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VIA E-MAIL AND FEDERAL EXPRESS

Mr. Steven Kahl Executive Secretary North Dakota Public Service Commission 600 E. Boulevard, Dept. 408 Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

RE: In the Matter of the Consolidated Application of Minnesota Power, an operating division of ALLETE, Inc., for a Certificate of Corridor Compatibility and Route Permit for a HVDC Modernization Project in Oliver County, North Dakota Case No. PU-24-381

and

In the Matter of the Consolidated Application of Great River Energy for a Certificate of Corridor Compatibility and Route Permit for a HVDC Modernization Project in Oliver County, North Dakota Case No. PU-24-382

Dear Mr. Kahl:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Minnesota Power, an operating division of ALLETE, Inc., and Great River Energy are an original and six (6) copies of this letter and a publication map. Electronic copies of the enclosed were filed with the Commission today via e-mail.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Mollie M. Smith

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cc: Adam Renfandt (via e-mail) Brian Johnson (via e-mail) 5 PU-24-381 Filed 12/23/2024 Pages: 2 Publication Map

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