BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF) Docket 14-001
TRANSCANADA KEYSTONE PIPELINE,)
LP FOR ORDER ACCEPTING) DAKOTA RURAL ACTION'S
CERTIFICATION OF PERMIT ISSUED IN) PROPOSED SCHEDULE FOR
DOCKET HP09-0001 TO CONSTRUCT THE) PROCEEDINGS
KEYSTONE XL PIPELINE)
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Dakota Rural Action ("DRA") hereby proposes the following schedule for the proceedings in this matter to be adopted by means of a Scheduling Order to be issued by the Public Utilities Commission of the State of South Dakota (the "Commission"):

EVENT	DATE
Initial discovery requests due from all parties.	8 weeks from date Scheduling Order issued by the Commission.
Responses to initial discovery requests due.	4 weeks after the initial discovery request due date.
Hearing on discovery requests (if needed).	2 weeks after date for responses to discovery requests are due.
Supplemental discovery requests due.	6 weeks after responses to initial discovery request received.
Responses to supplemental discovery requests due.	4 weeks after the supplemental discovery request due date.
Hearing on supplemental discovery requests (if needed).	2 weeks after date for responses to supplement discovery requests are due.
Additional Applicant pre-filed testimony due; Commission staff pre-filed testimony due.	4 weeks after final hearing on discovery requests and compliance with any orders issued as a result of a hearing, or after compliant responses are received.
Intervenor pre-filed testimony due.	4 weeks after additional Applicant and Commission Staff testimony filed.

Applicant rebuttal testimony due.	4 weeks after Intervenor testimony filed.
Prehearing conference with all parties	4 weeks prior to hearing date.
Evidentiary hearing.	4 weeks after Applicant rebuttal testimony filed.

All proposed dates would be subject to adjustment in the event additional adjudication of discovery disputes or other motions filed by parties are necessary.

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Respectfully submitted,

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