

Affidavit of Publication

State of South Dakota

Exhibit "A"

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County of Brookings

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SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Amy B. Larsen of said county, first duly sworn, on oath, says: That she is the office clerk of THE BROOKINGS REGISTER, a daily newspaper, printed and published in the City of Brookings, in said County of Brookings, and State of South Dakota; that she has full and personal knowledge of the facts herein stated; that said newspaper is a legal newspaper and has a bona fide circulation of at least two hundred copies of each issue daily; that said newspaper has been published within the said County of Brookings and State of South Dakota, for more than one year prior to the first publication of Exhibit "A," hereto attached and herein mentioned, and was and is printed

that the

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a printed copy of which, taken from the paper in which the same was published, is hereto attached marked Exhibit

said newspaper for 2 times, to-wit:

August 15, 2006

August 22, 2006

said Exhibit "A" inures to the sole benefit for the publishers of said newspaper; that no agreement or understanding for the division thereof has been made with any other person, and that no part thereof has been agreed to be paid to any person whomsoever; that the fees charged for the publication thereof are:

Five hundred ninety-five dollars and twenty cents. \$595.20

Amy B. Larsen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of August 2006

Christina Nelson

Notary Public in and for the County of Brookings, South Dakota. My Commission expires April 27, 2012

NOTICE OF SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION BROOKINGS COUNTY DOCKET

WHEN: Thursday, August 24, 2006, at
WHERE: McKnight Community Center

Pursuant to SDCL 49-2-1B-15 and 49-2-1B-17, the Public Utilities Commission will hold a public input hearing on the application for a White Wind Farm, LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of White Wind Energy, LLC, for a wind energy conversion facility permit to construct a 200 MW wind energy electric generating facility on approximately 93 acres in Sherman Township, Brookings County. The project consists of up to 105 wind turbines, collector lines, a collection substation and a transmission substation.

At the hearing, interested persons may comment regarding the application. Pursuant to SDCL 49-2-1B-17, interested persons may also comment on the application and all other documents in the docket at www.puc.sd.gov under "Commission Dockets," "E106-020."

The parties to this proceeding are currently listed on the docket. Any person residing in the area of the project or any governmental agency in the project area, any