

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED  
OMB No. 1004-0136  
Expires January 31, 2004

**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER**

5a. Type of Work: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DRILL <input type="checkbox"/> REENTER		7. If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No. Horseshoe Canyon, COC 047635X
1b. Type of Well: <input type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Single Zone <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Multiple Zone		8. Lease Name and Well No. Horseshoe Canyon 3-22
2. Name of Operator Black Hills Plateau Production, LLC		9. API Well No.
3a. Address 350 Indiana St. Suite 400, Golden, CO 80401	3b. Phone No. (include area code) 720-210-1333	10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Shire Gulch
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements. *) At surface 2466' FSL 418' FWL NW SW At proposed prod. zone 1168' FSL 1099' FWL SW SW		11. Sec., T., R., M., or Blk. and Survey or Area Sect. 22, T9S, R97W, 6th PM
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office* 5.5 miles southeast of Debeque		12. County or Parish Mesa (077)
15. Distance from proposed* location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any) 1099'		13. State CO
16. No. of Acres in lease 320 acres	17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well 320 acres	
18. Distance from proposed location* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft. 830'	19. Proposed Depth 8540'	20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file CO-1394 <i>COB000132</i>
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.) 5402' GR	22. Approximate date work will start* September, 2007	23. Estimated duration 45-60 days drlg + cmpltm

**24. Attachments**

The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No.1, shall be attached to this form:

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| 1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.  | 4. Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see Item 20 above).    |
| 2. A Drilling Plan.   | 5. Operator certification.   |
| 3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office). | 6. Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized officer. |

25. Signature <i>Jessica Donahue</i>	Name (Printed/Typed) Jessica Donahue	Date 7/9/07
Title Regulatory Technician		
Approved by (Signature) <i>Catherine Robertson</i>	Name (Printed/Typed) Catherine Robertson	Date 7/15/08
Title Field Manager		
Office Grand Junction Field Office		

Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

\*(Instructions on reverse)

**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL ATTACHED**

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