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Turner-Hutchinson
ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

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May 22, 1998

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SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC
UTILITY COMMISSION

William Bullard, Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
State Capitol
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

Dear Mr. Bullard:

Recently Turner-Hutchinson Electric Cooperative, Inc. (THEC) and Lincoln-Union Electric Company (LUEC) received a request for electric service from Mrs. Lorrie Dunkelberger of Hurley, SD. Her request is for electric service to a trailer house in the Northeast Quarter of Section 25, Range 53 West, Township 98 North, Turner County. This is THEC service territory as established by our Territorial Agreement with LUEC.

In order for THEC to provide electric service to this location, a line extension of approximately 1.3 miles would be required. LUEC has facilities within 1,000 feet of the proposed site. Mrs. Dunkelberger was informed of the situation and was agreeable to receiving service from LUEC if an exception to the assigned areas could be obtained from the PUC.

We have enclosed a copy of the "Exception to Service on Assigned Areas" signed by both THEC and LUEC indicating our agreement regarding electric service to this location. We believe that this exception meets the factors as outlined in SDCL 49-34A-55. As a result, we would like to request formal approval by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission on this matter. Given the fact that all parties are in agreement, we can not foresee any difficulties and look forward to hearing from you in the near future.

If you have any questions about this exception or the materials provided with this letter, please feel free to give me a call.

Sincerely,

Brad Schardin
General Manager

Enclosure

EXCEPTION TO SERVICE ON ASSIGNED AREAS

As Agreed To Between

Turner-Hutchinson Electric Cooperative, Inc.
PO Box 388, 501 S. Broadway Ave.
Marion, South Dakota 57043-0388

And

Lincoln-Union Electric Company
PO Box 105, Hwy 11 North
Alcester, South Dakota 57001-0105

Turner-Hutchinson Electric Cooperative, Inc. (THEC) has assigned territorial rights to provide electric service to the Northeast Quarter of Section 25, Range 53 West, Township 98 North, Turner County.

Under the conditions of this agreement, THEC does hereby consent that Lincoln-Union Electric Company may extend its facilities into the above described service area of THEC to provide electric service for a residence.

This release is specifically limited to said residence for the life of the structure.

This consent is not to be construed as having any impact upon or indicating a desire to change the service areas assigned by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission. This agreement becomes effective upon its approval by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission.

The foregoing is hereby made this 21st day of May 1998.

Turner-Hutchinson Electric Cooperative, Inc.

By: *Sydney A. Deffen*
Its: BOARD PRESIDENT

We have reviewed the consent of THEC for the undersigned to provide electric service under the provisions set forth therein and hereby indicate our concurrence with the consent granted to provide said residence with the required electric service.

Lincoln-Union Electric Company

By: *Leonard Welter*
Its: BOARD PRESIDENT

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SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC
UTILITIES COMMISSION

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DEAR SIRs:

I am REQUESTING a CHANGE OF TERRITORY FROM TURNER HUTCHINSON ELECTRIC TO LINCOLN UNION ELECTRIC. I am REQUESTING THIS BECAUSE OF THE EXPENSEE THERE WOULD BE TO ME WITH TURNER HUTCHINSON.

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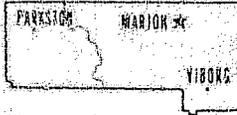
Donie Dunkelberger

LORRIE DUNKELBERGER

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July 16, 1998

Cameron Hoseck
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
State Capitol
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

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SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC
UTILITIES COMMISSION

Re: Exception to Service on Assigned Areas

FAX Received JUL 17 1998

Dear Mr. Hoseck:

As requested by the Commissioners, we have revised the wording of the Exception to Service on Assigned Areas and re-executed the agreement between Turner-Hutchinson Electric Cooperative, Inc. (THEC) and Lincoln-Union Electric Company (LUEC).

This is in reference to the request submitted to your office in May 1998 regarding the request for electric service from Mrs. Lorrie Dunkelberger of Hurley, SD.

We have enclosed a copy of the revised agreement signed by both THEC and LUEC for consideration by the Commissioners.

If you have any questions about this exception or the materials provided with our letter of May 22nd, please feel free to give me a call.

Sincerely,

Alan B. McDonald

Alan B. McDonald
General Manager

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The foregoing is hereby made this 21st day of May 1998.

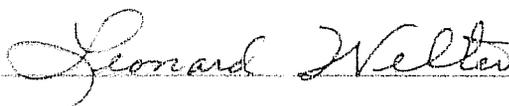
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By: 

Its: General Manager

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Lincoln-Union Electric Company

By: 

Its: Board President

