BLACK HILLS POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY

P.O. BOX 1400 409 DEADWOOD AVENUE RAPID CITY, SOUTH DAKOTA 57709

JAMES MATTERN
VICE PRESIDENT OF ADMINISTRATION

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November 3, 1995

Mr William Bullard Jr Executive Director SD PUC State Capitol Building 500 East Capitol Avenue Pierre SD 57501-5070

Dear Mr. Bullard

Attached is information regarding an exchange of customers and territory between Black Hills Power and Light Company and Black Hills Electric Cooperative, Inc. I am asking on behalf of BHP&L for approval by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission of the action taken by the utilities involved.

An outline of the customers and territory is included with this packet.

Thank you for addressing our request. Should you or any of the staff have questions, do not hesitate to contact Mr. Greg Suto, BHP&L Construction Services Supervisor, or me.

Sincerely,

Jim Mattern

Vice President of Administration

Enclosure

C: Dan Hutt



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October 24, 1995

William Bullard, Jr. **Executive Director** South Dakota Public Utilities Commission 500 East Capitol Avenue Pierre SD 57501-5070

Dear Mr. Bullard:

Black Hills Electric Cooperative, Inc. (BHEC) and Black Hills Power and Light (BHP) request approval by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission of the following exchange of customers and territory.

From BHEC to BHP:

The following frozen customers located within BHP assigned territory served until this

Burton and Jacqueline Sly 22560 Potter Road, Rapid City, SD 57702-6132 Located in the SW¼, Section 14, Township 2 North, Range 6 East, Black Hills Meridian, Pennington County, South Dakota BHEC Service Location: C6-14-4 BHEC Account Number: 013140042

Jeffrey M. and Renee L. Pansch 22574 Potter Road, Rapid City, SD 57702-6132 Located in the SW¼, Section 14, Township 2 North, Range 6 East, Black Hills Meridian, Pennington County, South Dakota BHEC Service Location: C6-14-3

BHEC Account Number: 013140034

Beatrice Collins 22541 Potter Road, Rapid City, SD 57702-6133 Located in the NE¼, Section 15. Township 2 North, Range 6 East, Black Hills Meridian. Pennington County, South Dakota BHEC Service Location: C6-15-27 BHEC Account Number: 013150271

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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
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From BHP to BHEC:

The following territory, prior to this exchange assigned to BHP, and all present and future services within:

Lots B, C, D, and E of Woodland Valley Subdivision located in the SE¼ of the NE¼ of Section 15, Township 2 North, Range 6 East, Black Hills Meridian, Pennington County, South Dakota.

Enclosed are copies of signed statements from all affected consumers and landowners agreeing to the exchange. Both utilities propose the exchange in order to lower the costs of line extensions to new consumers, reduce service duplication allowing for the orderly and efficient development within assigned territories, and to reduce the number of frozen customers within assigned territories of other utilities.

Thank you for your consideration. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

BLACK HILLS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

Daniel E. Hatt

Daniel E. Hutt General Manager

Enclosures:

c: Jim Mattern



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October 23, 1995

Jim Mattern
Vice President of Administration
Black Hills Power and Light Company
PO Box 1400
Rapid City SD 57709-1400

Dear Jim:

The facilities changes needed to exchange customers in the Woodland Valley Subdivision area off of Nemo Road have been completed by BHP and BHEC. It has been a pleasure to work with you, Stuart Wevik, and Greg Suto. I believe the only thing left to do to complete the exchange is to submit documentation to the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission for approval. I have enclosed copies of customer approvals and a letter from BHEC approving the exchange. If they meet with your approval please forward them to the PUC along with the signed landowner approval you have obtained from Jim Letner and a letter from BHP approving the exchange. Please send me a copy of the landowner approval and your letter for our files.

Thanks again for your cooperation and assistance. I look forward to working with you again in the near future. If you have any questions, please give me a call Sincerety

BLACK HILLS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

Daniel E. Hutt General Manager

Enclosures:



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Consent of Release - Service Transfer

I, Beatrice Collins, agree to the electrical service trade of Account Number: 013-15027-1, Location Number: C6-15-27, in Pennington County, South Dakota, from Black Hills Electric Cooperative, Inc. to Black Hills Power & Light Company, Inc. I understand that if the trade is approved, electric power for the location will be supplied by Black Hills Power & Light Company, Inc.

Any capital credits I have accrued with Black Hills Electric Cooperative, Inc. will continue to be paid to me in the year they are retired.

| Signed: Beatrice Collins | Date: 1119. 9, 1995 |
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| Signed: | Date: |



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Consent of Release - Service Transfer

I, Jeffrey M. and Renee L. Pansch, agree to the electrical service trade of Account Number: 013-14003-4, Location Number: C6-14-3, in Pennington County, South Dakota, from Black Hills Electric Cooperative, Inc. to Black Hills Power & Light Company, Inc. I understand that if the trade is approved, electric power for the location will be supplied by Black Hills Power & Light Company, Inc.

Any capital credits I have accrued with Black Hills Electric Cooperative, Inc. will continue to be paid to me in the year they are retired.

Signed: Signed: Date: 8-8-95

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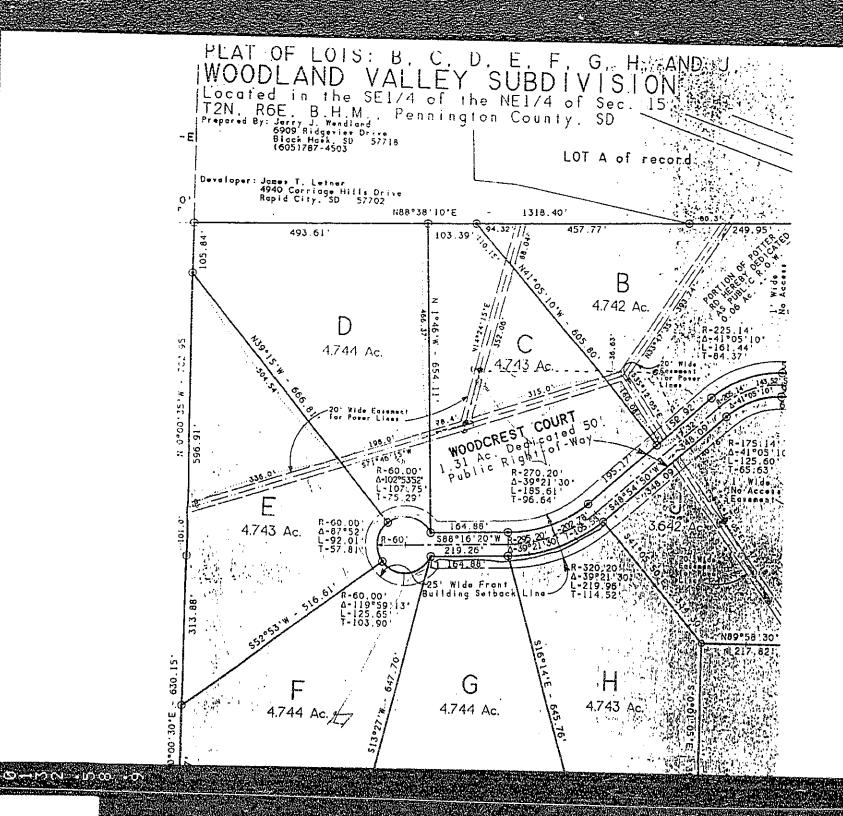
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Consent of Release - Service Transfer

I, Burton and Jacqueline Sly, agree to the electrical service trade of Account Number: 013-14004-2, Location Number: C6-14-4, in Pennington County, South Dakota, from Black Hills Electric Cooperative, Inc. to Black Hills Power & Light Company, Inc. I understand that if the trade is approved, electric power for the location will be supplied by Black Hills Power & Light Company, Inc.

Any capital credits I have accrued with Black Hills Electric Cooperative, Inc. will continue to be paid to me in the year they are retired.

Signed: Signed



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October 30, 1995

Mr. Jim Letner P.O. Box 7794 Rapid City, SD 57701

Dear Mr. Letner,

As you are aware a successful trade has been completed between Black Hills Power & Light and Black Hills Electric Co-op in the subdivision you are building, Woodland Valley. Also included in this trade is a new home you are constructing on the 36 acres adjacent to the subdivision. With the understanding that lots B, C, D, and E of Woodland Subdivision and the new home on the adjacent 36 acres are now the permanant customers of Black Hills Electric Co-op, and lots F, G, H, and J are now the permanant customers of BHP&L, we are asking your signature on this document as proof of your agreement to the above referenced trade.

Thank You,

Greg Suto

Line Construction Supervisor

Jim Letner

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