



Public Service Commission

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Mr. Allen C. Hoberg
Office of Administrative Hearings
1707 North 9th Street, Lower Level
Bismarck, ND 58501

Re: Sequoia Energy US Inc.
150MW Border Winds Energy Project – Rolette and Towner Counties
Siting Application
Case No. PU-08-797

Dear Mr. Hoberg:

Enclosed is a request for an Administrative Law Judge in the captioned case. The case is scheduled for a hearing on November 3, 2009 in Rolla, North Dakota. When the Notice of Hearing is issued, a copy will be provided to you.

The Administrative Law Judge will serve as a procedural law judge and the hearing will be electronically recorded.

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

Best regards,

Illona A. Jeffcoat-Sacco
General Counsel

enclosure
c: w/encl. Amy Linnerooth
Ian Witherspoon



REQUEST FOR ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE--APPEAL, APPLICATION, OR PETITION
NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
 SFN 17819 (Rev. 03-2001)

Name of Agency, Board, or Commission
 North Dakota Public Service Commission

The above named agency, board, or commission requests designation of an administrative law judge from the Office of Administrative Hearings for the 150MW Border Winds Energy Project - Rolette and Towner Counties - Siting Application
 PSC Case No. PU-08-797

(e.g., application of [name], appeal of [name], petition of [name]). Authority for the administrative action is found in North Dakota Century Code Chapter 49-22 _____ (North Dakota Century Code and/or North Dakota Administrative Code).

Please attach related documents and correspondence.

The administrative action is more fully described as follows:
 Siting Application

It requests designation of an administrative law judge (please check one):

- To conduct the hearing and issue recommended findings of fact, conclusions of law, and order.
- To serve as a procedural administrative law judge only (no recommended decision). The agency head will be present at the hearing as required by NDCC 54-57-04(6).
- To conduct the hearing, issue findings of fact, conclusions of law, and a final order.

PLEASE MAKE A REQUEST FOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE AT LEAST ONE MONTH BEFORE THE HEARING.

Please list parties, including the agency if it is a Party, and Representation [attorney (or other)] if known, or Agency Contact: (Attach separate list if necessary.)

AGENCY North Dakota Public Service Commission	Address 600 E. Blvd. Ave. Dept. 408 Bismarck, ND 58505	Telephone Number 701-328-2400
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PARTY	Address	Telephone Number
Representation	Address	Telephone Number

Additional Comments
 The case is scheduled for a Hearing on November 3, 2009 in Rolla, North Dakota. When the Notice of Hearing is issued, a copy will be provided to you.

(For agencies required to use OAH, notice of hearing will be issued by the administrative law judge, unless a procedural administrative law judge is requested. Other requesting agencies and agencies requesting a procedural administrative law judge should first contact OAH about scheduling a hearing. If notice has already been issued, attach a copy of the notice.)

Typed or Printed Name and Title of Requesting Person Ilona A. Jeffcoat-Sacco	Date 15 September 2009
Signature of Requesting Person X <i>Ilona A. Jeffcoat-Sacco</i>	Telephone Number 701-328-2407