/4

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 75 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 160

DRILLING PLANS AND PROCEDURES

27. Is H2S anticipated? Yes No If Yes, attach contingency plan.

28. Will salt sections be encountered during drilling? Yes No

29. Will salt (>15,000 ppm TDS CL) or oil based muds be used during drilling? Yes No

30. If questions 27 or 28 are yes, is this location in a sensitive area (Rule 903)? Yes No **If 28, 29, or 30 are "Yes" a pit permit may be required.**

31. Mud disposal: Offsite Onsite

Method: Land Farming Land Spreading Disposal Facility Other: Closed Loop

Note: The use of an earthen pit for Recompletion fluids requires a pit permit (Rule 905b). If air/gas drilling, notify local fire officials.

Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Weight Per Foot	Setting Depth	Sacks Cement	Cement Bottom	Cement Top
SURF	12+1/4	8+5/8	24	500	210	500	0
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.6	7,612	712	7,612	

32. BOP Equipment Type: Annular Preventer Double Ram Rotating Head None

33. Comments Conductor casing won't be used for this well. 1st String TOC = 200 ft above Niobrara. The proposed well will be on location w/existing Phillips 23-13. It will be twinning with the proposed Phillips 23-1-21. This APD was originally permitted by Petro-Canada. The permit expired so Noble submitted a sundry to abandon location but is now choosing to refile the permit and drill the well. The production will go to an existing tank battery approximately 2000' NW of well location.

34. Location ID: 322543

35. Is this application in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan ? Yes No

36. Is this application part of submitted Oil and Gas Location Assessment ? Yes No

I hereby certify all statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct, and complete.

Signed: _____ Print Name: Cheryl Johnson

Title: Regulatory Analyst II Date: _____ Email: cheryljohnson@nobleenergyinc

Based on the information provided herein, this Application for Permit-to-Drill complies with COGCC Rules and applicable orders and is hereby approved.

COGCC Approved: _____ Director of COGCC Date: _____

Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

API NUMBER

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CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

All representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in the Form 2A for this location shall constitute representations, stipulations and conditions of approval for this Form 2 Permit-to-Drill and are enforceable to the same extent as all other representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in this Permit-to-Drill.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name	Doc Description
400096925	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER	Phillips 23-1-20 30 Day Ltr.pdf
400096926	PLAT	Phillips 23-1-20 Plat.pdf
400096928	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS	Phillips 23-1-20 Except Loc Waiver.pdf
400107186	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY	Surface Use Agreement.pdf
400107815	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST	Phillips 23-1-20 Except Loc Rqst.pdf
400107816	PROPOSED SPACING UNIT	Phillips 23-1-20 Proposed Spacing Unit.pdf

Total Attach: 6 Files