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Illona Jeffcoat-Sacco
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

RE: Brady Wind Farm Siting - Energy Center
PU-15-690 & PU-15-797
OAH File Nos. 2015-0656 and 2015-0655

Dear Ms. Jeffcoat-Sacco:

The hearings on both the above captioned matters involving the Brady Wind Farm and Transmission Line were held in Dickinson, North Dakota, at City Hall on March 30, 2016. Final briefs were filed by the parties. The PSC adopted Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order granting the requested permits on June 16, 2016.

For the above reasons, there no longer appears to be any need for a hearing officer for further proceedings involved in the disposition of this case. I am closing the Office of Administrative Hearings file for this case. Thank you for the opportunity to be involved in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Patrick J. Ward'.
Patrick J. Ward

c: Louise Wetzel
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