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David Neslin Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission 1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801 Denver, CO 80203

Re: Request for Waiver of Notice of Decision, COGCC Rule 305.d.(1)

Melbon Ranch 43-17

NESE, Section 17, T2N, R65W

Weld County, Colorado

Dear Mr. Neslin:

Please accept this notice as EnCana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc.'s request for a waiver of notification of decision to Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission Rule 305.d.(1) and to our request for a hearing before the Commission pursuant to Rule 503.b. for the referenced well.

EnCana has received waivers from the surface owner, William D. Sarchet, and the Local Government Designee, Weld County, waiving Rule 305.d.(1) of the COGCC as it applies to the Melbon Ranch 43-17 notification of decision and any conditions of approval to the operator and to any party with standing to request a hearing before the Commission pursuant to Rule 503.b. (waivers attached as required).

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 720-876-5339.

Sincerely,

Jěvin Croteau

Regulatory Analyst

Attachment