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Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen  
Executive Director  
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission  
Capital Building, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
500 E. Capital Ave.  
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

RE: HP14-002 Application for Party Status and Request for Service –  
ELECTRONICALLY FILED THIS DATE VIA [puc/sd.gov/EFiling](http://puc/sd.gov/EFiling) Options

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Please find attached the application for Dakota Rural Action (DRA) to be an intervening party in docket number HP14-002. Dakota Rural Action is a grassroots nonprofit whose mission is to help their membership conserve and protect the environment, family agriculture and the unique South Dakota way of life. Pursuant to SDCL § 49-41B-17(3), DRA is an eligible party for intervening party status in this proceeding.

I request that in addition to me being added as counsel for DRA in this proceeding that three other individuals also receive notice of this docket's proceedings and filings. Two individuals request email service and one requests US mail service. They are:

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Please mail a hard copy of the proceedings' notices and filings to Ms. Kink in the DRA Rapid City office so that members without email may access a copy there.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

/s/Kimberly Craven

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Kimberly Craven  
Attorney for Dakota Rural Action

cc: Frank James  
Sabrina King  
Ms. Kink  
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