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**Re: *In the Matter of the Application by Otter Tail Power Company on Behalf of the Big Stone II Co-Owners for an Energy Conversion Facility Siting Permit for the Construction of the Big Stone II Project***  
**Case No. EL05-022**

Executive Director Van Gerpen:

This is to clarify the cover letter that was previously filed with respect to Applicants' Exhibits 31 and 51. With respect to Applicants' Exhibit 31, the rebuttal testimony of Daniel Klein filed originally on June 9, 2006, the new version simply adds line numbering that was inadvertently omitted in the original draft. The line numbering will assist in cross-examination and is consistent with our other witnesses. Applicants' Exhibit 51, the rebuttal testimony of Jeff Greig, had certain figures associated in Table 1 as described in the text that were incorrect. Table 1 is correct in the original version. The new version contains the correct numbers throughout. To the extent that leave is necessary, we request leave to make this corrected filing.

Please direct any questions to the undersigned at the number above or to Mr. Thomas J. Welk. Mr. Thomas J. Welk may be reached at (605) 336-2424.

Very truly yours,

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