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Mr. Allen C. Hoberg  
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Re: Case No. PU-05-185  
Plains Pipeline, L.P.  
Buford Expansion/McKenzie & Williams Counties  
Siting Application

Dear Mr. Hoberg:

Enclosed is a request for an administrative law judge in the above case. The Commission has scheduled a hearing for November 3, 2005, beginning at 1:00 p.m. (CST) at the Williston City Hall, City Commission Meeting Room, 22 East Broadway, Williston, North Dakota. The administrative law judge will serve as a procedural law judge and the hearing will be tape recorded. A copy of the case is enclosed.

Please provide the Commission with a copy of any filing issued by your office in this matter.

If you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you.

Sincerely,

William W. Binek  
Hearing Administrator

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Enclosure

c: Lawrence Bender, Attorney

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Cover letter re Request for Administrative Law  
Judge  
by Public Service Commission

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