

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

Route Permit for the Construction of a Transmission Facility

Certificate Number 99

This is to certify that the Commission has designated a transmission facility route for PPM Energy, Inc.'s transmission line and associated project substation described as:

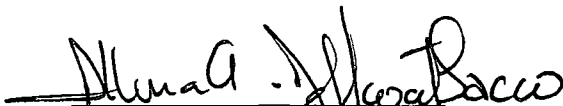
A 230 kV transmission line beginning at the project substation in the NW ¼ of Section 28, Township 158N, Range 72W extending south approximately 0.9 miles before extending southeasterly approximately 1.9 miles to the SW ¼ of Section 3, Township 157N, Range 72W and then extending south approximately 2.5 miles to the NE ¼ of Section 22, Township 157N, Range 72W and then extending southwesterly approximately 0.7 miles before extending south approximately 3.5 miles to interconnect with the existing Rugby Substation in the NE ¼ of Section 7, Township 156N, Range 72W.


This permit is issued in accordance with the Order of the Commission in Case No. PU-05-305 dated September 7, 2005, and is subject to the conditions and limitations noted in the order.

Bismarck, North Dakota, September 7, 2005.

ATTEST:

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Executive Secretary


Commissioner