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Darrell Nitschke
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 E. Blvd. Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

SUBJECT: Oliver III Transmission Line, Case No. PU-09-724

Dear Mr. Nitschke,

On behalf of NextEra Energy Resources, Inc., Tetra Tech is pleased to provide you one original of the following document as late-filed exhibits in support of the Application for a Certificate of Corridor Compatibility and Application for a Route Permit for the above referenced project:

- Wetland Determination Report

Due to the size of the document, only one copy will be sent to the PSC office. Please let me know if you would like additional copies.

During the hearing held on October 22, 2010, I testified that there would be no permanent or temporary impacts to wetlands from the project. Since the hearing, additional analysis of the construction methods for the transmission line has resulted in the need to change this statement. As detailed in the wetland determination report, there will be no permanent impacts to wetlands from the project and all pole locations have been sited outside of wetlands and water resources. During construction, however, there may be some temporary impacts to wetlands. Any will be restored and revegetated as soon as construction has ended.

Please feel free to contact me at (617) 443-7552 or Tracey.Martorano@tetrattech.com if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

TETRA TECH EC, INCORPORATED

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