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## MOTION

November 26, 2008

**AML Emergency  
2008 Ruud - Parshall  
Project**

**Case No. AM-08-577**

I move the Commission extend the contract with Ulteig Engineers, Inc. until December 19, 2008 for completing a structural survey of the Richard Ruud residence that was damaged during an AML emergency project.

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# PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

## State of North Dakota

### Memorandum

**TO:** Commissioners Wefald, Cramer and Clark  
Darrell Nitschke, Executive Secretary  
Illona Jeffcoat-Sacco and Annette Bendish, Legal Division

**From:** Jim Deutsch, Director - AML Division

**Date:** November 25, 2008

**Subject:** Extension of Contract No. AM-571-08 for a structural survey of the Richard Ruud residence, PSC Case No. RC-08-577

On September 10<sup>th</sup>, the Commission awarded a contract to Ulteig Engineers, Inc. to conduct a structural survey of the Richard Ruud dwelling north of Parshall that was damaged while the AML Division was carrying out an emergency project in early July. Our contract with Ulteig currently has an end date of December 1<sup>st</sup>. While the site survey was conducted several weeks ago, Ulteig has not been able to complete the report and provide other recommendations as required under the contract because Ulteig's principle investigator has had medical problems. Therefore, the AML Division recommends that the contract be extended to December 19<sup>th</sup>. I discussed this matter with Ulteig's local Vice President and he assured me that the final report can be completed by that date.

Attached is a motion for the November 26<sup>th</sup> special Commission meeting to extend the term of Contract No. AM-571-08. Also attached are two copies of the amended contract for signing.

#### Attachments

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