

December 21, 2017

Mr. Darrell Nitschke
Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-4080

RE: BakkenLink Pipeline LLC Case No. PU-10-218, Tree and Shrub Restoration Plan: Revised April 15, 2016.

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Today we spoke with Patrick Fahn regarding BakkenLink Pipeline LLC's (BakkenLink) Tree and Shrub Restoration Plan, Revised April 15, 2016. Our understanding is that this revision has not been approved by the ND Public Service Commission. BakkenLink wishes to withdraw sentences three and four of paragraph 2 in Section 3.0 Summary of Replacement, "During discussions with affected landowners, many did not want shrubs replaced at a 2:1 ratio and wanted trees substituted for shrubs. BakkenLink is requesting approval of a 4:1 replacement value for trees that are planted as replacements for shrubs."

Please provide notification upon approval by the ND Public Service Commission of the BakkenLink Tree and Shrub Restoration Plan, Revised April 15, 2016

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Kindest regards,



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