

**South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
TransCanada Keystone Pipeline, LP
Docket HP07-001
Response to Staff's First Data Request**

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Data Request:

Please provide a map drawn to scale that shows surface water drainage patterns before and anticipated patterns after construction of the facility per 20:10:22:15 (1).

Response:

After the installation of the pipeline, the disturbed right-of-way will be backfilled and restored to its pre-construction grade thus avoiding any change to the pre-existing surface water drainage patterns. Therefore, no changes to surface water drainage patterns are expected. However, surface water may be controlled in order to reduce the potential for erosion or to preserve slope stability. This would be a very localized effect.