

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Hiland Crude, LLC
Dore Crude Oil Loop Pipeline – McKenzie County
Siting Application

Case No. PU-14-840

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE REGULAR OR ELECTRONIC MAIL

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

Kathy Acker deposes and says that:

she is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and, on the **13th day of February, 2015**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, 3 envelopes by first class mail, fully prepaid and 40 addressees electronically mailed a copy of:

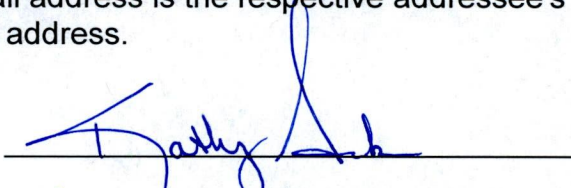
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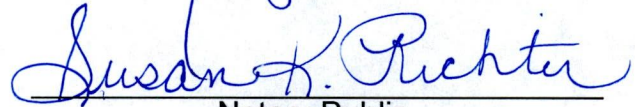
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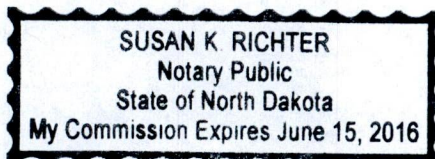
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NOTICE OF FILINGS AND NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

February 11, 2015

On December 17, 2014, Hiland Crude, LLC (Hiland) filed applications for a certificate of corridor compatibility and a route permit concerning a 13-mile, 12-inch diameter crude oil pipeline and associated facilities in McKenzie County, North Dakota, as shown on the attached map. Hiland proposes to construct the project entirely within the corridor previously approved for Hiland's Market Center Pipeline in Case Number PU-13-136.

Also on December 17, 2014, Hiland filed an application for waivers 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 certificate of corridor compatibility and route permit applications.

The Commission finds the applications for a certificate of corridor compatibility and a route permit 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?

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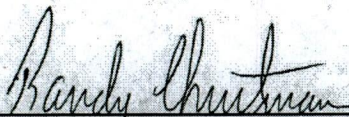
1. Will the location and operation of the proposed facilities produce minimal adverse effects on the environment and upon the welfare of the citizens of North Dakota?

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 March 20, 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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