

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
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COUNTY OF HUGHES)

CIRCUIT COURT

SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

In the Matter of Otter Tail Power Company
on Behalf of Big Stone II Co-Owners for an
Energy Conversion Facility Permit for the
Construction of the Big Stone II Project

Civ. No. 06-399

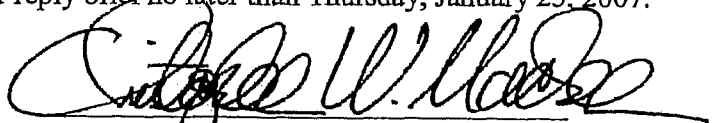
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PUC Docket No. EL-05-022

Pursuant to SDCL 1-26-33.2, Appellants Minnesota Center for Environmental Advocacy, Fresh Energy (formerly Minnesotans for an Energy Efficient Economy) Izaak Walton League of America- Midwest Office, and the Union of Concerned Scientists ("Appellants"), Appellees Otter Tail Power Company on behalf of the Big Stone II Co-owners ("Co-owners") and Appellee South Dakota Public Utilities Commission ("PUC"), by and through their undersigned attorneys of record stipulate as follows:

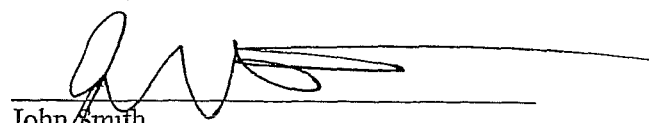
1. Co-owners shall serve their Appellee's Brief no later than Friday, January 5, 2007;
2. The PUC shall serve their their Appellee's Brief no later than Friday, January 5, 2007;
3. Appellants shall serve their reply brief no later than Thursday, January 25, 2007.

Dated this 21 day of December 2006.



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