March 6, 2008

The Public Service Commission convened in the Commission Hearing Room, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota, on March 6, 2008, 10:00 a.m. Present were Commissioners Wefald, Clark.

Case No. PU-07-766
Otter Tail Corporation
230kv Transmission Line Reroute
Richland County
Siting Application

Mrs. Wefald: I move the Commission adopt the Order granting a waiver of procedures and time schedules and issuing a corridor certificate and route permit to Otter Tail Corporation for its proposed 230 kV electric transmission line reroute in Richland County, North Dakota, Case No. PU-07-766.

Mr. Clark: I second the motion. Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-08-58
Midcontinent Communications/
BEK Communications
Interconnection Arbitration
Application

Mr. Clark: I move the Commission appoint James K. Sharpe, JKS Consulting, Inc., 612 Bellerive Blvd., Nicholasville, Kentucky 40356, as arbitrator in Midcontinent Communications/BEK Communications Cooperative Interconnection Arbitration Application, Case No. PU-08-58, subject to availability and willingness to serve.

Mrs. Wefald: I second the motion. Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

ATTEST

THE COMMISSION ADJOURNED AT 10:15 A.M.

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SUSAN E. WEFALD, PRESIDENT

**Executive Director**