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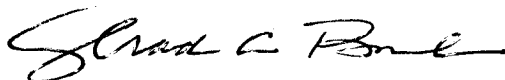
RE: Docket Number PU-11-542

*In the Matter of the Application of Otter Tail Power Company  
for an Order and Certificate to Extend Service to the East  
Devils Lake Outlet Project of the North Dakota State Water Commission*

Dear Secretary:

Enclosed for filing in the above captioned matter is Notice of my appearance on behalf of Nodak Electric Cooperative, Inc..

Respectfully submitted,



GERAD C. PAUL  
Senior Attorney  
Assistant General Counsel

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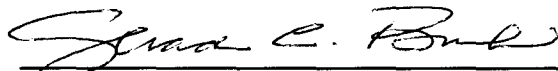
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**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned, Gerad C. Paul, as Senior Attorney and Assistant General Counsel to Minnkota Power Cooperative, Inc., will be appearing in the above entitled matter on behalf of Nodak Electric Cooperative. All further notices, pleading and other material relevant to this matter should be served upon the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of August, 2011.



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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Gerad C. Paul, hereby certify that I have this day, served a true and correct copy of the following document to all persons at the addresses indicated below or on the attached list by electronic filing, electronic mail, courier, interoffice mail or by depositing the same enveloped with postage paid in the United States mail at Grand Forks, North Dakota.

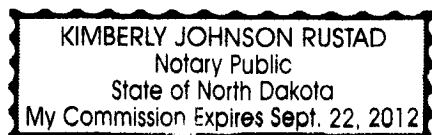
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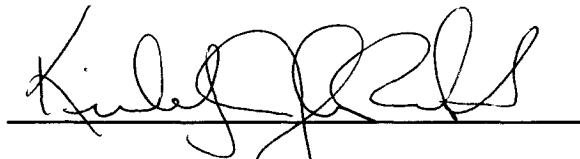
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Dated this 16th day of August, 2011

  
Gerad C. Paul

Subscribed and sworn to me this 16<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2011.



  
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