

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Otter Tail Corporation
Electric Rate Increase
Application**

Case No. PU-08-862

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE CERTIFIED MAIL

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

Janet Marquart deposes and says that:

she is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and, on the **20th** day of **March, 2009**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **nine** envelopes with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, all securely sealed and each containing a photocopy of:

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

The envelopes were respectively addressed as follows:

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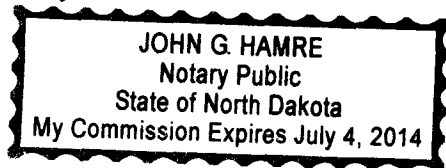
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Each post office address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 20th day of **March, 2009**.

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Garet Marquart

John G. Hamre

Notary Public

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ORDER CONTINUING HEARING
March 11, 2009

On November 3, 2008 Otter Tail Power Company filed a Notice for Change in Rates for Electric Service under North Dakota Century Code Section 49-05-05 and North Dakota Administrative Code Section 69-09-02-01. Otter Tail proposes a \$6 million or 5 percent increase in its annual North Dakota electric revenues. The proposed rates would affect Otter Tail's service to all of its approximately 57,000 retail electric customers in the State of North Dakota.


On December 17, 2008 the Commission issued a Notice of Hearing, Public Input Sessions and Intervention Deadline in this rate case. The Notice indicated that the formal hearing was scheduled to begin April 27, 2009.

On February 25, 2009, at the Administrative Matters portion of its regularly scheduled meeting, the Commission discussed changing the hearing date based on information received from advocacy staff and the parties. The Commission agreed to continue the hearing to May 11, 2009.


Order

The Commission orders the hearing originally scheduled to begin April 27, 2009 is CONTINUED to May 11, 2009, beginning at 8:30 a.m. Central Daylight Time.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



Tony Clark
Commissioner



Kevin Cramer
President



Brian P. Kalk
Commissioner