

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

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Chairman of Committee

April 19, 2017  
Date

Committee on Transportation & Energy.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB17-1336 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 2, lines 10 and 11, strike "~~any interested person~~  
2 AT LEAST A MAJORITY OF THE ROYALTY INTEREST OWNERS," and substitute  
3 "any interested person,".
  
- 4 Page 4, line 11, strike "BEFORE COMMENCING DRILLING OPERATIONS," and  
5 substitute "(A) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (8)(a)(I)(B) OF THIS SECTION,  
6 BEFORE COMMENCING DRILLING OPERATIONS WITHIN THE DRILLING UNIT  
7 THAT IS SUBJECT TO THE ORDER,".
  
- 8 Page 4, lines 14 and 15, strike "AND THE LOCATION WITHIN THE DRILLING  
9 UNIT OF NONCONSENTING OWNERS' INTERESTS," and substitute "AND THE  
10 PERCENTAGE OF ACRES THAT HAVE BEEN FORCE POOLED WITHIN THE  
11 DRILLING UNIT THAT IS SUBJECT TO THE ORDER,".
  
- 12 Page 4, line 16, strike "WEBSITE; AND" and substitute "WEBSITE.  
13 (B) AN OPERATOR MAY DESIGNATE INFORMATION THAT THE  
14 OPERATOR BELIEVES TO BE A TRADE SECRET, PRIVILEGED INFORMATION,  
15 OR CONFIDENTIAL COMMERCIAL, FINANCIAL, GEOLOGICAL, OR  
16 GEOPHYSICAL DATA AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 24-72-204 (3)(a)(IV). THE  
17 COMMISSION SHALL NOT POST ANY INFORMATION THAT IT OR THE  
18 DIRECTOR FINDS MEETS THE CONDITION SPECIFIED IN SECTION 24-72-204  
19 (3)(a)(IV).".

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