

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION  
OF DEUEL HARVEST WIND ENERGY LLC  
FOR A PERMIT OF A WIND ENERGY  
FACILITY AND A 345-KV TRANSMISSION  
LINE IN DEUEL COUNTY

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APPLICATION FOR PARTY  
STATUS

EL18-053

Otter Tail Power Company

(Name of Applicant, this will be the person or entity named as a party)

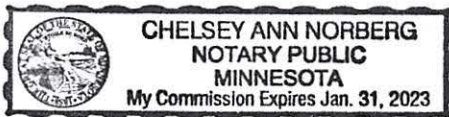
petitions the Public Utilities Commission to be granted party status in the above-referenced facility permit proceeding.  
Pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40

Briefly explain your interest in this permit proceeding. Form is limited to 1000 characters.  
(Example: Landowner in project area).

Otter Tail is the designated Transmission Owner (TO) under the MISO Tariff for interconnection of Applicant Duel Harvest Wind Energy LLC's project (Project), also designated as MISO No. J526. Interconnecting J526 to the BSSB Line requires Otter Tail, as TO, to secure land for construction of a switching station near Gary, SD. Per the MISO Generator Interconnection Agreement, Otter Tail is to permit, construct, own & operate facilities to allow for J526's interconnection, including the Interconnection Substation and appurtenant facilities directly addressed the Application for the Project. Otter Tail as the owner-operator of the transmission system in the area and as the TO for the proposed Project's interconnection has responsibilities for the safe and reliable operation of that transmission system, and as such has distinct and significant interests in the outcome of this proceeding that cannot be adequately represented by any other party.

Otter Tail takes no position on the Application at this time. Otter Tail wishes to participate in the proceeding with the full rights of a party, including the ability to seek discovery, appear, cross-examine witnesses, present testimony and other evidence, and preserve its right to appeal, in order to protect the interests of its customers and as the interconnecting TO, and in order to further develop a position on the Application and any additional issues that may be raised through the course of the proceeding.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of January, 2019



(Seal)

*Kristian Mark Dahl*  
Signature of Applicant

Kristian Mark Dahl

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Name of Organization (if applicable)

01/25/2019

Date

*[Signature]*

Notary Public

My Commission expires: Jan. 31, 2023

NOTE:

Consistent with SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40, this application must be filed with the Public Utilities Commission on or before 5:00 p.m. CST, January 29, 2019, unless the deadline is extended by the Commission.

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**RE:** Application for Party Status - Docket No. EL18-053

Kim Ward, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 29th day of January, 2019, she served the attached filing in the above-referenced matter:

- by emailing to all persons at the email address provided and indicated on the attached Service List
- by personal service
- by facsimile transmission followed by first class mail
- by express mail
- by delivery service
- E-filing

  
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Kim Ward

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of January, 2019.

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