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Feb. 7th, 2015

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen
Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
Capital Building, 1st Floor
500 E. Capital Ave.
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

RE: HP14-002 Application for Party Status and Request for Service –
ELECTRONICALLY FILED THIS DATE VIA puc/sd.gov/EFiling Options

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Please find attached the application for Dakota Rural Action (DRA) to be an intervening party in docket number HP14-002. Dakota Rural Action is a grassroots nonprofit whose mission is to help their membership conserve and protect the environment, family agriculture and the unique South Dakota way of life. Pursuant to SDCL § 49-41B-17(3), DRA is an eligible party for intervening party status in this proceeding.

I request that in addition to me being added as counsel for DRA in this proceeding that three other individuals also receive notice of this docket's proceedings and filings. Two individuals request email service and one requests US mail service. They are:

Mr. Frank James
Staff Director
Dakota Rural Action
P.O. Box 549
Brookings, SD 57006
Phone: 605.697.5204
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Email: fejames@dakotarural.org

Ms. Sabrina King
Community Organizer
Dakota Rural Action
518 6th St. #6
Rapid City, SD 57701
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Email: Sabrina@dakotarural.org

Please mail a hard copy of the proceedings' notices and filings to Ms. Kink in the DRA Rapid City office so that members without email may access a copy there.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

/s/Kimberly Craven

Kimberly Craven
Attorney for Dakota Rural Action

cc: Frank James
Sabrina King
Ms. Kink
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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES
COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH
DAKOTA**

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**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF DAKOTA ACCESS, LLC FOR AN)
ENERGY FACILITY PERMIT TO)
CONSTRUCT THE DAKOTA ACCESS)
PIPELINE)
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**APPLICATION FOR PARTY
STATUS
HP14-002**

Pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40 Dakota Rural Action

(Name of Applicant)

petitions the Public Utilities Commission to be granted party status in the above-referenced facility permit proceeding.

Briefly explain your interest in this permit proceeding. Form is limited to 1000 characters.

Dakota Rural Action is a grass nonprofit organization whose mission is to help their membership conserve and protect both South Dakota's environment and unique way of life including family agriculture. DRA is concerned about how the proposed Dakota Access pipeline will impact land, family farms, wildlife and the environment including waterways and groundwater.

Kimberly Craven
Signature of Applicant

Kimberly Craven, Esq.
Print or Type Name

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Phone Number

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E-mail Address

Dakota Rural Action
Name of Organization if filing on behalf of organization

Feb. 7, 2015
Date



(Seal)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of February, 2015.

Tammy A. Lastok
Notary Public

My Commission expires: 8/23/15

NOTE: The petition was filed Dec. 15, 2014, consistent with SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40. This Application for Party Status form must be filed in the Commission's offices on or before Feb. 13, 2015.

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