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Jack C. and Donna J. Wheeler  
5909 E. County Line Road  
Erie, CO 80516



Re: Notice of Operations - Wheeler #31-1 Well  
Township 1 North, Range 69 West  
Section 1: SW/4NE/4 (surface location)  
Boulder County, Colorado

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler:

In accordance with the requirement of Rule 305 of the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC"), this letter serves as a 30-day notice by EnCana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc. ("EnCana") of its intention to conduct drilling operations on the captioned well. EnCana's operations are estimated to begin during the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter of 2007 pending receipt of required permits, approval of title and drilling rig availability.

EnCana's representative, Peter Scott, will be contacting you within the next several days to schedule a consultation to discuss the location of the wellsite, access roads, production facilities and other related matters, however the well location may be staked prior to a consultation. Enclosed for your review is an informational copy of COGCC's notification, consultation and reclamation rules regarding oil and gas operations. The COGCC regulations provide that the surface owner may waive the 30-day notice requirement or designate a representative for surface consultation. Enclosed is an owner response form and we ask that you indicate your preference with regard to the consultation requirement and return the form in the self-addressed stamped envelope provided for your convenience.

Also enclosed for your review is a copy of a policy recently adopted by the COGCC addressing on-site inspection requests including a form for requesting such an inspection.

As the surface owner, it is your responsibility to notify any affected tenant farmer, lessee or other party that may own or have an interest in any crops or surface improvements that could be affected by these proposed operations.

Should you have concerns regarding the surface location, please contact Peter at 303-818-1208 or if you have questions about this notice, you may reach Cynthia Danner-Weide at 720-876-5140

Very truly yours,

ENCANA OIL & GAS (USA) INC.

*Lesley Hall*  
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cc: Peter Scott; Cathi Boles