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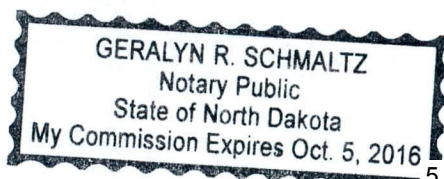
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Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **13th** day of **March, 2014**.

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Cara DeSaye

Geralyn R. Schmaltz

Notary Public

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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR CONSOLIDATED HEARING

March 12, 2014

On March 11, 1992, in Case No. PU-476-91-147, the Commission issued Certificate of Corridor Compatibility No. 62 to Hess Corporation, and on July 21, 1992, in Case No. PU-476-92-138, the Commission issued Route Permit No. 72 to Hess Corporation for the construction of approximately 61 miles of 10.75-inch diameter pipeline in Williams and McKenzie Counties, North Dakota, to transport natural gas from the Hess Tioga Gas Plant in Williams County to an interconnect with the Northern Border Pipeline in McKenzie County.

On January 22, 2014, Hess Corporation and Hess Tioga Gas Plant LLC filed a joint application for the transfer of Certificate No. 62 to Hess Tioga Gas Plant LLC, Case No. PU-14-96, and for the transfer of Permit Number 72 to Hess Tioga Gas Plant LLC, Case No. PU-14-95.

Believing that there will be no prejudice to the rights of the parties or the public interest, and finding the cases involve similar questions of law and fact, the Commission has consolidated the two cases under North Dakota Administrative Code section 69-02-04-04.

The issues to be considered in Case Nos. PU-14-95 and PU-14-96 are whether Hess Tioga Gas Plant LLC agrees and is able to comply with the terms and conditions of the permit for construction and site certificate issued to Hess Corporation, and whether the requested transfers are compatible with the public interest.

Those interested are invited to comment on the applications 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 April 15, 2014.** If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine the matter without a hearing.

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