

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES
COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH
DAKOTA

FORM

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF)
TRANSCANADA KEYSTONE PIPELINE, LP)
FOR ORDER ACCEPTING CERTIFICATION)
OF PERMIT ISSUED IN DOCKET)
HP09-001 TO CONSTRUCT THE)
KEYSTONE XL PIPELINE)

APPLICATION FOR PARTY
STATUS
HP14-001

Pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-17,

Benjamin D. Gotschall

(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.

I work with Bold Nebraska and the Cowboy Indian Alliance on issues regarding Keystone XL pipeline and the concerns around risks to water, private property rights, and soil. We would like to bring up issues, risks, and evidence around soil type and the Sandhills that reach into southern South Dakota as well as the Ogallala Aquifer.

Benjamin D. Gotschall
Signature of Applicant

Benjamin D. Gotschall
Print or Type Name

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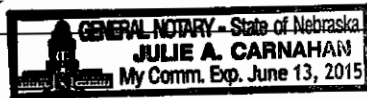
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Phone Number

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Bold Nebraska
Name of Organization (if applicable)

10-9-14
Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of October, 2014.



Julie A. Carnahan
Notary Public

My Commission expires: 6-13-15

(Seal)

NOTE:

The petition was filed Sept. 15, 2014. This Application for Party Status form must be filed in the Commission's offices on or before Oct. 15, 2014.

Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
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