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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, County of Miner: ss.

Carla Poulson of said County and State, being duly sworn, on her oath says: That the Miner County Pioneer is a legal newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in Howard, said County and State, by Carla Poulson, and has been such newspaper during the time hereinafter mentioned: and that I, Carla Poulson the undersigned, am publisher of said newspaper, in charge of the advertising department thereof, and have personal knowledge of all the facts stated in this affidavit, and that the advertisement or notice headed

Notice of Public Hearing SD Public  
Utilities Commission

A printed copy of which is hereunto attached, was printed and published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper and not in a supplement, once each week for ..... successive weeks, the first publication being made on the ..... day of ..... 20.....

And the last publication on the ..... day of ..... 20.....

The first publication being made on the ..... day of Jan 2015.

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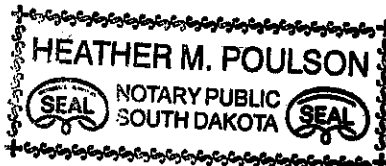
That said newspaper is a legal newspaper, and has a bona fide circulation of more than two hundred copies weekly, and has been published within the County of Miner, for more than fifty-two successive weeks next prior to the first publication of said notice, and is printed in an office maintained in Howard, South Dakota, the place of publication of said newspaper. That the full amount of fees for publication of the annexed notice is \$ 252.00 and insures solely to the benefit of said publisher; that no agreement or understanding for a division thereof has been made with any person and that no part thereof has been agreed to be paid to any person whomever.

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Subscribed and sworn to me this 15 day of Jan 2015.

\_\_\_\_\_ Heather M. Poulson

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

**In the Matter of the Application of Dakota Access, LLC for an Energy Facility Permit to Construct the Dakota Access Pipeline Project**

**Bowdle, SD: January 21, 2015, 12:00 noon – 3:00 p.m. CST, Bowdle School Gym, 3083 S. 2nd Ave., Bowdle, SD**

**January 21, 2015, 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. CST, Redfield School Auditorium, 502 E. 2nd St., Redfield, SD**

**January 22, 2015, 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. CST, Iroquois School South Gym, 111 E. Washita Ave., Iroquois, SD**

**January 22, 2015, 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. CST, Roosevelt Room, Ramkota Hotel & Conference Center, 3200 W. Maple St., Sioux Falls, SD**

DCL 49-41B-15 and 49-41B-16, the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission hold public input hearings at the above times and locations on an Application for Permit filed December 15, 2014, by Dakota Access, LLC (Applicant) for the Dakota Project (Application). The Application requests Commission approval of a permit to construct a 30-inch pipeline across approximately 271.6 miles in South Dakota for the purpose of transporting crude oil (Project). The line will cross the South Dakota and North Dakota border at the South Dakota/Iowa border in Lincoln County. The proposed pipeline capacity of 450,000 barrels of oil per day (bpd) with an anticipated capacity of up to 700,000 bpd. The Project also includes one pump station in South Dakota, located approximately 10 miles southeast of Redfield in Spink County.

At the public input hearing, Applicant will present a brief description of the Project, following

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