

BEFORE THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

CASE NO. 5785  
(CONTINUED)  
ORDER NO. 6757

IN THE MATTER OF A HEARING CALLED ON A  
MOTION OF THE COMMISSION TO CONSIDER THE  
APPLICATION OF PLACID OIL CO. FOR AN ORDER  
ALLOWING A SECOND WELL TO BE PERMITTED  
AND DRILLED ON A SPACING UNIT FOR THE  
DICKINSON-LODGEPOLE POOL DESCRIBED AS  
THE N/2 OF SECTION 31, T.140N., R.96W., STARK  
COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA, OR, ALTERNATIVELY,  
ESTABLISHING A ZONE OF 160-ACRE SPACING  
WITHIN THE DICKINSON-LODGEPOLE POOL  
DESCRIBED AS SAID N/2 OF SECTION 31.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

Pursuant to legal notice this cause came on for hearing at 9:00 a.m.  
on the 27th day of October, 1993, in Bismarck, North Dakota, before an examiner  
appointed by the Industrial Commission of North Dakota, hereinafter referred  
to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this 12th day of November, 1993, the Director, on behalf of  
the Commission as authorized by the Commission, having considered the  
testimony adduced and the exhibits received at said hearing, and being fully  
advised in the premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the  
Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That counsel for the applicant requests that this case be  
dismissed without prejudice.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That this case is dismissed without prejudice.  
Dated this 12th day of November, 1993.

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION  
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

By the Director, on behalf of the Commission.

/s/ Wesley D. Norton, Director