

North Dakota Industrial Commission
Docket for Hearing
Thursday, January 18, 2018 @ 9:00 a.m.
N.D. Oil & Gas Division
1000 East Calgary Avenue
Bismarck, North Dakota

- Case No. 26343: Application of NP Resources, LLC for an order amending the applicable orders for the Four Eyes-Bakken Pool to authorize up to four horizontal wells be drilled in the existing 1280-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 8 and 9; and 17 and 18, T.143N., R.100W.; and to establish a new 1280-acre spacing unit authorizing up to four horizontal wells consisting of Sections 6 and 7, T.143N., R.100W., Billings County, ND; and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26344: Application of NP Resources, LLC for an order amending the applicable orders for the Rough Rider-Bakken Pool to authorize up to four horizontal wells be drilled on the existing 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 29 and 32, T.146N., R.100W.; and to establish four 1280-acre spacing units authorizing up to four horizontal wells per unit consisting of Sections 6 and 7; Sections 14 and 23; Sections 17 and 20, T.145N., R.101W.; and Sections 28 and 33, T.146N., R.100W., McKenzie County, ND; and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26345: Application of NP Resources, LLC for an order amending the applicable orders for the Tree Top-Bakken Pool to authorize up to four horizontal wells be drilled on the existing 1280-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 2 and 11, T.141N., R.100W.; and Sections 16 and 21, T.142N., R.100W.; to dissolve two existing laydown 1280-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 14 and 15; and Sections 22 and 23, T.142N., R.100W.; and to establish two standup 1280-acre spacing units authorizing up to four horizontal wells per unit consisting of Sections 15 and 22, and Sections 28 and 33, T.142N., R.100W., Billings County, ND; and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26346: Application of PetroShale (US), Inc. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Mandaree-Bakken Pool to establish an overlapping 2560-acre spacing unit consisting of Sections 2, 3, 10, and 11, T.149N., R.93W., Dunn County, ND for the purpose of drilling two horizontal wells on or near the section line between the existing spacing units, eliminating any tool error requirements, and such other relief as is appropriate.

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- Case No. 26219: (Continued) Application of PetroShale (US), Inc. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Eagle Nest-Bakken Pool to establish an overlapping 640-acre spacing unit consisting of the W/2 of Section 4 and the E/2 of Section 5, T.148N., R.94W., Dunn County, ND for the purpose of drilling two horizontal wells on or near the common section line between the existing 320-acre and 1280-acre spacing units, eliminating any tool error requirements, and such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 26220: (Continued) Application of PetroShale (US), Inc. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Eagle Nest-Bakken Pool to establish an overlapping 640-acre spacing unit consisting of Section 5, T.148N., R.94W., Dunn County, ND for the purpose of drilling two horizontal wells on or near the common lease line between the existing 320-acre spacing units, eliminating any tool error requirements, and such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 26128: (Continued) Application of PetroShale (US), Inc. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Squaw Creek-Bakken Pool to establish an overlapping 2560-acre spacing unit consisting of all of Sections 5, 6, 7, and 8, T.149N., R.94W., McKenzie County, ND for the purpose of drilling up to three horizontal wells on or near the common 1280-acre spacing units boundary, and granting such other and further relief as may be appropriate.
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- Case No. 26129: (Continued) Application of PetroShale (US), Inc. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Squaw Creek-Bakken Pool to establish a 1280-acre spacing unit consisting of all of Sections 4 and 9, T.149N., R.94W., McKenzie County, ND, authorizing but not requiring the drilling, completing, and producing of fifteen wells on said spacing unit, eliminating any tool error requirements and such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 26130: (Continued) Application of PetroShale (US), Inc. for an order suspending and, after hearing, revoking the permits issued to EOG Resources, Inc. to drill the Riverview 108-3229H (File No. 31444), Riverview 107-3229H (File No. 31445), Riverview 110-3229H (File No. 31446), Riverview 109-3229H (File No. 31447), Riverview 112-3229H (File No. 31448), Riverview 111-3229H (File No. 31449), Riverview 113-3229H (File No. 31450), Riverview 9-3229H (File No. 31451), Riverview 10-3229H (File No. 31452), Riverview 11-3229H (File No. 31453), Riverview 120-3229H (File No. 31713), and Riverview 12-3229H (File No. 31714) wells, with surface locations in Section 32, T.152N., R.94W., and bottomhole locations in Section 29, T.152N., R.94W., McKenzie County, ND, Antelope-Bakken Pool, and for such other relief as appropriate.
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- Case No. 26347: On a motion of the Commission to review the authorization and permit under Order No. 24349 for White Owl Energy Services, Inc. to operate a treating plant located in the NENE of Section 23, T.150N., R.96W., McKenzie County, ND, known as the White Owl Johnsons Corner Treating Plant #1 (Facility No. 700121-01) and such other relief as is appropriate.

- Case No. 26348: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order amending Order No. 17741 of the Commission for the Spotted Horn-Bakken Pool to create and establish an overlapping 1920-acre spacing unit comprised of Section 31, T.150N., R.94W. and Sections 6 and 7, T.149N., R.94W., Spotted Horn and/or Squaw Creek-Bakken Pool, McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the drilling of multiple horizontal wells on said proposed overlapping 1920-acre spacing unit, eliminating any tool error requirements, and such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 26349: Application of Enerplus Resources (USA) Corp. for an order amending the field rules for the McGregory Buttes, South Fork, and/or Moccasin Creek-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, to create and establish six overlapping 2560-acre spacing units comprised Sections 19, 20, 29 and 30; Sections 20, 21, 28 and 29, T.148N., R.93W.; Sections 3, 4, 9 and 10; Sections 4, 5, 8 and 9; Sections 15, 16, 21 and 22; and Sections 16, 17, 20 and 21, T.147N., R.93W., authorizing the drilling of a total not to exceed two horizontal wells on or near the section line between existing 320, 640 and 1280-acre spacing units of each proposed overlapping 2560-acre spacing unit and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26350: Application of Enerplus Resources (USA) Corp. for an order amending the field rules for the Mandaree-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, to create and establish two overlapping 2560-acre spacing units comprised Sections 15, 16, 21 and 22; and Sections 21, 22, 27 and 28, T.149N., R.93W., authorizing the drilling of a total not to exceed two horizontal wells on or near the section line between existing 320, 640 and 1280-acre spacing units of each proposed overlapping 2560-acre spacing unit and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26351: Application of Abraxas Petroleum Corp. for an order authorizing the drilling, completing, and producing of the Stenehjem 6H well (File No. 32097) with portions of the lateral less than 500 feet from the west line of Sections 27 and 34, T.150N., R.97W., McKenzie County, ND as an exception to the field rules for the North Fork Field, and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26352: Application of Resource Energy Can-Am LLC for an order creating a 640-acre drilling unit comprised of the E/2 of Sections 16 and 21, T.163N., R.98W., Divide County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within said drilling unit and such other relief as is appropriate.

- Case No. 26353: **Request to withdraw certain lands. Please call the Oil & Gas Division for specifics.** Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order for the Brooklyn-Bakken Pool, Williams County, ND, as follows: (i) authorizing the drilling, completing and producing of a total not to exceed two horizontal wells on or near the section line of an existing overlapping 2560-acre spacing unit described as Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8, T.155N., R.98W., and (ii) authorizing the drilling, completing and producing of a total not to exceed three horizontal wells on or near the section line of an existing overlapping 5120-acre spacing unit described as Sections 17, 18, 19, 20, 29, 30, 31 and 32, T.155N., R.98W., eliminating any tool error requirements and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26354: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order amending the field rules for the Parshall-Bakken Pool, Mountrail County, ND, as follows: (i) create and establish eight overlapping 1280-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 7 and 18; Sections 17 and 20; Sections 19 and 30; Sections 20 and 29, T.154N., R.89W.; Section 31, T.154N., R.89W. and Section 6, T.153N., R.89W.; Section 32, T.154N., R.89W. and Section 5, T.153N., R.89W.; Sections 5 and 8; and Sections 8 and 17, T.153N., R.89W., authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well on each proposed overlapping 1280-acre spacing unit; (ii) create and establish an overlapping 1920-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 30 and 31, T.155N., R.89W. and Section 6, T.154N., R.89W., authorizing the drilling of a total not to exceed two horizontal wells on said proposed overlapping 1920-acre spacing unit; (iii) create and establish an overlapping 1920-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 7, 17 and 18, T.153N., R.89W., authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well on said proposed overlapping 1920-acre spacing unit; and (iv) create and establish five overlapping 2560-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8; Sections 17, 18, 19 and 20; and Sections 29, 30, 31 and 32, T.154N., R.89W.; Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8; and Sections 6, 7, 17 and 18, T.153N., R.89W., authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well on each proposed overlapping 2560-acre spacing unit, eliminating any tool error requirements and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26355: **Notice to CONTINUE to 02/2018 rec'd 01/11/18** Application of Pegasus Oil, LLC and its predecessor in interest, JoGruss Oil Corp., a/k/a JoGruss Oil Corp. and/or JoGruss Oil Co., for an order of the Commission, in accordance with NDCC § 38-08-08, that neither SM Energy Co. nor Oasis Petroleum North America LLC may impose a risk penalty against the applicants for the drilling of the Kirkland Federal 8-13H well (File No. 17778), located in Section 13, T.149N., R.96W., McKenzie County, ND, and such other relief as is appropriate.

- Case No. 26073: (Continued) Application of GEM Razorback, LLC, for the determination of the reasonable costs related to the costs and risk penalties assessed against GEM Razorback, LLC, for its interests in the Berquist #33-28H well (File No. 18980) located in a spacing unit described as Sections 28 and 33, and the Ceynar #29-32H well (File No. 19350) located in a spacing unit described as Sections 29 and 32, both in T.152N., R.98W., McKenzie County, ND, pursuant to NDCC § 38-08-08, and request for hearing pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.
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- Case No. 26103: (Continued) In the matter of the authority of Statoil Oil & Gas LP, to conduct refracing operations and to recover from Lime Rock Resources III-A as an owner of a working interest in the Russell 10-3 #1-H well (File No. 19930) presently producing in paying quantities from Sections 3 and 10, T.153N., R.103W., Williams County, ND, a risk penalty as provided in NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 26322: (Continued) Application of White Owl Energy Services (US) Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 authorizing saltwater disposal into the Dakota Group in the WO Blue Buttes SWD #1 well, NENW Section 35, T.151N., R.95W., Blue Buttes Field, McKenzie County, ND, pursuant to NDAC Chapter 43-02-05 and such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 26283: (Continued) Application of Oasis Petroleum North America LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 authorizing saltwater disposal into the Dakota Group in the NH SWD 5297 24-28 well, SENE Section 28, T.152N., R.97W., Elidah Field, McKenzie County, ND, pursuant to NDAC Chapter 43-02-05 and such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 26356: Application of NP Resources, LLC for an order amending the applicable orders for the Ash Coulee-Bakken Pool to authorize up to four horizontal wells be drilled in the existing 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 19 and 20, T.142N., R.101W., Billings County, ND, and to move such spacing unit from Zone IV to Zone VI; and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26357: Application of NP Resources, LLC for an order amending the applicable orders for the Bicentennial-Bakken Pool to authorize up to four horizontal wells be drilled in the existing 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 34 and 35, T.145N., R.104W., McKenzie County, ND, and to move such spacing unit from Zone IX to Zone XI; and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26358: Application of NP Resources, LLC for an order amending the applicable orders for the Big Stick-Bakken Pool to authorize up to four horizontal wells be drilled in each of four existing 1280-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 11 and 14; Sections 15 and 22; Sections 23 and 26, T.142N., R.101W.; and Sections 5 and 6, T.142N., R.100W., Billings County, ND; and such other relief as is appropriate.

- Case No. 26359: Application of NP Resources, LLC for an order amending the applicable orders for the Cooks Peak-Bakken Pool to authorize up to four horizontal wells be drilled in the existing 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 25 and 36, T.143N., R.104W., Golden Valley County, ND, and to move such spacing unit from Zone I to Zone II; and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26360: Application of NP Resources, LLC for an order amending the applicable orders for the DeMores-Bakken Pool to authorize up to four horizontal wells be drilled in the existing 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 32 and 33, T.142N., R.101W., Billings County, ND, and to move such spacing unit from Zone V to Zone VII; and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26361: Application of NP Resources, LLC for an order amending the applicable orders for the St. Demetrius-Bakken Pool to authorize up to four horizontal wells be drilled in the existing 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Section 36, T.142N., R.100W. and Section 31, T.142N., R.99W., Billings County, ND, and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26224: (Continued) Application of PetroShale (US), Inc. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Eagle Nest-Bakken Pool to allow up to four horizontal wells in the existing 320-acre spacing unit consisting of the E/2 of Section 5, T.148N., R.94W., Dunn County, ND, eliminating any tool error requirements, and such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 26362: Application of Slawson Exploration Co., Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as Sections 1 and 12, T.153N., R.97W., Sand Creek-Bakken Pool, McKenzie County, ND as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26363: Application of Slawson Exploration Co., Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 35 and 36, T.151N., R.92W., Big Bend-Bakken Pool, Mountrail County, ND as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26364: Application of Slawson Exploration Co., Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Section 36, T.151N., R.92W., Sections 31 and 32, T.151N., R.91W., Section 1, T.150N., R.92W., and Sections 5 and 6, T.150N., R.91W., Big Bend-Bakken Pool, Mountrail and McLean Counties, ND as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

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- Case No. 26365: Application of Nine Point Energy, LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 25, 26, 35 and 36, T.152N., R.102W., Elk-Bakken Pool, McKenzie County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26366: Application of Nine Point Energy, LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 1 and 12, T.150N., R.101W. and Sections 6 and 7, T.150N., R.100W., Rawson-Bakken Pool, McKenzie County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26367: Application of WPX Energy Williston, LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 27, 28, 33 and 34, T.147N., R.92W., Wolf Bay-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26368: Application of XTO Energy, Inc. for an order authorizing the drilling, completing and producing of a total not to exceed ten wells on an existing 1280-acre spacing unit described as Sections 10 and 15, T.153N., R.96W., Sand Creek-Bakken Pool, McKenzie County, ND, eliminating any tool error requirements and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26369: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 2, 3, 10 and 11, T.152N., R.99W., Banks-Bakken Pool, McKenzie County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26370: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order for the Banks-Bakken Pool, McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the drilling, completing and producing of a total not to exceed two horizontal wells on or near the section line of an existing overlapping 2560-acre spacing unit described as Sections 2, 3, 10 and 11, T.152N., R.99W., eliminating any tool error requirements and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 26371: Application of Bullrock, LLC pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 for an order authorizing the drilling of a saltwater disposal well to be located in the SWNE of Section 34, T.151N., R.96W., Camel Butte Field, McKenzie County, ND, in the Dakota Group pursuant to NDAC Chapter 43-02-05, and such other relief as is appropriate.

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Case No. 26372: Application of Henry Hill Oil Services, LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 authorizing saltwater disposal into the Dakota Group in the Nelson 1 SWD well, SENE Section 9, T.157N., R.99W., Lone Tree Lake Field, Williams County, ND, pursuant to NDAC Chapter 43-02-05 and such other relief as is appropriate.