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What Can You Do in the Time it Takes to Get a Federal Onshore Drilling Permit Approved?

While the average time to get a permit to drill approved on state lands is 12-15 days, according the Bureau of Land Management the average time to get a permit approved on federal lands is a whopping 307 days.

**In 307 days
you can...**

 **154X**
Drive from DC to LA 154 times

3,349 Watch the movie "Die Hard" 3,349 times

Travel to Mars and back
(150 days each way) 

Hike the Appalachian Trail 2X 

Apply and receive **30** permits for drilling in North Dakota

Receive 1 drilling permit from the Federal gov't **1**

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