

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Border Winds Energy / Northern States Power Company  
Transfer of Site Certificate  
Siting Application

Case No. PU-17-362

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

October 4, 2017

On May 5, 2011 the Commission issued Certificate of Site Compatibility Number 21 to Sequoia Energy US, Inc. authorizing construction of a proposed 150 MW Border Winds Energy Project and associated facilities in Rolette County, North Dakota.

On April 9, 2014, in Case No. PU-14-31, the Commission reissued Certificate of Site Compatibility Number 21 to Border Winds Energy, LLC and amended the certificate to authorize turbine and site plan revisions. Border Winds Energy, LLC was merged into Northern States Power Company (NSP) on December 3, 2015.

On September 22, 2017, in Case No. PU-17-362, NSP filed an application to transfer Certificate of Site Compatibility Number 21 from Border Winds Energy, LLC to NSP. The issues to be considered in Case No. PU-17-362 are whether NSP agrees and is able to comply with the terms and conditions of the certificates and permit issued to Border Winds Energy, LLC and whether the requested transfer is compatible with the public interest.

Those interested are invited to comment in writing on the application in Case No. PU-17-362. 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 November 15, 2017.** 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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