

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**Hiland Crude, LLC
Crude Oil Pipeline, McKenzie, Williams, Mountrail
Siting Application**

Case No. PU-13-136

NOTICE OF FILINGS AND NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

January 7, 2015

On December 17, 2014, Hiland Crude, LLC (Hiland) filed an application to amend First Amended Certificate of Corridor Compatibility No. 157 and First Amended Route Permit No. 169, concerning approximately 197 miles of 8-inch diameter crude oil pipeline in McKenzie, Williams, and Mountrail Counties, North Dakota. The application seeks Commission approval to modify a portion of the previously designated corridor and route, as shown on the attached map.

Also on December 17, 2014, Hiland filed an application for a waiver of procedures and time schedules established under North Dakota Century Code sections 49-22-07.2, 49-22-08, 49-22-08.1, 49-22-13, and North Dakota Administrative Code section 69-06-01-02, requiring separate filings, separate notices, and hearings on the corridor certificate and route permit applications.

The Commission finds the applications are complete.

The issues to be considered in the application for waiver of procedures and time schedules are:

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 the applications for a certificate of corridor compatibility and a route permit are:

1. Will the location 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?

Those interested are invited to comment on the application in writing. Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceeding and the reasons for requesting a hearing. **Comments and requests for hearing must be received by February 13, 2015.** If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine the matter without a hearing.

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.

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Williams County

78TH ST NW

Proposed Re-route

Residence



107TH AVE NW

77TH ST NW

Existing Location

