

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

In the Matter of the Transmission Permit for the
Big Stone South to Ellendale Project

EL13-028

**APPLICANTS' FILING OF
COMPLIANCE WITH CONDITION 23:
UPDATED PROJECT ROUTE**

Applicants Otter Tail Power Company and Montana Dakota Utilities Co. ("collectively Applicants"), through their attorneys, respectfully submit this filing establishing their compliance with Condition 23 of the Decision and Order dated August 22, 2014 of the Commission which issued a facility permit for the Big Stone South to Ellendale Project ("the Project"). Condition 23, which was included in the Amended Settlement Stipulation signed by the Applicants on June 18, 2014, requires a filing identifying any material deviations to the centerline for the route of the Project. Attached are Exhibit 1, a map showing the route as of February 29, 2016, including the eight material deviations that have occurred to the route since the evidentiary hearing on the facility permit, and Exhibit 2, a spreadsheet showing describing each of the material deviations that have occurred. All material deviations were either requested by Landowners or requested by the Project and agreed to by the affected Landowners.

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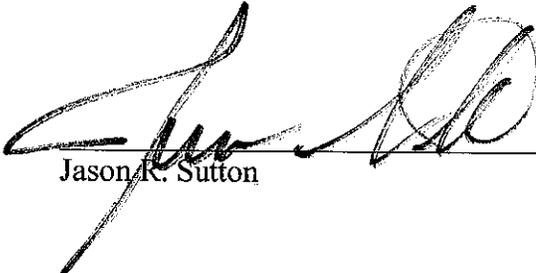
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