

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

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**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**)
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**APPLICATION FOR PARTY
STATUS
HP14-001**

Pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-17,

Diana L. Steskal

(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.

Hello, I am Diana Steskal, along with my husband Byron Steskal, we are Nebraska landowners who oppose the construction of the Keystone XL Pipeline. The proposed route will cross diagonally 1.2 miles across our property, which has been in the family for over 70 years. Our property is located on the edge of the Nebraska Sandhills and the Ogallala aquifer lies underneath. We believe that the Keystone XL Pipeline should NOT be constructed as it is not in the nation's best interest and TransCanada is NOT a good partner for the people of the United States. We are fighting to protect our land and water, we also stand beside our South Dakota family, friends, and allies in the fight to protect our mother earth. NO KXL! Thank you

Diana L. Steskal
Signature of Applicant

Diana L. Steskal

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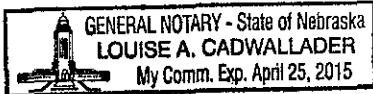
CIA ~ Nebraska Landowner

Name of Organization (if applicable)

October 7th, 2014

Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of October, 2014.



(Seal)

Louise A. Cadwallader
Notary Public

My Commission expires: April 25, 15

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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