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Mr. Darrell Nitschke
Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 East Boulevard Avenue
Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

In re: Bear Paw Energy, LLC
Application for Certificate of Site Compatibility
Stateline Gas Processing Plants
PU 10-666

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

On February 9, 2011, Bear Paw Energy, LLC filed its Application for Certificate of Site Compatibility for the Stateline Gas Processing Plants. Since that time, staff has drawn to our attention the inclusion at page 1 of the application of a request for a waiver or reduction of procedures and time schedules. At this time, Bear Paw is not requesting any waivers. The Commission has previously reduced the one-year waiting period between filing the letter of intent and filing the application and we do not anticipate the need for any additional waivers. The language was inadvertently carried over from a prior form of application. Accordingly, Bear Paw hereby requests that the request for waivers included at page 1 of the application be withdrawn.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please contact me at your convenience.

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**Letter re Request for a waiver or reduction of
procedures and time schedules**

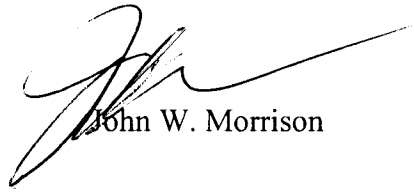
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