

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

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IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF TRANSCANADA KEYSTONE PIPELINE, LP FOR ORDER ACCEPTING CERTIFICATION OF PERMIT ISSUED IN DOCKET HP09-001 TO CONSTRUCT THE KEYSTONE XL PIPELINE

APPLICATION FOR PARTY STATUS HP14-001

Pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-17,

Duncan Meisel, on behalf of 350.org

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.

350.org is building a globalgrassroots movement to fight climate change. Our online campaigns, grassroots organizing, and mass public actions are coordinated by a global network active in over 188 countries, and all 50 states including South Dakota. The number 350 means climate safety to preserve a livaable planet, scientists tell us we must reuce the amount of CO2 in the atmosphere from its current level of 400 parts per million to below 350ppm. To have a reasonable chance of getting back to 350 scientists say we need to leave 80% of known fossil fuel reserves in the ground, including the Alberta tar sands. Permitting Keystone XL would mean a dramatic growth in the exploitation of the tar sands, and so we believe it is neccesary for us to intervene in the Commission's discussion of TransCanada's permit. (Name of Applicant)

Signature of Applicant

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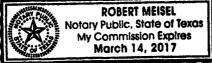
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Name of Organization (if applicable)

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this <u>15</u> day of <u>October</u> 2014.



Notary Public

My Commission expires: March 14, 2017

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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