

July 9, 2009

VIA E-FILING

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen Executive Director South Dakota Public Utilities Commission Capitol Building, 1st floor 500 East Capitol Avenue Pierre, SD 57501-5070

RE: In the Matter of Otter Tail Corporation's Application to Form a New Holding Company SDPUC Docket No. EL-08-025

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Enclosed for filing is a copy of a Notice of Consummation Letter which Otter Tail Corporation filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission on July 8, 2009. We are filing in the above-referenced docket a copy of the Notice in order to make a record at the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") that the holding company reformation that was approved in the above-referenced docket was consummated on July 1, 2009. No additional Commission action is requested or required.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Bruce Gerhardson

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Enclosure



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July 8, 2009

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Honorable Kimberly D. Bose Secretary Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20426

> Re: Otter Tail Corporation, Docket No. EC08-97-000; Notice of Consummation

Dear Secretary Bose:

Pursuant to Ordering Paragraph 9 of the Commission's August 18, 2008 "Order Authorizing Disposition of Jurisdictional Facilities," *Otter Tail Corporation*, 124 FERC ¶ 62,130 (2008), Otter Tail Corporation hereby notifies the Commission that the transaction, as described in the June 3, 2008 application filed in the above-captioned docket, was consummated on July 1, 2009.

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions about this notice.

Respectfully submitted,

Kenneth B. Driver Attorney for Otter Tail Corporation

cc: All Parties on Official Service List

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