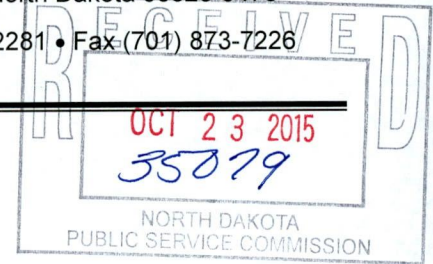


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October 22, 2015

Mr. James R. Deutsch
Director Reclamation Division
Public Service Commission
600 East Boulevard Avenue
Department 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

Dear Mr. Deutsch:


Enclosed are three DVDs containing revised Final Bond Release #4 to Permit NACT-8503. Responses below refer to deficiencies in your September 29, 2015 letter.

1. See revised Attachment III.
2. See revised Attachment III.
3. See revised Attachment III.
4. See revised Attachment IVa and revised Attachment IVb.

If you have any questions, please contact Jessica Unruh or me.

Sincerely,

THE COTEAU PROPERTIES COMPANY


Troy J. Leingang
Environmental Manager

AJH
Enc.

cc: Shana Brost, Mercer County Auditor (w/enc.)