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April 21, 2023

North Dakota Department of Water Resources  
C/O Project Review  
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Dear Project Review Team:

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A thumb drive of the permit revision application is enclosed for your agency's evaluation as an Advisory Committee member as required by NDAC 69-05.2-10-01(2). Please review your agency's areas of responsibility and technical expertise for the revision application and reply with any comments by June 5, 2023.

If you have any questions, please contact this office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Zanna Brinkman".

Zanna Brinkman  
Director  
Reclamation Division

Enclosure

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Mr. David Glatt  
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