

North Dakota Industrial Commission
Docket for Hearing
Wednesday, July 25, 2007 @ 9:00 a.m.

N.D. Oil & Gas Division
1016 East Calgary Avenue
Bismarck, North Dakota

- Case No. 9570: Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Pogo Producing Co., #1-17H Pegasus, SWSW Section 17, T.158N., R.96W., Williams County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
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- Case No. 9571: Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Upton Resources USA Inc. #1-27H Davis Creek, SWSW Section 27, T.139N., R.100W., Billings County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
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- Case No. 9572: Proper spacing for the development of the White Lake-Madison Pool, Mountrail County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Baldwin Expl. Corp.
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- Case No. 9573: Application of Samson Resources Co. for an order authorizing the flaring of gas from the Nordstog #14-23-161-98H, SESE Section 14, T.161N., R.98W., Divide County, ND, Whiteaker-Bakken Pool, as an exception to NDCC § 38-08-06.4 or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9447: (Continued) Proper spacing for the development of the Juno-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Samson Resources Co.
- Case No. 9557: (Continued) Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Samson Resources Co., #15-162-97H Wenstad, SESE Section 15, T.162N., R.97W., Divide County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
- Case No. 9558: (Continued) Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Samson Resources Co., #24-25-162-96 Miller, SESE Section 24, T.162N., R.96W., Divide County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
- Case No. 9559: (Continued) Proper spacing for the development of the Whiteaker-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Samson Resources Co.
- Case No. 9574: Application of Prima Exploration, Inc. for an order authorizing the flaring of gas from the Nelson Farms #1-24H, SESE of Section 24, T.156N., R.92W., Mountrail County, ND, Ross-Bakken Pool, as an exception to the provisions of NDCC § 38-08-06.4 and for such other relief as is appropriate.

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- Case No. 9575: Application of Prima Exploration, Inc. for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the Lakeside-Midale/Nesson Pool to create a 960-acre spacing unit comprised of the SW/4 of Section 28, the S/2 of Section 29, the N/2 of Section 32 and the NW/4 of Section 33, T.163N., R.89W., Burke County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well within said spacing unit not less than 500 feet to the boundary of the spacing unit and for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9576: Application of Slawson Exploration Co., Inc. for an order extending and amending the MonDak-Bakken Pool to establish a 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 19 and 30, T.147N., R.104W., McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within said spacing unit at a location not less than 500 feet from the boundary of said spacing unit and such other and further relief as appropriate.
- Case No. 9577: Application of Tracker Resource Development, LLC for an order creating two 1280-acre drilling units comprised of Sections 12 and 13, T.143N., R.94W and Sections 1 and 12, T.144N., R.94W., Dunn County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within each drilling unit at a location not less than 500 feet from the boundary of each drilling unit as an exception to the provisions of NDAC § 43-02-03-18, and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9578: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order creating six 1280-acre drilling units comprised of Section 6, T.145N., R.96W., and Section 31, T.146N., R.96W; Sections 7 and 18; Sections 8 and 17; Sections 19 and 30; Sections 20 and 29; and Sections 21 and 28, T.146N., R.96W., Dunn County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within each drilling unit at a location not less than 500 feet from the boundary of each drilling unit as an exception to the provisions of NDAC § 43-02-03-18 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9579: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order creating three 1280-acre drilling units comprised of Sections 28 and 33; and Sections 29 and 32, T.150N., R.96W., McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within each drilling unit at a location not less than 500 feet from the boundary of each drilling unit as an exception to the provisions of NDAC § 43-02-03-18, and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9580: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit comprised of Sections 2 and 11, T.156N., R.95W., Williams County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within said drilling unit at a location not less than 500 feet from the boundary of said drilling unit as an exception to the provisions of NDAC § 43-02-03-18 and such other relief as is appropriate.

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- Case No. 9581: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDCC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Malkowski #1-35H, Sections 26 and 35, T.143N., R.99W., St. Demetrius-Bakken Pool, Billings County, ND; authorizing the recovery from each nonparticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9582: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDCC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the J. H. Skarphol #1-31H, Section 31, T.161N., R.94W., Stoneview-Winnipegosis Pool, Burke County, ND; authorizing the recovery from each nonparticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9546: (Continued) Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Continental Resources, Inc. #1-11H Fenster, NWNW Section 11, T.160N., R.96W., Divide County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
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- Case No. 9547: (Continued) Proper spacing for the development of the Ash-Red River Pool, Bowman County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Continental Resources, Inc.
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- Case No. 9548: (Continued) Proper spacing for the development of the Larson-Madison Pool, Burke County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Continental Resources, Inc.
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- Case No. 9408: (Continued) Proper spacing for the development of the Larson-Bakken Pool, Burke County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Continental Resources, Inc.
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- Case No. 9583: Application of Ansbros Petroleum Co., LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Anderson State #43-30H, Section 30, T.143N., R.97W., and Section 25, T.143N., R.98W., Little Knife-Bakken Pool, Dunn and Billings Counties, ND; authorizing the recovery from each nonparticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9584: Application of Ansbros Petroleum Co., LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Gresz State 14-36H, Section 36, T.143N., R.98W., Little Knife-Bakken Pool, Billings County, ND; authorizing the recovery from each nonparticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.

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- Case No. 9585: Application of Ansbros Petroleum Co., LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Kadmas 41-1H, Section 6, T.142N., R.97W., and Section 1, T.142N., R.98W., Willmen-Bakken Pool, Dunn and Billings Counties, ND; authorizing the recovery from each nonparticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9586: Application of Ansbros Petroleum Co., LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Steffan #13-29H, Sections 28 and 29, T.143N., R.97W., Willmen-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND; authorizing the recovery from each nonparticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9587: Application of Ansbros Petroleum Co., LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the State 11-32H, Section 32, T.143N., R.97W., Willmen-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND; authorizing the recovery from each nonparticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9588: Application of Eagle Operating, Inc. for an order, pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 authorizing the drilling of the EFMU #21, NWNW of Section 32, T.163N., R.90W., East Flaxton-Madison Unit, Burke County, ND, for the injection of fluids in the unitized formation pursuant to NDAC 43-02-05 and providing such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9589: Application of Eagle Operating, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 authorizing the drilling of the EFMU #22, SENW of Section 32, T.163N., R.90W., East Flaxton-Madison Unit, Burke County, ND, for the injection of fluids in the unitized formation pursuant to NDAC 43-02-05 and for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9560: (Continued) Proper spacing for the development of the Russian Creek-Red River Gas Pool, Dunn County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Eagle Operating, Inc.
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- Case No. 9561: (Continued) Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDCC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Ehlert #1-35H, NWNW of Section 35, T.153N., R.90W., Parshall-Bakken Pool, Mountrail County, ND; authorizing the recovery from each nonparticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9465: (Continued) Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Sinclair Oil & Gas Co., #6-25 Saetz Federal, Section 36, T.147N., R.98W., McKenzie County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
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- Case No. 9590: Application of Headington Oil, LP for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit comprised of Section 4, T.147N., R.96W., and Section 33, T.148N., R.96W., Dunn County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well at a location not less than 500 feet from the boundary of said proposed drilling unit as an exception to the provisions of NDAC § 43-02-03-18 and for such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 9591: Application of Headington Oil, LP for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit comprised of Sections 17 and 18, T.154N., R.95W., Williams County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well at a location not less than 500 feet from the boundary of said proposed drilling unit as an exception NDAC § 43-02-03-18 and for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9592: Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Headington Oil LP, #44X-3 Marmon Hahn, SESE, Section 3, T.154N., R.95W., Williams County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
- Case No. 9593: Proper spacing for the development of the Capa-Bakken Pool, Williams County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Headington Oil LP; Hess Corp.,
- Case No. 9594: Proper spacing for the development of the Blue Buttes-Bakken Pool, McKenzie County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Hess Corp.; Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co., LP;
- Case No. 9595: Application of Hess Corp. for an order authorizing crude oil produced from various Bakken wells drilled on spacing or drilling units consisting of Sections 27 through 34, T.152N., R.95W., and Sections 3 through 6 of T.151N., R.95W., McKenzie County, ND, to be commingled in a central tank battery, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9596: Application of Hess Corp. for an order authorizing crude oil produced from various Bakken wells in the Hawkeye Field and vicinity to be commingled with oil produced from other pools at one or more central facilities in the Hawkeye Field, McKenzie County, ND, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9597: Application of Hess Corp. for an order authorizing crude oil produced from various Bakken wells in the Antelope Field and vicinity to be commingled with oil produced from other pools at one or more central facilities in the Antelope Field, McKenzie County, ND, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9598: Application of Hess Corp. for an order granting a flaring exemption under NDCC § 38-08-06.4 for the H. Rice #1-26H, with a surface location in the NWNW of Section 26, T.158N., R.94W., Mountrail County, ND.

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- Case No. 9599: Application of Hess Corp. for an order establishing a 1280-acre spacing unit within Zone II of the Tioga-Bakken Pool described as Sections 13 and 24, T.157N., R.95W., Williams County, ND or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9600: Application of Hess Corp. for an order extending the outline of the Ross Field to include Sections 25 and 36, T.156N., R.92W., Mountrail County, ND, and including said lands within Zone II of the Ross-Bakken Pool, for which spacing has been established on the basis of one horizontal well per 1280 acres, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9540: (Continued) Application of Hess Corporation for an order granting a flaring exemption under NDCC § 38-08-06.4 for the Enget #4-11H, with a surface location in the NWNW of Section 4, T.157N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND.
- Case No. 9601: Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co., LP #11-9H Candee, NWNW Section 9, T.146N., R.95W., Dunn County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
- Case No. 9602: Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co., LP #44-36H State Weydahl, SESE Section 36, T.147N., R.96W., Dunn County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
- Case No. 9603: Application of Burlington Resources Oil and Gas Co. LP for an order creating two 1280-acre drilling units comprised of Section 36, T.146N., R.96 West and Section 1, T.145N., R.96W., and Sections 6 and 7, T.145N., R.95W., Dunn County, ND; authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within each such drilling unit at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary thereof, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9604: Application of Burlington Resources Oil and Gas Co. LP for an order creating two 1280-acre drilling units comprised of Sections 5 and 8 and Sections 17 and 20, T.149N., R.96W., McKenzie County, ND; authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within each such drilling unit at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary thereof, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9605: Application of Burlington Resources Oil and Gas Co. LP for an order amending Order No. 8814 and any other applicable orders to eliminate the requirement that quarterly 72-hour well tests be filed on each well in the Cedar Hills South-Red River "B" Unit, Bowman County, ND or for such other relief as is appropriate.

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- Case No. 9606: Proper spacing for the development of the Bailey-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Marathon Oil Co., PDC Corp.
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- Case No. 9607: Application of Marathon Oil Co. for an order amending the field rules for the Bailey-Bakken Pool so as to allow a second well to be drilled on a 1280-acre spacing unit described as all of Sections 18 and 19, T.146N., R.94W., Dunn County, ND, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9608: Application of PDC Corp. for an order pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Buehner 21-2H well, Sections 2 and 11, T.146N., R.94W., Dunn County, ND; and authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08; and for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9609: Application of PDC Corp. for an order pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Klatt 34-33H, Section 33, T.146N., R.94W., Dunn County, ND; and authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08; and for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9610: Application of PDC Corp. for an order extending the outline of the Black Slough Field to include the N/2 and SE/4 of Section 35, T.162N., R.93W., Burke County, ND, and further establishing a 640-acre spacing unit for the Black Slough-Madison Pool consisting of said Section 35 and allowing a horizontal well to be drilled at any location thereon not closer than 500 feet to the boundary of such spacing unit, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9611: Application of Whiting Oil & Gas Corp. for an order establishing a 960-acre spacing unit for the Bicentennial-Birdbear Pool consisting of Section 17 and the W/2 of Section 20, T.144N., R.103W., Golden Valley County, ND, and allowing a horizontal well to be drilled at any location thereon not closer than 500 feet to the boundary of such spacing unit, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9612: Application of Whiting Oil & Gas Corp. for an order pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Bicentennial-Birdbear Pool described as Section 17 and the W/2 of Section 20, T.144N., R.103W., Golden Valley County, ND, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9613: Application of Whiting Oil & Gas Corp. for an order allowing a well to be drilled to a depth sufficient to test the Red River Formation at a location approximately 2,510 feet from the west line and 1,520 feet from the south line of Section 2, T.156N., R.97W., Williams County, ND, as an exception to the requirements of NDAC § 43-02-03-18.

- Case No. 9614: Application of Whiting Oil & Gas Corp. for an order authorizing the completion of the Meyer AGI 41-11, NENE Section 11, T.156N., R.97W., Williams County, ND, for the injection and disposal in the Inyan Kara Formation of acid gas produced from the Foss Natural Gas Processing Plant pursuant to NDAC Chapter 43-02-05 or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9615: Application of Whiting Oil & Gas Corp. for an order extending the outline of the Sanish Field to include all of Sections 34 and 35, T.154N., R.91W., Sections 3, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 26, 27 and 34, T.153N., R.91W., and Section 6, T.152N., R.91W., Mountrail County, ND; designating the following 1280-acre spacing units in Zone II of the Sanish-Bakken Pool: Sections 34 and 35, T.154N., R.91W.; Sections 3 and 4; Sections 7 and 8; Sections 9 and 10; Sections 11 and 12; Sections 13 and 14; Sections 17 and 18; Sections 26 and 27; Sections 33 and 34, T.153N., R.91W.; Sections 26 and 27, T.153N., R.92W.; Sections 2 and 3; Sections 5 and 6; Sections 10 and 11, T.152N., R.92W.; Section 6, T.152N., R.91W., and Section 1, T.152N., R.92W., Mountrail County, ND; and Sections 11 and 12, T.152N., R.93W., McKenzie and Mountrail Counties, ND and for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9616: Application of Whiting Oil & Gas Corp. for an order pursuant to NDCC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in the following spacing units for the Sanish-Bakken Pool: Sections 34 and 35, T.154N., R.91W.; Sections 3 and 4; Sections 7 and 8; Sections 9 and 10; Sections 11 and 12; Sections 13 and 14; Sections 17 and 18; Sections 26 and 27; Sections 33 and 34, T.153N., R.91W.; Sections 26 and 27, T.153N., R.92W.; Sections 2 and 3; Sections 5 and 6; Sections 10 and 11, T.152N., R.92W.; Section 6, T.152N., R.91W., and Section 1, T.152N., R.92W., Mountrail County, ND; and Sections 11 and 12, T.152N., R.93W.; McKenzie and Mountrail Counties, ND and further authorizing applicant to recover the non-consent penalty provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 from the interest of any mineral owner or lessee who elects not to lease or participate in the risk and cost of drilling a well on said spacing units; and for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9617: Application of Luff Exploration Co. for an order amending Order No. 10963 insofar as it determines that the first incremental oil production from the Grand River-Red River "B" Unit, Bowman County, ND, occurred in May, 2005, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9618: Application of Petro-Hunt, L.L.C., for an order extending the outline of the Charlson Field to include the SE/4 of Section 35, T.154N., R.95W., McKenzie County, ND, and amending existing orders to designate a 640-acre spacing unit for the Charlson-Bakken Pool consisting of the S/2 of said Section 35 and the S/2 of Section 36, T.154N., R.95W., McKenzie County, ND, and allow a horizontal well with one or more laterals to be drilled at any location within said spacing unit not closer than 500 feet to the boundary thereof, or for such other relief as is appropriate.

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- Case No. 9480: (Continued) Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Nadel and Gussman Rockies, LLC #16-32 Raider Fee, SE/4 SE/4 Section 32, T.131N., R.103W., Bowman County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
- Case No. 9529: (Continued) Application of Penn Virginia Oil & Gas LP for an order establishing a 1280-acre drilling unit consisting of Sections 30 and 31, T.149N., R.98W., McKenzie County, ND, and allowing a horizontal well to be drilled at any location on such drilling unit not closer than 500 feet to the boundary of said drilling unit, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9619: Application of Landtech Enterprises LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 authorizing the conversion to saltwater disposal into the Dakota Group of the Paluck #1, SWNW Section 24, T.142N., R.99W., St. Demetrius Field, Billings County, ND, pursuant to NDAC Chapter 43-02-05 and providing such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9620: Application of Landtech Enterprises LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 authorizing the conversion to saltwater disposal into the Dakota Group of the Klose #27B-2-1H, NWNW Section 27, T.151N., R.103W., Glass Bluff Field, McKenzie County, ND, pursuant to NDAC Chapter 43-02-05 and providing such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9526: (Continued) Proper spacing for the development of the Cartwright-Bakken Pool, McKenzie County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Pride Energy, An OK General Ptnshp