

Exhibit 9

For Devon:

What is the purpose of the hydraulic fracturing you expect to conduct on your wells? to improve the conductivity of the reservoir to the wellbore.

In particular, is one of the purposes to increase the ultimate recovery of hydrocarbons?

yes

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