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<u>Via e-mail</u> Patricia Van Gerpen Executive Director South Dakota Public Utilities Commission 500 E. Capitol Avenue Pierre, SD 57501 patty.vangerpen@state.sd.us

Re: Docket HP09-01 – Preconstruction Conference

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

As required by condition 11 of the Amended Final Decision and Order dated June 29, 2010, on May 20, 2020, representatives from TC Energy, the Public Utilities Commission, PHMSA, and the South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources conducted a preconstruction conference.

Keystone's representatives were Duje Tomic, KXL US Facilities Execution Manager; Marlon Hopkins, KXL US Facilities Construction Management Specialist; Matthew Maher, TC Energy Legal Counsel; Bill Taylor, outside counsel; and James Moore, outside counsel.

Sarah Metcalf attended as the Community Liaison for the Keystone XL Pipeline project.

Angela Pickett and David Mulligan, who both work as Community Liaison, Outreach and Engagement, attended for PHMSA.

Commission staff who attended were yourself, Leah Mohr, Kristen Edwards, Amanda Reiss, Mary Zanter, Boice Hillmer, Deb Gregg, Jon Thurber, and Darren Kearney.

Brian Walsh and Kim McIntosh attended on behalf of DENR.

Keystone intends to begin construction on Pump Station 20 in Tripp County on or about June 1, 2020, and will also perform civil work, including access road installation, site grading, and site stabilization at Pump Station 15 in Harding County beginning on or about July 6, 2020. There will be civil work on some pipe yards and movement of pipe. Keystone will also be working on construction of workforce camps in Harding, Meade and Haakon counties.

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Keystone will notify the Commission if any additional work is planned to begin later in the year.

The conference included a presentation on the scope of proposed work in 2020 and questions and answers on a variety of construction-related subjects.

Please file this letter in the docket as evidence of compliance with the permit condition.

Thank you for your help.

Yours very truly,

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