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August 30, 2012

William McCarthy
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RE: Case Number PU-12-40
Plains Pipeline, L.P.
Nelson to Ross Pipeline- Mountrail County
Siting Application

Dear Mr. McCarthy:

At its regular meeting on August 29, 2012, the North Dakota Public Service Commission passed a motion acknowledging the August 8, 2012 staff approval of a route deviation requested on July 31, 2012, the August 14, 2012 staff approval of a route deviation requested on August 8, 2012, and the August 22, 2012 staff approval to continue work near a damaged abandoned pipeline requested on August 3, 2012 in the above-referenced case. A copy of the Commission motion is enclosed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Cara DeSaye".

Cara DeSaye
Public Utilities Division

Enclosure

APPROVED

DATE: 8-29-12
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MOTION

August 29, 2012

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Case No. PU-12-40

I move the Commission acknowledge the August 8, 2012 staff approval of a route deviation requested on July 31, 2012, the August 14, 2012 staff approval of a route deviation requested on August 8, 2012, and the August 22, 2012 staff approval to continue work near a damaged abandoned pipeline requested on August 3, 2012 by Plains Pipeline, L.P. for the construction of a 17.2 mile, 10.75 inch outside diameter, crude oil pipeline in Mountrail County of North Dakota, Case No. PU-12-40.

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