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August 21, 2013

Darrell Nitschke, Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505



RE: ND PSC Case No. PU-13-22 (Dakota Gasification Company 10" Natural Gas Pipeline)

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

This letter serves as notice to the ND PSC that construction on the referenced project will begin on or about August 27, 2013. The following documentation is also submitted to the ND PSC:

1. As requested at the Preconstruction Conference held August 15, 2013, copies of the preconstruction meeting minutes and attendee list;
2. In accordance with item 6 of the Order, a copy of the Utility Occupancy Permit from Mercer County for the pipeline road crossings;
3. As requested at the Preconstruction Conference, a set of engineering (Plan and Profile) drawings for the project; and,
4. As requested at the Preconstruction Conference, the name and contact information for the person to handle complaints: Mr. Tyler Schilke, Project Manager, Basin Electric Power Cooperative, 1717 East Interstate Avenue, Bismarck, ND, 701.557.5119.

If you have any questions regarding this letter or any of the enclosures, please contact me at 701.557.5495.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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Preconstruction meeting minutes, utility occupancy
permit, plan & profile drawings, contact info