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Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen  
Executive Director  
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission  
500 East Capitol  
Pierre, SD 57504-5070

Re: Basin Electric Power Cooperative-Deer Creek Station  
Docket: EL08-034

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Basin Electric Power Cooperative (**Basin Electric**) filed a Notification of Intent to submit its application for a permit for an Energy Conversion Facility near White in Brookings County, South Dakota. South Dakota Administrative Rule 20:10:22:39 provides that upon filing of an application pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-11, the applicant shall also file all data, exhibits and related testimony which the applicant intends to submit in support of its application. Basin Electric respectfully requests that the Commission allow the filing of such data, exhibits and related testimony after the application is filed in accordance with a Scheduling Order to be approved by the Commission following the closure of the intervention period.

Please let me know if you have any questions related to this request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Casey Jacobson". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Casey Jacobson  
Attorney

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