

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF MONTANA-DAKOTA UTILITIES CO.)
AND OTTER TAIL POWER COMPANY)
FOR A PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT THE BIG)
STONE SOUTH TO ELLENDALE 345 KV)
TRANSMISSION LINE)

APPLICATION FOR PARTY

STATUS

EL13-028

Pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40,

Bradley R. Merchausa

(Name of Applicant)

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

Bradley R. Merchausa
Signature of Applicant

Bradley R. Merchausa
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Name of Organization (if applicable)

4-11-14
Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of April, 2014

[Signature]
Notary Public

My Commission expires: 8-25-15

(Seal)

NOTE:

Consistent with SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40, this application must be filed with the Public Utilities Commission with 60 days from the date the application was filed, unless the deadline is extended by the Commission.

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