

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

**BNI Coal, Ltd.**  
**Renewal No. 7, Permit BNCR-8106**  
**Application**

**Case No. RC-18-92**

**NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF RENEWAL APPLICATION**

**May 15, 2018**

BNI Coal, Ltd. has filed an application to renew Surface Coal Mining Permit No. BNCR-8106 covering lands located in:

**Portions of Sections 23, 25, 35, and 36, T142N, R84W, and portions of Sections 31 and 32, T142N, R83W, Oliver County, totaling 1,169.71 acres.**

This five-year permit renewal will allow the company to continue to operate under approved operation and reclamation plans until July 18, 2023. All coal has been removed from within the permit area, but some areas of the permit are currently being used to support mining activities in other permits. The renewal application and surface coal mining and reclamation permit may be inspected at:

Public Service Commission  
State Capitol, 13<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

Oliver County Auditor  
County Courthouse  
Center, ND 58530

You may submit written comments or objections on the proposed permit renewal application and its effects on the environment and on surface owners of the land in the permit area. You may request an informal conference with the Commission and the applicant on the renewal application. The reasons for requesting an informal conference must be stated in the request. Written comments, objections, or requests for informal conference must be made by June 25, 2018.

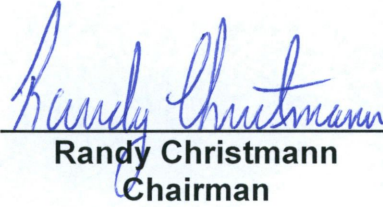
If there is an informal conference, you may request a formal administrative hearing on the Commission ruling on the application. Your request for a formal hearing must be made within thirty days of the Commission ruling on the application.

Written comments, objections, petitions, or requests for an informal conference should be addressed to the Public Service Commission, 600 E Boulevard Ave. 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.

**Public Service Commission**



**Brian Kroshus  
Commissioner**



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Chairman**



**Julie Fedorchak  
Commissioner**

**Mailing lists for Notice of Renewal Application - local, state and federal agencies and Advisory Committee members**

**use standard lists  
regular First Class mail, mailing affidavit**

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