

BEFORE THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

CASE NO. 5843
ORDER NO. 6762

IN THE MATTER OF A HEARING CALLED ON A
MOTION OF THE COMMISSION TO CONSIDER THE
APPLICATION OF CONOCO INC. FOR AN ORDER
OF THE COMMISSION POOLING ALL INTERESTS
IN A SPACING UNIT FOR THE DICKINSON-
LODGEPOLE POOL DESCRIBED AS THE N/2 OF
SECTION 31, T.140N., R.96W., STARK COUNTY,
NORTH DAKOTA, AUTHORIZING THE RECOVERY
FROM EACH NONPARTICIPATING LESSEE A RISK
PENALTY AS PROVIDED BY NORTH DAKOTA
CENTURY CODE SECTION 38-08-08 AND SUCH
OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE
COMMISSION DEEMS APPROPRIATE.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

Pursuant to legal notice this cause came on for hearing at 9:00 a.m.
on the 17th day of November, 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 3rd day of December, 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 continued
to the regularly scheduled hearing on December 15, 1993.

(3) That there were no objections to said request.

(4) That this case should be continued to the regularly scheduled
hearing on December 15, 1993.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That this case is hereby continued to the regularly scheduled
hearing on December 15, 1993.

Dated this 3rd day of December, 1993.

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

By the Director, on behalf of the Commission.

/s/ Wesley D. Norton

Wesley D. Norton
Director