

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**  
**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**BNI Coal, Ltd.**  
**Revision No. 39, Permit BNCR-9702**  
**Application**

**Case No. RC-16-256**

**NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF REVISION APPLICATION**

**July 27, 2016**

BNI Coal, Ltd. has filed a revision application to Surface Coal Mining Permit No. BNCR-9702. Revision No. 39 proposes to change the postmine topography in Section 3 (T141N, R84W) by redisturbing reclaimed land adjoining the buffer area of Minnkota Power Cooperative's bond released bottom ash inert waste landfill to obtain spoil for landfill closure and to change the landfill's postmine land use from industrial to agricultural. Revision No. 39 also proposes minor changes to the postmine topography in Sections 29, 32, and 33 (T142N, R84W) in preparation for a final pit location in the S½ of Section 29.

The revision application and surface coal mining and reclamation permit may be inspected at:

Public Service Commission  
State Capitol  
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0480

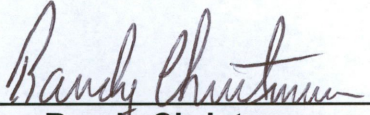
Oliver County Auditor  
Oliver County Courthouse  
115 W Main  
Center, North Dakota 58530

You may submit written comments or objections on the proposed permit revision application and its effects on the environment and on land owners in the permit area. You may request an informal conference with the Commission and the applicant on the revision application. The reasons for requesting an informal conference must be stated in the request. Written comments, objections, or requests for an informal conference must be made by September 19, 2016.

If there is an informal conference, you may request a formal administrative hearing on the Commission's ruling on the application. Your request for a formal hearing must be made within thirty days of the Commission ruling on the application.

Written comments, objections, or requests for informal conferences should be addressed to the Public Service Commission, 600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0480. For more information you may contact the Public Service Commission at 701-328-2400; or Relay North Dakota 1-800-366-6888 TTY.

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