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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL

Type of well:
 Drill New Well Re-enter Well Drill Directional Well Oil Well Gas Well Injection
 Other _____ Other _____

Name and Address of Operator: Telephone
 North Finn LLC 950 Stafford Casper, WY 82609 (307) 237-7854

Name and Address of Surface Owner:
 Clark Blake HCR 62 Box 22, Belle Fourche, SD 57719

Name and Address of Drilling Contractor and Rig Number:
 Rainbow Drilling P.O. Box 353 Evansville, WY 82636

Surface Location of well: Qtr-Qtr, Sec, Twp, Rge, County, feet from nearest lines of section, and latitude and longitude (if available):
 SWSE Sec. 23 T15N R3E Harding County, 1860' FEL & 660' FSL Lat= 45d14'38.18" Long= 103d43'7.35"
 If Directional, top of pay and bottom hole location from nearest lines of section:

Acres in Spacing (Drilling) Unit Description of Spacing Unit
~~160~~ 380 ~~SE~~ Sec. 23 T15N R3E

Well Name and Number	Elevation	Field and Pool, or Wildcat	Proposed Depth and Formation
Blake State #15-23-15-3	3073.4'	Cady Creek	1500' Shannon

Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Weight per Foot	Depth	Cementing Program (amount, type, additives)	Depth
1) 8 3/4"	7"	17.0	400'	100 sks Class "G"	400'
2) 6 1/4"	4 1/2"	11.6	1500'	200 sks Class "G"	1500'
3)					
4)					

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.

Drill well with KCL mud system.
 Surface pits will be lined with a 12 mil pit liner.
 Anticipated spud date is January 2, 2009.
 Surface owner and Mineral owner are the same.

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

Wayne L. Neumiller Wayne Neumiller Manager/Member 12/12/2008
 Signature Name (Print) Title Date

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Approved By: Judith Stille Title: Oil and Gas Supervisor

Permit No. 1906 API No. 40 063 20677 Date Issued: January 8, 2009

Conditions, if any, on attached page.