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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Members of the Public Service Commission
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 E. Boulevard; Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

Re: Case Number PU 08-48

Dear Members of the Public Service Commission:

In a letter filed with the Public Service Commission on October 2, 2008, Minnkota Power Cooperative, Inc. indicated it planned to construct a temporary 69 kV transmission line in Raymond Township, Cass County, ND to facilitate completion of the Pillsbury to Maple River Generation Outlet Project. Minnkota submits this letter to inform the PSC that there is no longer a need for the 69 kV transmission line in Raymond Township. The condemnation case, which prompted the alternate plan by Minnkota, has been settled. Minnkota now has 100% of the easements needed to complete the route as approved by the Commission in Case No. PU-08-48.

Very truly yours,

PEARCE & DURICK

By 

Jerome C. Kettleison
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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

APPLICATION TO THE NORTH DAKOTA)
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR A)
WAIVER OF PROCEDURES AND TIMELINES,)
AND CONSOLIDATED CERTIFICATE OF)
CORRIDOR COMPATIBILITY AND ROUTE)
PERMIT, PILLSBURY-FARGO GENERATION)
OUTLET PROJECT)

Docket No. PU-08-48

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH)

Evelyn Froebe, being first duly sworn on oath, does depose and say: That she is over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to the above-entitled matter;

That on the 31st day of October, 2008, this affiant served a true and correct copy of the following document in the above-captioned action:

1. Letter to Public Service Commission of notification of cancellation of temporary construction of a 69-kV line.

That copies of the above document were enclosed and secured in an envelope and addressed as follows:

Public Service Commission
State Capitol Building
600 E. Boulevard Avenue; Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

Hand-Delivered – Original and 7 Copies

To the best of affiant's knowledge, information and belief, such address as given above was the actual post office address of the party intended to be so served.

That the above documents were duly served in accordance with the provisions of the North Dakota Rules of Civil Procedure.

Evelyn Froebe
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of October, 2008.

Annette Kirschenheiter
Notary Public

