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Please have the attached Notice of Filings and Notice of Hearing with Map published two times as a legal publication in the following newspaper with the first publication in the next issue of the following newspaper:

Williston Herald
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And the second publication after February 12 and before February 21 in the following paper:

Williston Herald

The map must be published as is. Please publish the map in the size of two or three columns wide. If you cannot publish the map as requested, please let me know as soon as possible.

Do not publish in the classifieds. Please run it as a "News Item Only" article as well.

Send the bill to the Public Service Commission along with a tear sheet for billing purposes.

Please confirm via email that you received this request.

If you have any questions or cannot open the files, please call me at 328-4076 or email.

Thank You

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**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**Enbridge Pipelines (North Dakota) LLC
Little Muddy Station Connection Project – Williams County
Application**

**Case No. PU-11-606
OAH File No. 20110469**

NOTICE OF FILINGS AND NOTICE OF HEARING

November 30, 2011

On November 14, 2011, Enbridge Pipelines (North Dakota) LLC (“Enbridge”) filed applications for a certificate of corridor compatibility and for a route permit to authorize an expansion of the western portion of its North Dakota pipeline system in Williams County, North Dakota. The expansion is called the Little Muddy Station Connection Project (“Project”). The Project involves the construction of a new pump and terminal facility, the Little Muddy Station, and a new transmission line, an approximately 6 mile 10-inch diameter pipeline from the new Little Muddy Station to Enbridge’s East Fork Station in Williams County. The Little Muddy Station will include two 30,000 barrel tanks, pumping facilities, a shipper-owned and operated truck-offloading facility, and pipeline interconnects to allow for a capacity of 55,000 barrels per day. The Little Muddy Station Connection is a part of Enbridge’s 968 mile existing underground petroleum gathering and mainline pipeline system that extends from eastern Montana through North Dakota to Minnesota. *See* the application and application maps for Project details and location.

Enbridge also filed a request for waivers of procedures and time schedules under North Dakota Century Code section 49-22-07.2 and North Dakota Administrative Code chapter 69-06-06.

The Commission finds the applications are complete.

A Public Hearing on the applications is scheduled to begin on **February 23, 2012, at 1:00 p.m. CST in Courtroom 2 at the Williams County Court House, 205 East Broadway, Williston, North Dakota, 58801.**

The issues to be considered in Enbridge’s request for waiver of procedures and time schedules:

1. Are the proposed facilities of such length, design, location, or purpose that they will produce minimal adverse effects and that adherence to applicable procedures and time schedules may be waived?
2. Is it appropriate for the Commission to waive any procedures and time schedules as requested in the application?

The issues to be considered in Enbridge's applications for certificate of corridor compatibility and route permit:

1. Will the location, construction, and operation of the proposed facilities produce minimal adverse effects on the environment and upon the welfare of the citizens of North Dakota?
2. Are the proposed facilities compatible with the environmental preservation and the efficient use of resources?
3. Will the proposed facility locations minimize adverse human and environmental impact while ensuring continuing system reliability and integrity and ensuring that energy needs are met and fulfilled in an orderly and timely fashion?

For more information contact the Public Service Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505, 701-328-2400; or Relay North Dakota, 1-800-366-6888 TTY. If you require any auxiliary aids or services, such as readers, signers, or Braille materials, please notify the Commission at least 24 hours in advance of the hearing.

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