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March 29, 2024

Mr. Steve Kahl  
Director of Administration/Executive Secretary  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
State Capitol  
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0408

**RE: Merricourt Wind Energy Center  
McIntosh and Dickey Counties, North Dakota  
Case No. PU-19-366  
Certificate of Operation**

Dear Mr. Kahl:

Otter Tail Power Company (Otter Tail), owner of 150 MW of Merricourt Wind Energy Center, hereby submits a Certificate of Operation for the year 2023 in compliance with North Dakota Administrative Code Section 69-09-09-03.

Please contact me at 701-871-0150 or [charris@otpc.com](mailto:charris@otpc.com) should you have any questions with respect to this filing.

Sincerely,

/s/ CHRIS HARRIS  
Chris Harris  
Manager, Renewable Operations

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Certificate of Operation 2023  
Otter Tail Power Company  
Chris Harris, Mgr, Renewable Operations

**OTTER TAIL POWER COMPANY**

**Certificate of Operation for  
Merricourt Wind Energy Center**

I, Chris Harris, hereby certify that the production data for the Merricourt Wind Energy Center located in McIntosh and Dickey Counties, North Dakota for the calendar year of 2023 to the best of my knowledge, information and belief is as follows:

- A. Nameplate generating capacity: 150 MW
- B. Annual capacity factor: 45.3 %
- C. Annual megawatt hour output: 594,737 MWh
- D. Monthly megawatt hour output

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|----------|--------|-----------|--------|
| January  | 46,266 | July      | 36,517 |
| February | 56,245 | August    | 42,040 |
| March    | 57,594 | September | 36,803 |
| April    | 68,045 | October   | 61,207 |
| May      | 49,950 | November  | 57,635 |
| June     | 32,914 | December  | 49,519 |

Dated: March 29, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

**OTTER TAIL POWER COMPANY**

By: /s/ CHRIS HARRIS  
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