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## SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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May 29, 2007

«FName» «LName»  
«Address»  
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Re: *In the Matter of the Application by TransCanada Keystone Pipeline, LP for a Permit Under the South Dakota Energy Conversion and Transmission Facilities Act to Construct the Keystone Pipeline Project. Docket HP07-001*

*Legal Description of Property: «Legal\_Description»*

*Section: «Section» Township: «Township» Range: «Range» of «County» County, South Dakota*

Dear «FName» «LName»:

On April 27, 2007, TransCanada Keystone Pipeline, LP filed a siting permit application for the South Dakota portion of the Keystone Pipeline Project. According to our research, you are a landowner of record within a half mile of the proposed pipeline. Your property could, therefore, according to our statutes, be affected by TransCanada's proposal. Please contact this office if we received your name in error. You received this notice on behalf of the property because the director of equalization listed you as the owner(s) designated to receive notice of tax assessments involving the property. As with tax notices, you will need to notify any other co-owners regarding this information.

Enclosed please find a Notice of Application; Order for and Notice of Public Input Hearings; and, Notice of Opportunity to Apply for Party Status. The Notice contains all specific information regarding the hearing times and places. These hearings are your opportunity to voice your questions and concerns as the Public Utilities Commission proceeds through the TransCanada application process.

Also enclosed is an Application for Party Status. The deadline to apply for party status is June 26, 2007, unless the deadline is extended by the Commission. If you wish to become a party in this docket you will need to complete this Application and return it to our office at the address noted at the bottom of the Application.

Please e-mail [puc@state.sd.us](mailto:puc@state.sd.us) or call if you have any concerns regarding the public hearings or the TransCanada application.

Sincerely,

Patricia Van Gerpen  
Executive Director  
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