

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

<b>IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION BY )</b>	<b>APPLICATION FOR PARTY</b>
<b>BASIN ELECTRIC POWER COOPERATIVE, )</b>	<b>STATUS</b>
<b>INC. FOR AN ENERGY CONVERSION )</b>	
<b>FACILITY SITING PERMIT FOR THE DEER )</b>	<b>EL09-015</b>
<b>CREEK STATION PROJECT COMBINED- )</b>	
<b>CYCLE NATURAL GAS ENERGY )</b>	
<b>CONVERSION FACILITY AND ASSOCIATED )</b>	
<b>INFRASTRUCTURE, INCLUDING A WATER )</b>	
<b>SUPPLY SYSTEM AND ELECTRIC )</b>	
<b>TRANSMISSION SYSTEM )</b>	

Pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40, \_\_\_\_\_,  
(Name of Applicant)

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Organization if applicable

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of September, 2009.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

(SEAL)

My Commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** Consistent with SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40, this application must be filed with the Public Utilities Commission within 60 days from the date the application was filed. The facility application was filed July 28, 2009. Therefore, this Application for Party Status form should have been filed in the Commission's offices on or before

September 28, 2009. However, the intervention deadline was extended to October 13, 2009.

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