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March 15, 2013

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



Re: Case No. PU-11-696  
Basin Electric Power Cooperative  
AVS-Neset 345-kV Transmission Project Siting Application

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Enclosed for filing please find an original application and ten (10) copies of Basin Electric Power Cooperative's Applications for a Waiver of Procedures and Timelines and Consolidated Certificate of Corridor Compatibility and Route Permit.

Also, attached is a check for the \$100,000.00 filing fee and CD's containing the electronic format of the applications.

For inquiries regarding the application, please call Cris Miller, Senior Environmental Project Administrator at (701) 557-5635.

Please send copies of all written inquiries and correspondence regarding the application to: Casey Jacobson, Attorney, Basin Electric Power Cooperative, 1717 East Interstate Ave., Bismarck, ND 58503.

Sincerely,

Andrew M. Serri  
CEO & General Manager

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Enclosures

cc: Casey Jacobson  
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Cris Miller