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RE: Northern Divide Wind, LLC / Case Nos. PU-19-376 and PU-19-377
OAH File No. 20200007 and 20200008

Dear Mr. Schuh:

This letter is regarding your January 2, 2020, request of the designation of an administrative law judge from the Office of Administrative Hearings to conduct a hearing in the matters of Northern Divide Wind, LLC / PU-19-376 and PU-19-377. I hereby designate Hope L. Hogan to be assigned as an administrative law judge to conduct the hearing in regard to these matters. Because the administrative law judge will not be making recommended findings of fact and conclusions of law, or issuing a recommended order, the person or persons who will be making the final administrative decision in regard to these matters (*i.e.*, the commission) must be in attendance at the hearing.

Please send all additional relevant documents (correspondence, and other pleadings and documents) to the designated administrative law judge in care of the Office of Administrative Hearings, 2911 North 14th Street- Suite 303, Bismarck, ND 58503. Please contact the administrative law judge prior to scheduling the hearing. Because the administrative law judge is requested to conduct the hearing only, the agency must give proper notice of the hearing.

Sincerely,

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Director

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cc: Casey Furey, counsel for Northern Divide Wind, LLC
Mitchell Armstrong, Special Assistant Attorney General
Hope L. Hogan, Administrative Law Judge