

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Otter Tail Power Company
Dakota Midland Grain – McHenry County
Public Convenience & Necessity**

Case No. PU-11-619

ORDER GRANTING CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE & NECESSITY

November 23, 2011

On September 13, 2011, Otter Tail Power Company, an electric public utility, filed an application under Chapter 49-03, N.D.C.C. to extend service to Dakota Midland Grain at a location in McHenry County, North Dakota.

On October 12, 2011, the Commission issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in this proceeding. The Notice provided if no objections were received by November 14, 2011, the application would be granted as requested. No objections have been received.

Order

The Commission orders:

Otter Tail Power Company is issued Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 5448 authorizing the provision of electric distribution service to Dakota Midland Grain at a point located in:

The SE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 31, Twp. 153N, R 79W, McHenry County, North Dakota.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



**Kevin Cramer
Commissioner**



**Tody Clark
Chairman**



**Brian P. Kalk
Commissioner**

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Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity

Certificate Number 5448

This is to certify that public convenience and necessity require, and permission is granted for Otter Tail Power Company, to serve Dakota Midland Grain in the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 31, Township 153N, Range 79W, McHenry County, North Dakota.

This certificate is issued in accordance with the Order of this Commission dated November 23, 2011 in Case No. PU-11-619, and is subject to the conditions and limitations noted in the Order.

This certificate is conditioned upon Otter Tail Power Company securing the franchise or other authority of the proper municipal or other public authority for the exercise of these rights and privileges.

Bismarck, North Dakota, November 23, 2011.

ATTEST:

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Executive Secretary


Commissioner