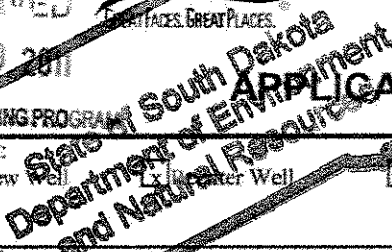




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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL

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Type of Work: Drill New Well Other Driller Well Drill Directional Well

Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Injection Other

Name and Address of Operator: LUFF EXPLORATION COMPANY, 1580 LINCOLN STREET, SUITE 850, DENVER, CO 80203 Telephone: (303) 861-2468

Name and Address of Surface Owner: Steven Johnson 6617 White Birch Ct., Lino Lakes, MN 55014; Judy Gillespie, 724 State Street, Dalton, NE 6913; Wanda Thompson, 7526 Oakland Ave. S., Richfield, MN 55423

Name and Address of Drilling Contractor and Rig Number: C&H Well Service, Inc., 6480 Swanson Rd, Gillette, WY 82718, Rig # 104

Surface Location of Well: Qtr-Qtr, Sec, Twp, Rge, County, Feet from Nearest Lines of section, and latitude and longitude (if available):
 SESW Sec 4-T22N-R6E, Harding Co., 1,190' FSL & 2,210' FWL, Lat: 45° 53' 44.02", Long: 103° 23' 18.39"

If Directional, top of pay and bottom hole location from nearest lines of section:
 West Lateral ST-1: Top of pay est @ 10,580' MD = 8,919' TVD; BHL @ 1,290' FSL & 530' FWL Sec 4-T22N-R6E
 East Lateral ST-1: Top of pay est @ 11,413' MD = 8,935' TVD; BHL @ 1,300' FSL & 530' FEL Sec 4-T22N-R6E

Acres in Spacing (Drilling) Unit: Total Unitized area: Approx 4836 acres Description of Spacing Unit: Pete's Creek Red River Unit

Well Name and Number	Elevation	Field and Pool, or Wildcat	Proposed Depth and Formation		
Johnson N-4H	2928' Graded 2943' KB	Pete's Creek Red River Unit	West = 10,580' MD, 8,919' TVD, RR "B" East = 11,413' MD, 8,935' TVD, RR "B"		
Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Weight per Foot	Depth	Cementing Program (amount, type, additives)	Depth
1) 12-1/4"	8-5/8"	24#	1992'	600 sks Lite tailed w/ 200 sks Premium	Surface
2) 7-7/8"	5-1/2"	15.5# & 17#	9160'	1st Stg: 290 sks Premium	6,800'
3)				2nd Stg: 178 sks Lite tailed w/ 125 sks Premium	3,500'
4) 4-1/2"	None		Various		

Describe Proposed Operations (Clearly State all Pertinent Details, and Give Pertinent Dates, including Estimated Date of Starting any Proposed Work). Use Additional Page(s) if appropriate.

This is an existing injection well in Pete's Creek Red River Unit. Original Permit # 1776 issued on 4/13/06. Original API # 40 063 20603. Propose to stop injection operation, re-enter and drill one sidetrack lateral off each of the two existing laterals as follows: Drill West ST-1 off existing West Lateral approximately 9,191'-10,580' MD = 8,919' TVD at BHL approximately 1,290' FSL & 530' FWL Sec 4-T22N-R6E. Drill East ST-1 off existing East Lateral approximately 9,036'- 11,413' MD = 8,935' TVD at BHL approximately 1,300' FSL & 530' FEL sec 4-T22N-R6E. Horizontal laterals to be drilled with fresh water/polymer. All drilling fluids and cuttings will be contained in a pit lined with 12 mil plastic. All liquids will be disposed of in an approved method, the liner and cuttings will be buried in place. The estimated start date is 9/1/11.

I hereby certify that the foregoing as to any work or operation performed is a true and correct report of such work or operation.

Signature: Bill Organ Name (Print): Bill Organ Drilling Consultant Title: 6/7/11 Date: 6/7/11

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Approved by: [Signature] Title: Administrator
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Conditions, if any, on attached page.