

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Falkirk Mining Company
Revision No. 20 to Permit NAFK-9503
Approval

Case No. RC-10-579

NOTICE OF PERMIT REVISION APPROVAL

July 27, 2011

Preliminary Statement


On September 9, 2010, The Falkirk Mining Company applied for Revision No. 20 to Surface Coal Mining Permit No. NAFK-9503 for its mine near Falkirk, North Dakota. This revision adds 16,924.1 acres to the permit and updates legal and ownership information, adds baseline resource information, and adds mining and reclamation plans for the added area.

The Commission has completed its review of the application and issued the permit revision. The revision will give the Falkirk Mining Company the right to modify the mining and reclamation plans in Permit No. NAFK-9503 as described by the revision application.

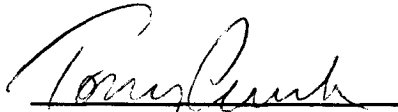
Notice

Any person with an interest which is or may be adversely affected by this revision approval may request a formal hearing with the Commission within thirty days of the publication of this notice. The request should be addressed to the Public Service Commission, 600 East Boulevard Ave. Dept. 408, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0480.

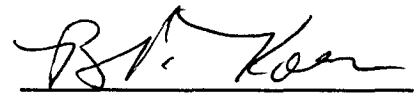
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