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MS ILLONA A JEFFCOAT-SACCO
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
600 EAST BOULEVARD, DEPT 408
BISMARCK ND 58505-0480

Re: TransCanada - Keystone Pipeline Project
Case No: PU-06-421
OAH File No. 20070181
Our File No. 11815

Dear Ms. Jeffcoat-Sacco:

Enclosed for filing is an original and seven copies of the Return in Support of Motion to Withdraw along with an attachment as referenced therein which is being submitted on behalf of TransCanada Keystone Pipeline, LP.

I am also enclosing a Certificate of Service which indicates copies are being served on the various parties in this proceeding.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Todd D. Kranda

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c: TransCanada Keystone Pipeline LP

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

TRANSCANADA KEYSTONE PIPELINE, LP)	CASE NO. PU-06-421
30-INCH CRUDE OIL PIPELINE/CAVALIER TO)	
SARGENT COUNTIES SITING APPLICATION)	OAH FILE NO 20070181

RETURN IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO WITHDRAW

TransCanada Keystone Pipeline, LP (Keystone), by and through its attorneys, Thomas D. Kelsch and Todd D. Kranda, of Kelsch, Kelsch, Ruff & Kranda law firm, of 103 Collins Avenue, P.O. Box 1266, Mandan, North Dakota 58554, hereby responds to the Motion to Withdraw as Party Intervenor as was submitted by the City of Fargo (Fargo).

Keystone submits this response to express its support for the request presented by Fargo. Keystone joins with the request that Fargo be allowed to withdraw as a party intervenor. Further, Keystone supports the request that Fargo be relieved of any requirement to submit a brief or other post hearing argument.

Fargo has satisfactorily resolved its concerns relating to the proposed pipeline route along the Lake Ashtabula and Sheyenne River areas as documented in the previously filed Settlement Stipulation. Fargo and Keystone agree that the pipeline route is suitable as proposed and as presented to the Public Service Commission in Keystone's application for a corridor and route permit. As part of the Settlement Stipulation there was reference made to the installation of an additional valve at or near mile post marker 131 which valve location has been noted and is shown on the attached Keystone Pipeline Project North Dakota Facility Map. Finally, Fargo has indicated that it supports the Keystone pipeline project with respect to the route and corridor in the Lake Ashtabula and Sheyenne River areas.

Based upon the foregoing, Keystone respectfully supports the recently filed Motion by Fargo requesting that the Public Service Commission grant Fargo's withdrawal as a party intervenor and that Fargo be relieved of any requirement to file a brief or other post hearing

argument. Therefore, with the concerns of Fargo having been addressed as shown in the Settlement Stipulation, the request by Fargo should be granted by the Public Service Commission for withdrawal as an intervening party in these proceedings along with approval that Fargo does not need to file a brief or other post hearing argument.

Dated this 21ST day of December, 2007.

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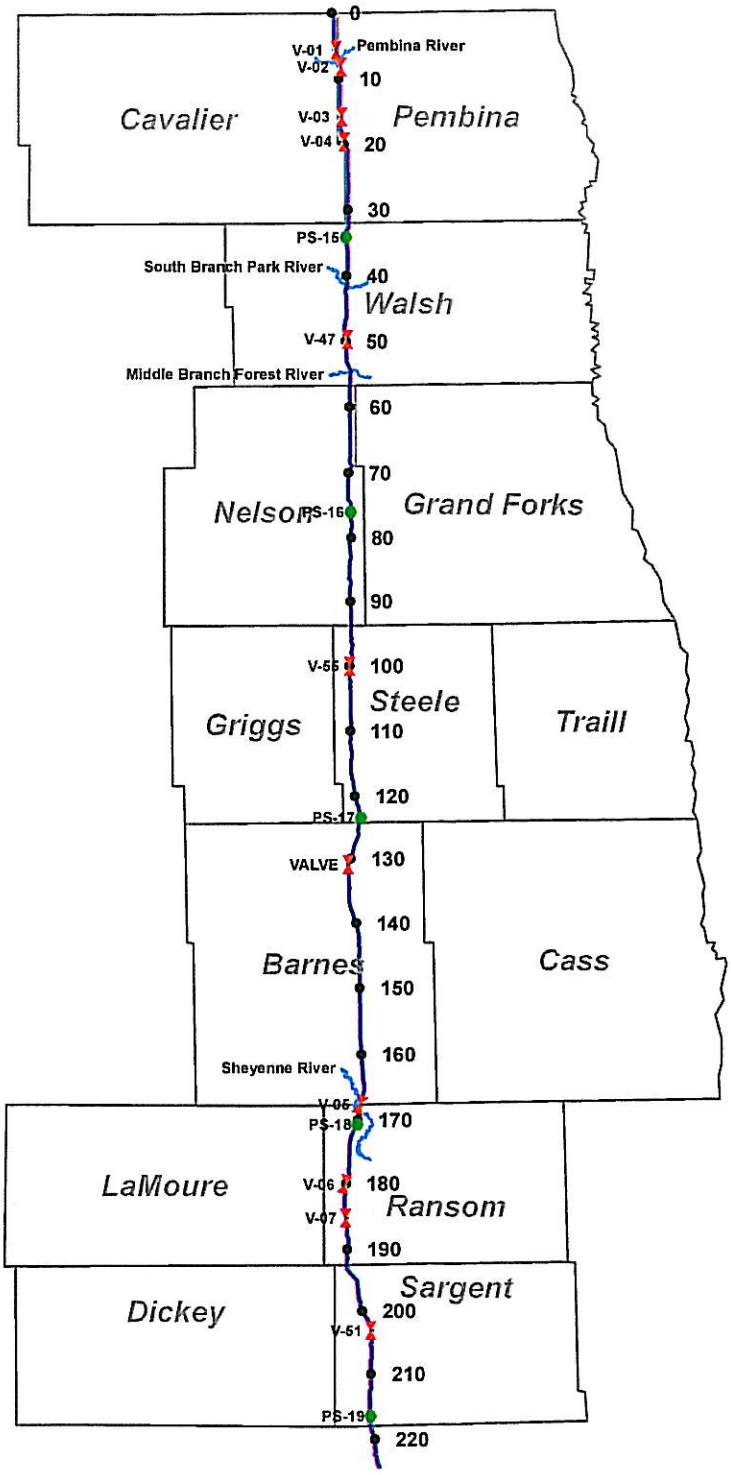

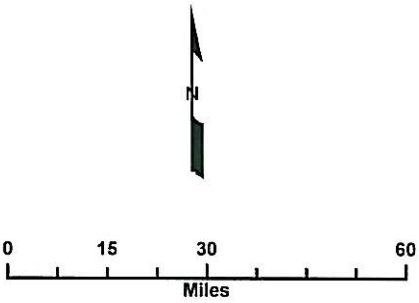

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- PROPOSED KEYSTONE PIPELINE
- MAJOR WATER BODY CROSSINGS
- PROPOSED MAINLINE VALVES
- PROPOSED MAINLINE PUMP STATIONS
- MILE POSTS

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that on the 21st day of December, 2007, the undersigned deposited in the United States Post Office at Mandan, North Dakota, a true and correct copy of the following document(s) in the above-captioned action:

Return in Support of Motion to Withdraw

That a copy of the above document(s) was securely enclosed in an envelope with postage duly prepaid, and addressed as follows:

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