

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO REENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1342

Page 1, line 1, replace the second "and" with a comma

Page 1, line 2, after "38-08.1-04.1" insert ", and a new section to chapter 38-08.1"

Page 1, line 3, replace "and to" with a comma

Page 1, line 4, after "permitholders" insert ", and authority of the industrial commission to adopt rules governing geophysical exploration"

Page 1, line 6, replace the first "and" with a comma and after "3" insert ", and 5"

Page 2, line 10, after "drilling" insert "or plugging"

Page 2, line 28, overstrike "bond must remain on file with the" and overstrike "commission so long as the"

Page 2, line 29, overstrike "exploration", remove "or plugging operations", overstrike "covered by the bond", remove "are", and overstrike "carried on or"

Page 2, overstrike line 30

Page 3, line 1, overstrike "however, that the" and after "surety" insert "on the bond"

Page 3, line 3, overstrike "A bond filed pursuant to this section is the sole bond required of persons engaging"

Page 3, line 4, overstrike "in geophysical exploration", remove "and plugging operations", overstrike "within", remove "this", and overstrike "state"

Page 3, line 6, overstrike ". Upon compliance with" and overstrike "sections 38-08.1-01 through"

Page 3, line 7, overstrike "38-08.1-05, any bond", remove "that", and overstrike "may previously have been filed in any county"

Page 3, line 8, remove "must" and overstrike "be released; provided, however, that the surety of any such bond"

Page 3, line 9, overstrike "remains liable under its contract for all actions of its principal", remove "before", and overstrike "the"

Page 3, overstrike line 10

Page 3, line 11, overstrike "4."

Page 3, line 20, replace "5" with "4"

Page 4, line 12, replace "security" with "anniversary"

Page 5, overstrike lines 11 and 12

Page 5, line 13, overstrike "land described in the application."

Page 6, line 3, remove the overstrike over "~~county or~~" and overstrike the third "or"

Page 6, line 4, overstrike "respective surface owner"

Page 6, remove lines 28 and 29

Page 6, line 30, remove "forty-eight hours, a permit for operations within the county" and overstrike ". However, the permit suspension"

Page 6, line 31, overstrike "time period may not be included in the one-year permit period" and insert immediately thereafter "other physical features. For these same reasons, a board of county commissioners, upon notice to the permitholder and the commission, also may suspend, for not longer than forty-eight hours, a permit for operations within the county"

Page 7, line 3, overstrike "- **Request to file**"

Page 7, line 4, overstrike "**location of worksite**"

Page 7, line 20, replace "and" with a comma and after "3" insert ", and 5"

Page 8, after line 8, insert:

- "5. The surface around each seismic shot hole must be restored to its original condition insofar as restoration is practicable and all stakes, markers, cables, ropes, wires, primacord, cement or mud stacks, and any other debris or material not native to the area must be removed from the drill site and ~~deposited in a sanitary landfill~~ lawfully disposed of."

Page 9, after line 20, insert:

"**SECTION 11.** A new section to chapter 38-08.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Commission to adopt rules. The commission may adopt and enforce rules to implement this chapter."

Renumber accordingly