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Thank You,

Robert Hill

Brookings County Zoning Director

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)	APPLICATION FOR PARTY
XCEL ENERGY FOR A FACILITIES PERMIT TO)	STATUS
BUILD 9.65 MILES OF THE BUFFALO RIDGE)	
TO BROOKINGS COUNTY 115 KV)	EL05-028
TRANSMISSION LINE, TWO 0.4 MILE)	
BROOKINGS COUNTY TO WHITE 345 KV)	
TRANSMISSION LINES, THE BROOKINGS)	
COUNTY SUBSTATION AND TO ADD)	
FACILITIES TO THE WHITE SUBSTATION)	

Pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40, Brookings County Commission
(Name of Applicant)

petitions the Public Utilities Commission to be granted party status in the above-referenced transmission facility permit proceeding.

Robert W. Hill
Signature of Applicant

Robert W. Hill
Print Name

Address: 314 6th Ave
Brookings, SD 57006

Phone Number _____

Brookings County Commission
Name of Organization if applicable

Jan 31, 2006
Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of Jan, 20006

Heidi Buseth
Notary Public

(SEAL)

My Commission Expires
7-8-2008

My Commission expires: _____

NOTE: Consistent with SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40, this application must be filed with the Public Utilities Commission within 60 days from the date the application was filed. The facility application was filed December 2, 2005. Therefore, this Application for Party Status form must be filed in the Commission's offices on or before January 31, 2006.

Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
500 East Capitol
Pierre, SD 57501-5070