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South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
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Dear Commissioners,

With today's news regarding the North Dakota PSC's rejection of Summit Carbon Solution's (hereafter referred to as SCS) CO2 pipeline permit, I do not see the need for your approval of its permit application through South Dakota.

In addition to PSC'S permit rejection, a story on Fargo's newspaper, the FORUM, the last sentence of the reporter's story states that SCS ***still has to apply for a permit for the well in North Dakota!***

In a previous letter to you, I expressed my concerns for the public's safety because I did not feel that SCS addressed those issues in as serious concerns. Now, in addition to my previous concerns is this revelation that SCS doesn't even have an application for a permit to store the CO2?

The question that begs to be answered, "*what else have they left out?*".

The landowners who have been cajoled, threatened and violated with unwelcome intrusions on their properties need immediate relief from SCS's tactics. Your rejection will put an end to the landowners' plight and allow them to be on their properties without fear of intimidation or revengeful retribution.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ken Delfino".

Ken Delfino