

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION )  
OF BLACK HILLS POWER, INC. FOR A )  
PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT A 230-KV )  
TRANSMISSION LINE FROM )  
NORTHEASTERN WYOMING TO THE )  
RAPID CITY AREA IN SOUTH DAKOTA )

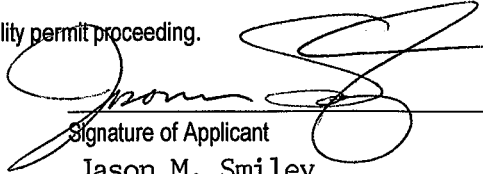
**APPLICATION FOR PARTY**

**STATUS**

EL14-061

Pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40, GCC Dacotah, Inc.  
(Name of Applicant)

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



Signature of Applicant  
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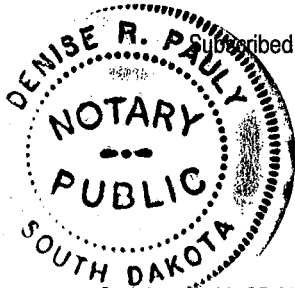
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August 26, 2014  
Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of August, 2014.



(Seal)

  
Notary Public

DENISE R. PAULY, Notary Public  
Bennington County, South Dakota  
My Commission Expires: October 9, 2016

**NOTE:** Consistent with SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40, this application must be filed with the Public Utilities Commission with 60 days from the date the application was filed, unless the deadline is extended by the Commission.

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