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Patricia Van Gerpen Executive Director South Dakota Public Utilities Commission 500 E. Capitol Avenue Pierre, SD 57501

RE: EL18-046 - In the Matter of the Application of Dakota Range III, LLC for a Permit of a Wind Energy Facility and a 345-kV Transmission Line in Grant and Roberts Counties

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen,

The Parties in the above-captioned matter have reached a full settlement in principal in the matter and are working to finalize and file a written stipulation in the next few days. As such, the Parties agree that the procedural schedule adopted by the Commission in its January 3, 2019 Order be suspended until this settlement stipulation is brought before the Commission for decision.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions or concerns regarding this request.

Regards,

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