EXCEPTION TO SERVICE ON ASSIGNED AREAS

As Agreed To Between

Southeastern Electric Cooperative, Inc. 47077 276th Street Lennox, SD 57039

and

Douglas Electric Cooperative, Inc. 27913 US Highway 281 Armour, SD 57313

Southeastern Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Southeastern) has assigned territorial service rights to provide electric service to the Southwest quarter (SW½) of the Northwest quarter (NW1/4) of Section 30, T100N, R061W, of Starr Township in Hutchinson County, South Dakota.

Under the conditions of this agreement, Southeastern does hereby consent that Douglas Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Douglas) may extend its facilities into the above-described service area of Southeastern to provide electric service requested by Craig Bialas, 40407 271st Street, Parkston, SD 57366, cell 605-505-0142.

Craig Bialas's letter is attached and explains his request to have Douglas serve this single phase, residential electric service in Section 30 described above. Exhibit "B" provides a map of the general location of said service in relations to Douglas' electric distribution line and Southeastern. This release is specifically limited to the proposed new, single phase, residential electric service and is for the life of said service.

This consent is not to be construed as having any impact upon or indicating a desire to change the service areas assigned by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission. This agreement becomes effective upon its approval by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission.

The foregoing is hereby made this 22nd day of October 2025.

Southeastern Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Ву:	Chad M. Time	
lts:	CEO	
TODD BIEDERSTEDT		

SOUTHEASTERN ELECTRIC COOPEARTIVE, INC.

On this 22nd day of October, 2025, before me, the signing officer, personally appeared Chad Kinsley, who acknowledged himself/herself to be the Chief Executive Officer for Southeastern Electric Cooperative, Inc., (Southeastern) and being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained. In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal. Notary Public My Commission Expires: 6/29/2027We have reviewed the consent of Southeastern for the undersigned to provide electric service under the provisions set forth therein and hereby indicate our concurrence with the consent granted to provide said proposed residential/farm service with the required electric service. Douglas Electric Cooperative, Inc. DOUGLAS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. day of DU 2025, before me, the signing officer, personally appeared __________ ____, who acknowledged himself/herself to be the con watnated for Douglas Electric Cooperative, Inc., (Southeastern) and being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained. In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal. **Notary Public** My Commission Expires: 7 76 79