

NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

A G E N D A

10:00 a.m. – Wednesday, August 20, 2014

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Case Numbering System:

Division-Year Filed-Sequence

Division Key:

AD-Administration; **AM**-AML; **AU**-Auctioneer; **GE**-Grain Elevator; **GS**-Gas Safety;

PU-Public Utilities; **RC**-Reclamation; **RR**-Railroad; **WM**-Weights & Measures

CONSENT AGENDA

Items on the Consent Agenda will be voted on in a group as one of the first items of business. At the request of any Commissioner, a consent item may be moved to the Regular Agenda for discussion purposes.

Number	Case Number	Title or Subject Matter
		Approval of Minutes of the July 30, August 4, 14, 2014 Commission Meetings
C-BK1	PU-11-696	Basin Electric Power Cooperative 345 kV Trans. Line - Mercer,Dunn,McKenzie,Williams Siting Application Engineering Inspection Contract
C-BK2	PU-12-39	Northern States Power Company 230 Kv Peace Garden Switching Station Tran. Line Public Convenience & Necessity Application Fee Refund
C-BK3	PU-13-98	Nexus Communications, Inc. Designated Eligible Carrier Application Order on Trade Secret Protection
C-BK4	PU-13-195	Northern States Power Company Red River Valley NG Units 1 & 2 - Hankinson, ND Public Convenience & Necessity Order
C-BK5	PU-13-203	Boomerang Wireless, LLC Designated Eligible Carrier Application Order on Trade Secret Protection
C-BK6	PU-13-329	Griggs County Telephone Co. Designated Eligible Carrier Application And

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C-BK6	PU-13-330	Griggs County Telephone Co. Local Exchange Public Convenience & Necessity Order on Trade Secret Protection
C-BK7	PU-13-332	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Advance Prudence - Lewis & Clark Application Application Fee Refund
C-BK8	PU-13-706	Northern States Power Company Advance Prudence - Courtenay Wind Application Application Fee Refund
C-BK9	PU-13-707	Northern States Power Company Advance Prudence - Odell Wind Pjc Application Application Fee Refund
C-BK10	PU-13-708	Northern States Power Company Advance Prudence-Pleasant Valley Application Application Fee Refund
C-BK11	GS-13-894	Public Service Commission 2014 One-Call Grant Grants and Contracts One-Call Advertising Contract
C-BK12	PU-14-34	Tempo Telecom, LLC Designated Eligible Carrier Application Order on Trade Secret Protection

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Number	Case Number	Title or Subject Matter
C-BK13	PU-14-126	Northern States Power Company 230/115kV 336 MVA transformer - Prairie Substation Public Convenience & Necessity Application Fee Refund
C-BK14	PU-14-76	Red River Rural Telephone Association 2014 High-Cost Universal Service Support Annual Report And
C-BK14	PU-14-399	Griggs County Telephone Co. 2014 High-Cost Universal Services Support Annual Report And
C-BK14	PU-14-406	Absaraka Cooperative Telephone Company, Inc. 2014 High-Cost Universal Services Support Annual Report And
C-BK14	PU-14-407	Midstate Communications Inc. 2014 High-Cost Universal Services Support Annual Report And
C-BK14	PU-14-408	Halstad Telephone Company 2014 High-Cost Universal Service Support Annual Report And
C-BK14	PU-14-409	Midstate Telephone Company 2014 High-Cost Universal Services Support Annual Report And

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Number	Case Number	Title or Subject Matter
C-BK14	PU-14-533	Moore and Liberty Telephone Company 2014 High-Cost Universal Services Support Annual Report Order on Protection of Information
C-RC1		Blaster Re-Certification & Certification Approval Blaster Re-Certification & Certification
C-JF1	PU-12-59	Northern States Power Company Advance Prudence - Geronimo Wind Application Application Fee Refund
C-JF2	PU-13-22	Dakota Gasification Company 10" Natural Gas Pipeline - Mercer County Siting Application Tree and Shrub Mitigation Plan
C-JF3	PU-13-84	Otter Tail Power Company Environmental Cost Recovery Rates Application Fee Refund
C-JF4	PU-13-839	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Transmission Facility Cost Recovery Rates Application Fee Refund
C-JF5	PU-14-142	Otter Tail Power Company Environmental Cost Recovery Rates Application Fee Refund

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C-JF6	PU-14-143	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Environmental Cost Recovery Rates Application Fee Refund
C-JF7	PU-14-157	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU City of Watford City - Service Area Agreement Public Convenience & Necessity Application Fee Refund
C-JF8	PU-14-243	Otter Tail Power Company David Barnick- Lamoure County Public Convenience & Necessity Order On Certificate of Public Convenience & Necessity
C-JF9	PU-14-351	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Tim Wickenheiser- Emmons County Public Convenience & Necessity Order On Certificate of Public Convenience & Necessity
C-JF10	PU-14-487	Otter Tail Power Company Clint Campbell - Ramsey County Public Convenience & Necessity Order On Certificate of Public Convenience & Necessity
C-JF11	PU-14-614	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Northern Plains Coop.- Emmons County Public Convenience & Necessity Notice of Opportunity for Hearing
C-JF12	PU-14-627	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Chris & Anna Cook Public Convenience & Necessity Notice of Opportunity for Hearing

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C-JF13	PU-14-644	Northern States Power Company 2014-2015 Transmission Facility Cost Recovery Rates Suspension
C-JF14	PU-14-668	Otter Tail Power Company Fuel Clause Adjustment - CSAPR Tariff Suspension
C-JF15	PU-14-677	Otter Tail Power Company Josh Kuntz - Ramsey County Public Convenience & Necessity Notice of Opportunity for Hearing

REGULAR AGENDA

Number	Case Number	Title or Subject Matter
BK1	PU-13-743	Northern States Power Company 150 MW Border Winds Project - Rolette County, ND Public Convenience & Necessity Order
BK2	GS-13-802	Public Service Commission Selland Construction, Inc. Damage Prevention Enforcement Consent Order
BK3	PU-14-682	Roberts County Telephone Cooperative Association Local Exchange Public Convenience & Necessity And

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Number	Case Number	Title or Subject Matter
BK3	PU-14-683	Roberts County Telephone Cooperative Association Designated Eligible Carrier Application Notice of Opportunity for Consolidated Hearing
RC1	RC-13-132	BNi Coal, Ltd. Bond Release No. 9, Permit 37 Approval Bond Release
RC2	GE-14-658	Full Circle Ag License No. 1241 - Havana, ND Discontinue Business Discontinue Business
RC3	GE-14-659	BP & Sons Grain and Storage, Inc. Roving Grain Buyer - Morden, Manitoba Discontinue Business Discontinue Business
RC4	GE-14-676	SunOpta Grains and Foods Inc. License No. 1246 - Fargo, ND Discontinue Business Discontinue Business
RC5	GE-14-684	S & S Grain, Inc. Grain Warehouse - Walhalla, ND License Application New License
RC6	GE-14-685	Gavilon Grain, LLC Facility-Based Grain Buyer - Valley City, ND Discontinue Business Discontinue Business

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JF1	PU-14-108	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Generation Resource Cost Recovery Tariff And
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