



August 25, 2015

Mr. James R. Deutsch  
Director, Reclamation Division  
Public Service Commission  
600 E Boulevard Ave, Dept 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

Dear Mr. Deutsch:

Re: Revision No. 29  
KRSB-8802

Dakota Westmoreland submits the following in response to the Public Service Commission's review letter of July 1. Individual comments are set forth below followed by Dakota Westmoreland's responses and a list of the revised information. Three copies of the revised information are enclosed.

**Section 3.2 – Water Management Plan**

1. Follow-up to item No. 4: Please submit an Elevation – Discharge table or Storage – Discharge table for the Charlie Sump design. The table is necessary to route the design storm event through the Charlie Sump and Pond 70. Also, on page 3.2.47, please specify the water elevation that must be maintained in the Charlie Sump to ensure that Pond 70 will not overflow from runoff during the design storm event. (BAJ)
  - A table and graph have been added to Exhibit 3.2.2 Charlie Sump. The narrative has been revised accordingly.
  
2. Follow-up to item No. 4: The elevation – capacity graph in the upper right corner of Exhibit 3.2.2 – Charlie Sump lists two elevations along the curve: (1) permanent pool for Elev 2035 – 2023.8 and, (2) permanent pool for Elev 2036 Spillway – 2032.3. We do not know what these elevations are supposed to mean. The graph should show the water elevation of the sump that must be maintained so that Pond 70 will not have any outflow during the design storm event. (BAJ)
  - Notes have been added to the graph.

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Response to the fourth technical review letter and modified application form filed by the applicant  
Dakota Westmoreland Corporation  
Paula Gores





**Listing of Revised Information**

<u>Volume</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Revised Information and Instructions</u>
7	3.2	Revised page 3.2.47 Revised exhibit 3.2.2 Charlie Sump

If you need additional information, please call me at extension 3908 or Paula Gores, extension 3926.

Sincerely,

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