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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF TRANSCANADA KEYSTONE PIPELINE. LP FOR ORDER ACCEPTING CERTIFICATION OF PERMIT ISSUED IN DOCKET HP09-001 то CONSTRUCT тне **KEYSTONE XL PIPELINE**

APPLICATION FOR PARTY STATUS HP14-001

Pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-17,

Diana L. Steskal

(Name of Applicant)

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

proceeding.

Briefly explain your interest in this permit proceeding. Form is limited to 1000 characters.

Hello, I am Diana Steskal, along with my husband Byron Steskal, we are Nebraska landowners who oppose the construction of the Keystone XL Pipeline. The proposed route will cross diagonally 1.2 miles across our property, which has been in the family for over 70 years. Our property is located on the edge of the Nebraska Sandhills and the Ogalala aquifer lies underneath. We believe that the Keystone XL Pipeline should NOT be constructed as it is not in the nation's best interest and TransCanada is NOT a good partner for the people of the United States. We are fighting to protect our land and water, we also stand beside our South Dakota family, friends, and allies in the fight to protect our mother earth. NO KXL! Thank you

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Diana L. Steskal Print or Type Name

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CIA ~ Nebraska Landowner

Name of Organization (if applicable)

October 7th, 2014

Date

1th day of October Subscribed and sworn to before me this

GENERAL NOTARY - State of Nebraska LOUISE A. CADWALLADER My Comm. Exp. April 25, 2015

<u>Source a Cadu alabe</u> Notary Public My Commission expires: <u>April 25,15</u>

(Seal)

NOTE:

The petition was filed Sept. 15, 2014. This Application for Party Status form must be filed in the Commission's offices on or before Oct. 15, 2014.

> **Executive Director** South Dakota Public Utilities Commission 500 E, Capitol Ave. Pierre, SD 57501-5070 Electronic Filing: http://puc.sd.gov/EFilingOptions.aspx

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