

## Hamre, John G.

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**From:** Lein, Jerry R.  
**Sent:** Monday, June 16, 2014 10:00 AM  
**To:** Hamre, John G.  
**Subject:** FW: CGF Project Incident Report for contact with an overhead power line PU-09-670  
**Attachments:** Unplanned Outage 6 10 14.pdf

John – This incident report should be docketed in Case No. PU-09-670. Thanks.

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**From:** Mike Hennes [<mailto:mhennes@minnkota.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 13, 2014 5:22 PM  
**To:** Lein, Jerry R.  
**Cc:** 'Duane Phillips ([phillipsduane@stanleygroup.com](mailto:phillipsduane@stanleygroup.com))'; Gerad Paul; Jason Uhlir  
**Subject:** CGF Project Incident Report for contact with an overhead power line PU-09-670

Jerry

Minnkota is notifying the Public Service Commission via this email and its attachment of a construction incident involving contact with an energized overhead distribution line resulting in an outage. No injuries were reported as a result of this incident.

Michael Hennes  
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Incident report



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Client: Minnkota Power  
Type of incident: Unplanned outage  
Incident Date: June, 10<sup>th</sup>, 2014  
Incident Time: 4:45 p.m.  
Incident Location: Structure 151 through structure 156 Wilton N.D.  
Job Number: 29105  
Weather Conditions: Cool and clear

Detailed Description of Events:

On June 10<sup>th</sup>, 2014 Haverfield was assisting Michels Power with the installation of hardline with the use of the helicopter. While pulling from structure 151 to 156 the pilot deviated slightly from the line path. While returning to the line path the hard line slacked and contacted the hot crossing outside of the protected area resulting in an unplanned outage.

Additional Notes:

1. Approximately 4 customers were affected by the outage.
2. The single phase line belongs to Mclean Electric Coop
3. Cover and a line truck equipped with a guard structure attachment were installed on the energized single phase line prior to pulling the hardline.
4. No property damage or employee injury occurred in the event.

