

North Dakota Industrial Commission
Docket for Hearing
Wednesday, November 18, 2009 @ 9:00 a.m.
N.D. Oil & Gas Division
1016 East Calgary Avenue
Bismarck, North Dakota

- Case No. 11735: Application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co. LP for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Keene-Bakken Pool, Sections 26 and 35, T.153N., R.96W., McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11736: Application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co. LP for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Clear Creek-Bakken Pool, Sections 15 and 22, T.152N., R.96W., McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11737: Application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co. LP for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Westberg-Bakken Pool, Sections 6 and 7, T.152N., R.96W., McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11738: Application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co. LP for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Camel Butte-Bakken Pool, Sections 27 and 34, T.151N., R.96W., McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11739: Application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co. LP for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Killdeer-Bakken Pool, Sections 18 and 19, T.145N., R.94W., Dunn County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11740: Application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co. LP for an order amending the applicable orders for the Clear Creek-Bakken Pool to allow up to two horizontal wells to be drilled on a 1280-acre spacing unit consisting of Sections 4 and 9, T.151N, R.96W, McKenzie County, ND and such other relief as is appropriate.

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- Case No. 11543: (Continued) Proper spacing for the development of the Haystack Butte-Bakken Pool, McKenzie and Dunn Counties, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co., LP; Continental Resources, Inc.
- Case No. 11630: (Continued) Application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co. LP for an order amending the applicable orders for the Willmen-Bakken Pool to include Section 27, T.143N., R.97W., within the field and further establishing two 1280-acre spacing units in Zone II consisting of Sections 27 and 34, T.143N., R.97W., and Section 35, T.143N., R.97W., and Section 2, T.142N., R.97W., Dunn County, N.D., and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11631: (Continued) Application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co. LP for an order establishing three 1280-acre drilling units consisting of Sections 11 and 14; Sections 15 and 22; and Sections 23 and 26, T.143N., R.97W., Dunn County, ND, and allowing a horizontal well to be drilled in each such unit in the Bakken Pool at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary thereof and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11632: (Continued) Application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co. LP for an order extending the Corral Creek Field outline to include Sections 16 and 21, T.148W., R.95W., Dunn County, ND, and further including said lands as a 1280 acre spacing unit in Zone II of the Corral Creek-Bakken Pool, or alternatively, establishing a 1280-acre drilling unit consisting of said Sections 16 and 21, and allowing a horizontal well to be drilled in the Bakken Pool at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary thereof and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11741: Application of Marathon Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Reunion Bay-Bakken Pool, Sections 4 and 9, T.150N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11742: Application of Marathon Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Murphy Creek-Bakken Pool, Sections 1 and 12, T.144N., R.97W., Dunn County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.

- Case No. 11743: Application of Whiting Oil & Gas Corp. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Sanish-Bakken Pool, located in McKenzie and Mountrail Counties, ND, to include some or all of the lands currently included within Zone III for which spacing is established on the basis of up to two horizontal wells per 1280 acres, to be included within Zone VI, for which spacing has been established on the basis of up to four horizontal wells per 1280 acres, or for such other relief as will allow up to four horizontal wells to be drilled on the 1280-acre spacing units currently included within Zone III and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11744: Application of Petro-Hunt, L.L.C., for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Four Bears-Bakken Pool, Sections 8 and 17, T.152N, R.93W., McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11745: Application of RTR Energy, LLC for an amending or vacating existing orders to establish a drilling unit consisting of the SWSE and SESW of Section 24 and the NWNW and NENW of Section 25, T.133N., R.97W., Hettinger County, ND, and allowing a well to be drilled at any location not closer than 660 feet to the boundary of such drilling unit and for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11746: Application of Hess Corp. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Alger-Bakken Pool to establish two 2560-acre spacing units consisting of Section 32, T.156 N., R.93W. and Sections 5, 8, and 17, T.155N., R.93W.; and Section 31, T.156N., R.93W. and Sections 6, 7, and 18, T.155N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, and allow up to six horizontal wells to be drilled on each such spacing unit at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary thereof, without regard to the Commission's policy of requiring a 1220-foot setback for the first well on the spacing unit, or, alternatively to establish four 1280-acre spacing units consisting of said Sections 32 and 5; Sections 8 and 17; Sections 31 and 6; and Sections 7 and 18; with up to three horizontal wells on each such spacing unit and with relief from both the 500-foot setback from the common boundary between the two spacing units and the 1220-foot setback and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11747: Application of Hess Corp. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Alger-Bakken Pool to allow up to three horizontal wells to be drilled on 1280-acre spacing units consisting of Sections 29 and 32, T.155N., R.92W.; and Sections 20 and 29, T.155N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, without regard to the Commission's policy of requiring a 1220-foot setback for the first well on the spacing unit and for such other relief as is appropriate.

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- Case No. 11748: Application of Hess Corp. for an order pursuant to NDAC §43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Alger-Bakken Pool, Sections 9 and 16, T.155N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11749: Application of Hess Corp. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Robinson Lake-Bakken Pool to include Sections 19, 30, and 31, T.154N., R.93W., within the Robinson Lake Field and to establish a 2560-acre spacing unit consisting of Sections 18, 19, 30, and 31, T.154N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, and allow up to six horizontal wells to be drilled thereon at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary thereof, without regard to the Commission's policy of requiring a 1220-foot setback for the first well on the spacing unit, or, alternatively to establish two 1280-acre spacing units consisting of said Sections 18 and 19 and said Sections 30 and 31, with up to three horizontal wells on each such spacing unit and with relief from both the 500-foot setback from the common boundary between the two spacing units and the 1220-foot setback and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11750: Application of Hess Corp. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Robinson Lake-Bakken Pool to include Sections 17, 20, and 32, T.154N., R.93W., within the Robinson Lake Field and to establish two 2560-acre spacing units consisting of Sections 16, 21, 28, and 33 and Sections 17, 20, 29, and 32, T.154N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, and allow up to six horizontal wells to be drilled on each such spacing unit at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary thereof, without regard to the Commission's policy of requiring a 1220-foot setback for the first well on the spacing unit, or, alternatively to establish four 1280-acre spacing units consisting of said Sections 16 and 21; Sections 28 and 33; Sections 17 and 20; and Sections 29 and 32; with up to three horizontal wells on each such spacing unit and with relief from both the 500-foot setback from the common boundary between the two spacing units and the 1220-foot setback and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11751: Application of Hess Corp. for an order pursuant to NDAC §43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Robinson Lake-Bakken Pool, Section 1, T.154N., R.93W. and Section 36, T.155N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 11752: Application of Hess Corp. for an order pursuant to NDAC §43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Robinson Lake-Bakken Pool, Sections 12 and 13, T.154N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.

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- Case No. 11753: Application of Hess Corp. for an order extending the outline of the Antelope Field to include Sections 27 and 28; the E/2 of Sections 29 and 34, T.153N., R.94W., and further including Sections 27 and 34; Sections 28 and 33; and Sections 29 and 32, T.153N., R.94W.; and Sections 2 and 11, T.152N., R.95W., McKenzie County, ND, within Zone IV of the Antelope-Bakken Pool, for which spacing has been established on the basis of one horizontal well per 1280-acres, or for such other relief as may be appropriate.
- Case No. 11754: Application of Hess Corp. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Big Butte-Bakken Pool to allow up to three horizontal wells to be drilled on 1280-acre spacing units consisting of Sections 26 and 35; and Sections 27 and 34, T.157N., R.94W., Mountrail County, ND, without regard to the Commission's policy of requiring a 1220-foot setback for the first well on the spacing unit and for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11755: Application of Hess Corp. for an order pursuant to NDAC §43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Big Butte-Bakken Pool, Sections 30 and 31, T.157N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11756: Application of Hess Corp. for an order pursuant to NDAC §43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Big Butte-Bakken Pool, Sections 5 and 8, T.156N., R.94W., Mountrail County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11757: Application of Hess Corp. for an order pursuant to NDAC §43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Manitou-Bakken Pool, Sections 30 and 31, T.156N., R.94W., Mountrail County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11758: Application of Hess Corp. pursuant to NDAC §43-02-03-88.1 for an order authorizing the flaring of gas from the AV-Wrigley-163-94 #0607H-1, Forthun-Bakken Pool, Lot 4, Section 6, T.163N., R.94W., Burke County, ND, pursuant to the provisions of NDCC §38-08-06.4 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11759: Application of Hess Corp. pursuant to NDAC §43-02-03-88.1 for an order authorizing the flaring of gas from the EN-Labar-154-94 #0310H-1, Alkali Creek-Bakken Pool, NWNW, Section 3, T.154N., R.94W., Mountrail County, ND, pursuant to the provisions of NDCC § 38-08-06.4 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11404: (Continued) Proper spacing for the development of the Hawkeye-Bakken Pool, McKenzie County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Hess Corp.

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- Case No. 11760: Application of St. Mary Land & Exploration Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Keene-Bakken/Three Forks Pool or such other pool as may be determined, Sections 19 and 20, T.153N., R.95W., McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the recovery from each non-participating owner of a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11761: Application of Kodiak Oil & Gas (USA) Inc. for an order amending the field rules for the Heart Butte-Bakken Pool to allow up to two horizontal wells to be drilled on a 1280-acre spacing unit within Zone III, Sections 28 and 33, T.149N., R.92W., Dunn County, ND, with the second horizontal well drilled and completed in the Bakken Formation at any location not closer than 300 feet to the boundary of the spacing unit and such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 11762: Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Kodiak Oil & Gas (USA) Inc.#1-22-23H Charging Eagle, NENE Section 22, T.147N., R.92W., Dunn County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
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- Case No. 11634: (Continued) Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Kodiak Oil & Gas (USA) Inc., #1-22-10H Charging Eagle, NENE Section 22, T.147N., R.92W., Dunn County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
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- Case No. 11577: (Continued) 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 Locken SWD #1 well, SWSW Section 11, T.153N., R.91W., Sanish Field, Mountrail County, ND, pursuant to NDAC Chapter 43-02-05 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 11763: In the matter of a hearing called on a motion of the Commission to consider the confiscation, under NDCC §§ 38-08-04 and 38 08 04.9, of all production-related equipment and salable oil at the Quantum Wanner #27-1 well, located in the NWNE, Section 27, T.139N., R.95W., Stark County, ND, and operated by Baleen, L.L.C., or any working interest owner.