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Re: Status Update
Tatanka Wind Power, LLC v. Montana-Dakota Utilities Company
Docket No. EL10-41-001

Dear Secretary Bose:

On October 12, 2010, Tatanka Wind Power, LLC ("Tatanka") filed a request to defer action in this proceeding, pending the outcome of discussions between Tatanka and Montana-Dakota Utilities Company ("MDU") that are expected to resolve the disputed issues in this proceeding. In its October 12 request, Tatanka committed to filing a status update with the Commission within 30 days if it had not already withdrawn its rehearing request or taken other action in this docket prior to that time.

In this status update, Tatanka reports that the parties are still engaged in discussions that are anticipated to resolve all issues in this proceeding without the need for further litigation. Tatanka respectfully requests that the Commission continue to defer action on Tatanka's September 3rd request for rehearing pending the outcome of these discussions.

Tatanka will file a further status update with the Commission within 30 days to inform the Commission of the current status if it has not withdrawn its rehearing request or taken other action in this docket prior to that time.

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Status update - discussions between Tatanka & MDU

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Please contact me if you have any questions about this filing

Very truly yours,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

In accordance with 18 C.F.R. § 385.2010, I hereby certify that the foregoing document was this day served, via electronic mail, upon each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Secretary in this proceeding.

Dated at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, this 11th day of November, 2010.

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