

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU
Resources Group, Inc.
Petro Hunt LLC – Burke County
Public Convenience & Necessity

Case No. PU-14-655

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED & REGULAR MAIL

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

John G Hamre deposes and says that:

he is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and, on the 24th day of **October, 2014**, he deposited in the United States Mail, at Bismarck, North Dakota, **one** envelope with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and containing a photocopy of:

Order on Certificate of Public Convenience & Necessity

and an original of:

Certificate Number 5854

The envelope was addressed as follows:

Tamie Aberle
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.
400 North Fourth Street
Bismarck ND 58501

Cert. No. 7013 2250 0001 0313 9041

John G Hamre further deposes and says that on the 24th day of **October, 2014**, he deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **three** envelopes by regular mail, with postage fully prepaid securely sealed, each containing a photocopy of the same.

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

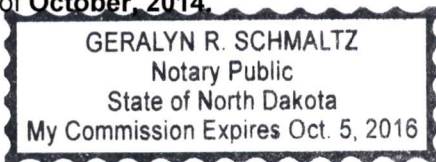
Jerry King
Burke-Divide Electric Cooperative, Inc.
PO Box 6
Columbus ND 58727-0006

Ken Callahan
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.
121 8th Ave W
Williston ND 58801

ND Association of RECs
PO Box 727
Mandan ND 58554-0727

Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 24th day of **October, 2014**.



SEAL

John G Hamre

Gerald R Schmalz

Notary Public

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ORDER ON CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE & NECESSITY

October 22, 2014

On August 27, 2014, Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., an electric public utility, filed an application under Chapter 49-03, N.D.C.C. to extend service to Petro Hunt LLC at a location in Burke County, North Dakota.

On September 17, 2014, the Commission issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in this proceeding. The Notice provided if no objections were received by October 17, 2014, the application would be granted as requested. No objections have been received.

Order

The Commission orders:

Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. is issued Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 5854 authorizing the provision of electric distribution service to Petro Hunt LLC at a point located in:

The NW ¼ of Section 25, Twp. 159N, R 94W, Burke County, North Dakota.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



Randy Christmann
Commissioner



Brian P. Kalk
Chairman



Julie Fedorchak
Commissioner

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity

Certificate Number 5854

This is to certify that public convenience and necessity require, and permission is granted for Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., to serve Petro Hunt LLC in the NW 1/4 of Section 25, Township 159N, Range 94W, Burke County, North Dakota.

This certificate is issued in accordance with the Order of this Commission dated October 22, 2014 in Case No. PU-14-655, and is subject to the conditions and limitations noted in the Order.

This certificate is conditioned upon Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc. securing the franchise or other authority of the proper municipal or other public authority for the exercise of these rights and privileges.

Bismarck, North Dakota, October 22, 2014.

ATTEST:

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Executive Secretary


Commissioner