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**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**Otter Tail Power Co/Northern Plains Electric Coop  
Jamestown, North Dakota  
Service Area Agreement**

**Case No. PU-21-364**

**Otter Tail Power Company  
Jamestown, North Dakota  
Public Convenience & Necessity**

**Case No. PU-21-365**

**MOTION**

**August 18, 2021**

Believing that there will be no prejudice to the rights of the parties or the public interest and finding the cases involve similar questions of law or fact, I move the Commission consolidate for notice of opportunity for hearing, under North Dakota Administrative Code section 69-02-04-04, Otter Tail Power Co/Northern Plains Electric Coop, Jamestown, North Dakota, Service Area Agreement, Case No. PU-21-364 and Otter Tail Power Company, Jamestown, North Dakota, Public Convenience & Necessity, Case No. PU-21-365.

I further move the Commission assess an application fee of \$10,000 and issue a Notice of Filing and Notice of Opportunity For Consolidated Hearing in the joint application of Otter Tail Power Company and Northern Plains Electric Cooperative for approval of an electric service area agreement and the resulting issuance of a certificate of public convenience and necessity to establish and designate service locations to be served by Otter Tail Power Company and Northern Plains Electric Cooperative within and around the city of Jamestown, North Dakota, Case Nos. PU-21-364 and PU-21-365.

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