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

Re: ALLETE Clean Energy through Thunder Spirit Wind, LLC
Thunder Spirit Wind Project
Case No. PU-11-601

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Please find attached ALLETE Clean Energy's weekly construction report for the week ending **July 24, 2015** in the above-referenced case.

Yours truly,

David R. Moeller

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Thunder Spirit Wind progress report – week ending
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Thunder Spirit Wind Weekly PSC Update

Case #: PU-11-601

Week Ending 07/24/2015

Wanzek continued stripping topsoil and building string roads to four additional turbine sites. They excavated a total of eleven turbine foundations and poured mud mats at each site. Rebar crews tied eight anchor cages for foundations. Crews placed concrete on the next six foundations this week, totaling twenty six foundations complete and backfilled the next five foundations. The electrical collection crews continued trenching from tower to tower. They also continued to install conduit in the pedestals of the turbine foundations and setting padmount transformer box pads. The substation crew finished all the flat work and began building the containment pit for the main power transformer. The transmission line crew set all of the poles this week.

Workforce:

ALLETE Clean Energy - 2

Wanzek - 118

Nordex - 6