## DEFORE THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

CASE NO. 11615 ORDER NO. 13750

IN THE MATTER OF A HEARING CALLED ON A MOTION OF THE COMMISSION **CONSIDER APPLICATION** OF THE CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC. FOR AN **ORDER EXTENDING** THE **FIELD** BOUNDARIES AND AMENDING THE FIELD RULES FOR THE DOLPHIN AND/OR SADLER-**BAKKEN POOLS CREATE** TO ESTABLISH A 1280-ACRE SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF SECTIONS 17 AND 20, T.161N., R.95W., DIVIDE COUNTY, ND, AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF ONE HORIZONTAL WELL ON SUCH SPACING UNIT AND SUCH OTHER RELIEF AS IS APPROPRIATE.

#### ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

#### THE COMMISSION FINDS:

- (1) This cause came on for hearing at 9:00 a.m. on the 24th day of September, 2009.
- (2) Counsel for applicant requests that this case be dismissed without prejudice.

#### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) This case is dismissed without prejudice.

Dated this 5th day of November, 2009.

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

By the Director, on behalf of the Commission

/s/ Lynn D. Helms, Director

#### STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

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I, Jeanette Bean, being duly sworn upon oath, depose and say: That on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2009 enclosed in separate envelopes true and correct copies of the attached Order No. <u>13750</u> of the North Dakota Industrial Commission, and deposited the same with the United States Postal Service in Bismarck, North Dakota, with postage thereon fully paid, directed to the following persons by the Industrial Commission in Case No. <u>11615</u>:

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> Jeanette Bean Oil & Gas Division

On this 13th day of November, 2009 before me personally appeared Jeanette Bean to me known as the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that she executed the same as her free act and deed.

TRUDY HOGUE

Notary Public

State of North Dakota
My Commission Expires March 4, 2014

Notary Public

State of North Dakota, County of Burleigh



September 15, 2009

Mr. Bruce Hicks Assistant Director North Dakota Industrial Commission Oil and Gas Division 600 East Boulevard Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0310



**RE:** CASE NO. 11615

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES,

INC.

Dear Mr. Hicks:

Please find enclosed herewith for filing a NOTICE OF DISMISSAL OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC. for the captioned matter.

Should you have any questions, please ad

LAWRENCE BENDER

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Enclosure

cc: Ms. Karlene Fine - (w/enc.)

Mr. Lynn Helms - (w/enc.)

Mr. Mr. Todd Sattler - (w/enc.)

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#### **BEFORE THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION**

#### OF THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

Case No. 11615

Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the Dolphin-Bakken Pool and/or Sadler-Bakken Pool so as to create and establish a 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 17 and 20-T161N-R95W, Divide County, North Dakota, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well on each spacing unit and/or such other and further relief as appropriate.



### NOTICE OF DISMISSAL OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on Thursday, September 24, 2009, Continental Resources, Inc. will respectfully request that the above captioned hearing be dismissed without prejudice.

**DATED** this 15th day of September, 2009.

LAWRENCE BENDER, ND Bar #03908

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August 24, 2009

Mr. Bruce Hicks Assistant Director North Dakota Industrial Commission Oil and Gas Division 600 East Boulevard Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0310



RE: APPLICATION OF

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES,

INC.

Sections 17 and 20-T161N-R95W,

Divide County, ND

ENDER

Dear Mr. Hicks:

Please find enclosed herewith for filing an APPLICATION OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC. as described above.

As you will note, pursuant to N.D. Admin. Code § 43-02-03-88.2, Continental requests that its witnesses be allowed to participate at the hearing by telephonic means.

Should you have any questions, please advis

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Enclosure

cc: Ms. Karlene Fine - (w/enc.)

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#### OF THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

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#### APPLICATION OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC.

Continental Resources, Inc. ("Continental"), for its application to the North Dakota Industrial Commission ("Commission"), respectfully states as follows:

1.

That Continental is the owner of an interest in the oil and gas leasehold estate in Sections 17 and 20, Township 161 North, Range 95 West, Divide County, North Dakota (the "Subject Lands").

2.

That the Subject Lands are near the area defined by the North Dakota Industrial Commission ("Commission") as the field boundaries for the Dolphin-Bakken Pool and/or Sadler-Bakken Pool.

3.

That Continental desires to utilize the horizontal drilling technique to further develop the Dolphin-Bakken Pool and/or Sadler-Bakken Pool underlying the above described property.

4.

That it is the opinion of Continental that use of the horizontal drilling technique to further develop the Dolphin-Bakken Pool and/or Sadler-Bakken Pool underlying the above described property will increase the ultimate recovery of the reservoir.

5.

That pursuant to Section 38-08-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, the Commission is empowered to divide any pool into separate zones and to modify its previous spacing order when necessary to prevent waste, avoid the drilling of unnecessary wells or to protect correlative rights.

6.

That in order to prevent waste, to avoid the drilling of unnecessary wells and to protect correlative rights, the field boundaries for the Dolphin-Bakken Pool and/or Sadler-Bakken Pool should be extended and a 1280-acre spacing unit should be created and established for the Dolphin-Bakken Pool and/or Sadler-Bakken Pool for Sections 17 and 20, Township 161 North, Range 95 West, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well on each spacing unit.

7.

That Continental, therefore, requests that the Commission extend the field boundaries and amend the field rules for the Dolphin-Bakken Pool and/or Sadler-Bakken Pool so as to create and establish a 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 17 and 20, Township 161 North, Range 95 West, Divide County, North Dakota, and authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well on each spacing unit and/or such other and further relief as the Commission deems appropriate.

WHEREFORE, Continental requests the following:

- (a) That this matter be set for the regularly scheduled September 2009 hearings of the Commission;
- (b) That the Commission issue its order granting the relief requested and such other and further relief as the Commission may deem appropriate; and
- (c) That pursuant to Section 43-02-03-88.2 of the North Dakota Administrative Code, Continental's witnesses in this matter be allowed to participate by telephonic means.

**DATED** this 24th day of August, 2009.

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By

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STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA )
) ss.
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

LAWRENCE BENDER, being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and says that he is the attorney for the applicant named herein, that he has read the foregoing application, knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true to the best of this fileart's knowledge, and belief.

LAWRENCE BENDER

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of August, 2609.

Notary Public

Burleigh County, North Dakota My Commission Expires:

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# NOTICE OF HEARING N.D. INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OIL AND GAS DIVISION

The North Dakota Industrial Commission will hold a public hearing at 9:00 a.m. Thursday, September 24, 2009, at the N.D. Oil & Gas Division, 1016 East Calgary Ave., Bismarck, N. D. At the hearing the Commission will receive testimony and exhibits. Persons with any interest in the cases listed below, take notice.

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES: If at the hearing you need special facilities or assistance, contact the Oil and Gas Division at 701-328-8038 by Friday, September 11, 2009.

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

Case No. 11578: Proper spacing for the development of the Burg-Stonewall Pool, Divide County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Newfield Prod. Co.

Case No. 11613: Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Continental Resources, Inc. #1-1H Tangsrud, Lot 4, Section 1, T.160N., R.96W., Divide County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.

Case No. 11614: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order authorizing the drilling,

completing and producing of an increase density well on a 1280-acre spacing unit for the Hamlet-Bakken Pool described as Sections 30 and 31, T.160N., R.95W., Divide County, ND, and such other relief as is appropriate

Case No. 11615: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the Dolphin and/or Sadler-Bakken Pools to create and establish a 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 17 and 20, T.161N., R.95W., Divide

of one horizontal well on such spacing unit and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case, No. 11616: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order authorizing the drilling, completing and producing of an increase density well on a 1280-acre spacing unit for the Sadler-Bakken Pool described as Sections 27 and 34, T.161N., R.95W., Divide County, ND and such other relief as the is appropriate.

Signed by,
John Hoeven, Governor
Chairman,
ND Industrial
Commission
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Affidavit of Publication

T.161N., R.95W, Divide County, h Dakota, County of Divide, ss:

ND and such other relief as the is appropriate.

Appropriate.

Signed by, Leb House County, State of North and in the city of Crosby, ND, and that the advertisement headed

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Subscribed and sworn to before me September 2, 2009

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Case No. 11578: Proper spacing for the development of the Burg-Stonewall Pool, Divide County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Newfield Prod. Co.

Case No. 11433; (Continued) Temporary

spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Newfield Production Co. #1-4H Wisness, SESE Section 4, T.152N., R.96W., McKenzie County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules

as may be necessary.

<u>Case No. 11434</u>; (Continued) Application of Newfield Production Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Wisness #1-4H, Section 4, T.152N., R.96W, Wisness #1-4H, Section 4, 1132N., K.78VY, Westberg-Bakken Pool, McKenzie 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. 11436; (Continued) Application

of Newfield Production Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88. I pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Jorgenson #1-4H, Section 4, T.148N., R.96W, Lost Bridge-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. 11579: Proper spacing for the development of the Saddle Butte-Madison Pool, Billings County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Armstrong Operating,

Case No. 11580: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the Ross or Alger-Bakken Pools to create and establish two 1280-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 3 and 4; and Sections 8 and 9, T. 156N., R. 92W., Mountrail County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well on each spacing unit and

such other relief as is appropriate.

<u>Case No. 11581:</u> Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order amending the field rules for the Ross-Bakken Pool to create a 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 4 and 5, T.155N., R.90W., Mountrail County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within said spacing unit not less than 500 feet to the boundary of said spacing unit and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11582: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the Parshall-Bakken Pool to create and establish five 1600-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 9 and 10 and the W/2 of Section 11; the W/2 of Section 14 and all of Sections 15 and 16; Sections 21 and 22 and the W/2 of Section 23; the W/2 of Section 26 and all of Sections 27 and 28; and Section 34 and 35 and the W/2 of Section 36, T.151N., R.91W., Mountrail County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well on each spacing unit and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11583: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the Parshall-Bakken Pool to create and establish a 1280-acre spacing unit com-prised of Sections 25 and 26, T.151N., R.91W., Mountrail County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well on each spacing unit and such other relief as is

appropriate.

<u>Case No. : 1584</u>: Application of EOG

Resources, Inc. for an order amending the field rules for the Parshall-Bakken Pool to or sections of the ransman-basken Pool to create a 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 4 and 5, T.151N., R.90W., Mountrail County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within said spacing unit not less than 500 feet to the boundary of said spacing unit and such

other relief as is appropriate.

<u>Case No. 11585</u>: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Burke #19-28H, Section 28, T.155N., R.90W., Parshall-Bakken Pool, Mountrail County, ND; authothe recovery from nonparticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11586: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Burke #18-27H, Section 27, T.155N., 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. 11587: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Austin #11-01H, Section 1, T.154N., 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. 11588: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Wayzetta #19-31H, Section 31, 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.

<u>Case No. 11589:</u> Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Parshall #19-35H, Section 35, T.152N., R.90W., Parshall-Bakken Pool, Mountrail County, ND; authorizing the recovery from each nonpartici-pating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate

Case No. 11590: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Parshall #15-31H. Section 31, T.152N., R.90W. Parshall-Bakken Pool, Mountrail County, ND: authorizing the recovery from each nonpar-ticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate

Case No. 11591; Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Model #10-07H, Section 7, T.152N., R.89W, and Section 12, T.152N., 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. 11592: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Burke #15-21H, Section 21, T.155N., R.90W., Stanley-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

appropriate Case No. 11309; (Continued) Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC §43-02-03-88. I pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Cottonwood #1-22H, Section 22, T.157N, R.92W, Cottonwood-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

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Case No. 11593: Application of Fidelity Expl. & Prod. Co. for an order amending the field rules for the Stanley-Bakken Pool, Mountrail County, ND to allow the flaring of gas and unrestricted production of oil from wells not connected to a gas gathering facility until the same can be connected and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11594: Application of Fidelity Expl. & Prod. Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 authorizing the flaring of gas from the Reum #11-32H, NWNW, Section 32, T.155N., R.91W., Mountrail County, ND, Stanley-Bakken Pool, as an exception to the provisions of NDCC § 38-08-06.4 and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11595; Application of Fidelity Expl. & Prod. Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Harstad #18-19H, Sections 18 and 19, T.155N., R.91W., Stanley-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. 11596; Application of Fidelity Expl. & Prod. Co. for an order amending the field rules for the Sanish-Bakken Pool, McKenzie and Mountrail Counties, ND to allow the flaring of gas and unrestricted production of oil from wells not connected to a gas gathering facility until the same can be connected and such other relief as is

appropriate.

Case No. 11597: Application of Fidelity Expl. & Prod. Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88. I authorizing the flaring of gas from the Deadwood Canyon Ranch #11-5H, NWNW, Section 5, T.153N., R.92W., Deadwood Canyon Ranch #43-28H, NESE, Section 28, T.154N., R.92W. Zeri, NESE, Section 28, T.154N., R.92W., Domaskin #11-20H. NWNW, Section 20, T.154N., R.92W., Domaskin #11-29H, NWNW, Section 29, T.154N., R.92W., Fladeland #11-21H, NWNW, Section 21, T.154N., R.92W., Fladeland #11-22H, NWNW, Section 22, T.154N., R.92W., Fladeland #11-30H, Lot 1, Section 30, T.154N., R.92W and the Moire #11-101. T.154N., R.92W., and the Meiers #11-19H, Lot I, Section 19, T.154N., R.92W., Mountrail County, ND, Sanish-Bakken Pool, pursuant to the provisions of NDCC § 38-08-06.4 and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11598: Application of Fidelity Expl. & Prod. Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 authorizing the flaring of gas from the Bakke #11-2444. flaring of gas from the Bakke #11-24H, NWNW, Section 24, T.155N., R.92W., Mountrail County, ND, Alger-Bakken Pool, pursuant to the provisions of NDCC § 38-08-06.4and such other relief as is

appropriate.

ase No. 1 599: Application of Fidelity Expl. & Prod. Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 authorizing the flaring of gas from the Farhart #11-11H, NWNW, Section 11, T.157N., R.92W, Ledene #44-5H, SESE, Section 5, T.158N., R.92W, R.918-0 #11-25H, N. R.92W., Paulson #11-25H, NWNW, Section 25, T.158N., R.92W., Rosencrans #44-21H, SESE, Section 21, T.158N., R.92W., Barenthsen #11-20H, NWNW, Section 20, T.159N., R.92W., Edwards #44-9H, SESE of Section 9, T.159N., R.92W., Lucy #11-23H, NWNW, Section 23, T.160N., R.92W., and the Weinmann #11-28H, NWNW, Section 28, T.160N., R.92W., Burke and Mountrail Counties, ND, Cottonwood-Bakken Pool, pursuant to the provisions of NDCC § 3808-06.4 and such other relief as is

appropriate.

Case No. 11600: Application of Fidelity

Expl. & Prod. Co. and Brigham Oil & Gas, LP for an order amending the field rules for the Alger-Bakken Pool, Mountrail County, ND, to allow the flaring of gasand unrestricted production of oil from wells not connected to a gas gathering facility until the same can be connected and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11601: Application of Brigham Oil & Gas, LP for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the Painted Woods-Bakken Pool to create and establish ten 1280-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 2 and 11; Sections 3 Sections 4 and 9, T.153N., R.103W.; Section 4, T.154N., R.102W and Section 33, T.155N., R.102W.; Section 5, T.154N., R.102W. and Section 32, T.155N., R.102W.; Section 6, T.154N., R.102W. and Section 31. Section 6, 1.13411, R.1024V, and section 31, 1.155N., R.102W; Sections 28 and 33; Sections 29 and 32; Sections 30 and 31, 1.154N., R.103W; and Sections 25 and 36, 1.154N., R.104W, Williams County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well on said spacing unit and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11602: Application of Brigham Oil & Gas, LP for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Brad Olson 9-16 #1-H. Sections 9 and 16, T. 154N., R. 102W., Painted Woods-Bakken Pool, Williams 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. 11603: Application of Brigham Oil & Gas, LP for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the Todd-Bakken Pool to create and establish eight 1280-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 3 and 10; Sections 4 and 9; Sections 5 and 8; Sections 17 and 20; Sections 16 and 21; Sections 15 and 22, T.154N., R.101W.; Sections 26 and 35; and Sections 27 and 34, T.155N., R.101W., Williams County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well on said spacing unit and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. I 1604: Application of Brigham Oil & Gas, LP for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unitcomprised of Sections 25 and 36, T. 156N., R. 103W., 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 and such other relief as is

appropriate.

Case No. 11605: Application of Brigham Oil & Gas, LP for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unitcomprised of Sections 34 and 35, T.154N., R.102W., 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 and such other relief as is appropriate

Case No. 11606: Application of Brigham Oil & Gas, LP for an order creating four 1280-acre drilling units comprised of Sections 2 and 11; Sections 3 and 10; Sections 4 and 9, T.153N., R.100W.; McKenzie and Williams Counties, and Sections 12 and 13, T.154N... R.100W., Williams 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 and such other and further relief.

Case No. 11607: Application of Brigham Oil & Gas, LP for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit comprised of Sections 3 and 10, T.151N., R.101W., McKenzie 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 and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11608: Application of Peak ND LLC for an order amending the field rules for the Mandaree-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, to allow the flaring of gas and unrestricted production of oil from wells not connected to a gas gathering facility until the same can be connected and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11609; Application of Peak ND. L. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 authorizing the flaring of gas from the Tekakwitha #9-24H, SESW, Section 9. T.149N., R.93W., Dunn County, ND, mandaree-Bakken Pool, pursuant to the provisions of NDCC § 38-08-06.4 and such other relief as is appropriate.

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Case No. 11610; Application of Peak ND,

LLC for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the Eagle Nest-Bakken Pool and/or McGregory Buttes-Bakken to create and establish sixteen 640-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 6, 7, 18, and 20, T.148N., R.93W.; Sections 1, 3, 10, 12, 13, 20, 21, 28, and 34, T.148N., R.94W.; and Sections 2, 11, and 12, T.148N., R.95W., Dunn County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well on each spacing unit and such other relief as is

each spacing unit and such other reme as a appropriate.

Case No. 11302: (Continued) Application of Peak ND, LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88. I pooling all inter-ests in a spacing unit for the Four Bears #20-11H. W/2 of Section 20, T.152N., R.93W, Four Bears-Bakken Pool, McKenzie County, ND: authorizing the recovery from each nonparticipating owner a risk penalty each nonparticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such

other and further relief.

Case No. 11611: Application of Anschutz Exploration Corp. for an order to establish temporary spacing for the Stroh #11-1H well, Lot 4, Section 1, T.143N., R.97W., Dunn County, ND, define the field limits and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Case No. 11612: Application of Anschutz Exploration Corp. for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the Cabernet, Fayette, Little Knife, and/or Murphy Creek-Bakken Pools to create and establish thirteen 1280-acre spacing and/or drilling units comprised of Sections 3 and 10; Sections 4 and 9; Sections 11 and 14; Sections 24 and 25; Sections 28 and 33; Sections 29 and 32; Sections 30 and 31, T.143N., R.96W.; Sections 13 and 24, Sections 25 and 36,T.143N., R.97W.; Section 2, T.143N., R.97W. and Section 35, T.144N. R.97W.; Sections 11 and 14; Sections 15 and 22; and Sections 23 and 26, T. 144N., R. 97VV., Dunn County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well on each spacing and/or drilling unit and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. [16]3: Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Continental Resources, Inc. #1-IH Tangsrud, Lot 4, Section 1, T. 160N., R.96W., Divide County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may

necessary.

Case No. 11614: Application of Continent Resources, Inc. for an order authorizing the driling, completing and producing of an increase density well on a 1280-acre spacing unit for the Hamlet-Bakken Fool described as Sections 30 and 31, T160N. R.95W., Divide County, ND, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11615: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the Dolphin and/or Sadler-Bakken Pools to create and establish a 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 17 and 20, T.161N., R.95W., Divide County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well on such spacing unit and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11616: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order authorizing the drilling, completing and producing of an increase density well on a 1280-acre spacing unit for the Sadler-Bakken sooi described as Sections 27 and 34, T.161N., R.95W., Divide County, ND and such other relief as the is appropriate.

Case No. 11428: (Continued) Proper spacing for the development of the Charlie BobBakken Pool, McKenzie County, ND, redethe field limits, and enact such special eld rules as may be necessary. Continental

Resources, Inc.
Case No. 11286: (Continued) Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order to establish temporary spacing for the McCoy #1-18H, NWNE of Section 18, T.159N., R.95W., Williams County, ND and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11287: (Continued) Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88. I pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the McCoy #1-18H, Sections 18 and 19, T.159N. R.95W., Northwest McGregor-Bakken Pool, Williams County, ND; authorizing the recovery from each nonparticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as

appropriate.

Case No. 11183: (Continued) Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order extending the field boundaries and amend-ing the field rules for the Temple-Bakken Pool or the Northwest McGregor-Bakken Pool so as to create and establish a 1280acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 1 and 12, T.159N., R.96W., Williams County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well on said spacing unit and such other

relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 1184: (Continued) Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Leonard #1-IH, Sections I and I2, T.159N., R.96W. Temple or the Northwest McGregor-Bakken Pool, Williams 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.

<u>Case No. 11617:</u> Application of Encore Operating, L.P. for an order amending the field rules for the Charlson-Bakken Pool to create two 640-acre spacing units comprised of the E/2 of Section 21 and the E/2 of Section 28; and Section 33, T.153N., R.95W., McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within each spacing unit not less than 500 feet to the boundary of each spacing unit and such

other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11618: Application of Encore
Operating. LP for an order pursuant to
NDAC § 43-02-03-88. I pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Charlson #44X-31H, Section 31, T.154N., R.95W., Charlson-Bakken Pool, McKenzie 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. 11619: Application of Samson

Resources Co. for an order amending the field rules for the Foothills-Bakken Pool to create five 1280-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 19 and 30; Sections 27 and 34; Sections 28 and 33, T.161N., R.92W., Sections 24 and 25; and Sections 26 and 35, T.161N., R.93W., Burke County, ND. authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within each spacing unit not less than 500 feet to the boundary of each spacing unit and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 11452: (Continued) Application of Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC §43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Uran #1-27H, Sections 27 and 34, T.154N, R.93W, Robinson Lake-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.

Signed by, /s/John Hoeven john Hoeven, Governor Chairman, ND Industrial Commission

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