

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

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| <b>IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY )<br/>WEST PLAINS ENGINEERING INC. )<br/>REGARDING SEPARATE METERING )<br/>REQUIREMENT IN 20:10:26:03(1) )<br/>)</b> | <b>ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO<br/>WITHDRAW FILING AND CLOSE<br/>DOCKET<br/><br/>EL20-033</b> |
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On November 3, 2020, the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received a letter from West Plains Engineering Inc. (West Plains) regarding separate metering requirements. West Plains requested approval in writing that it is acceptable for their request to sub meter tenants.

On November 5, 2020, the Commission electronically transmitted notice of the filing and the intervention deadline of November 20, 2020, to interested persons and entities on the Commission's PUC Weekly Filings electronic listserv. On November 19, 2020, West Plains requested the filing be withdrawn since the request falls under the AA14-002 docket order.

The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapters 1-26 and 49-34A, specifically 49-34A-93, and ARSD 20:10:01:02.04 and 20:10:26:04 (6).

At its regularly scheduled meeting on December 9, 2020, the Commission considered this matter. The Commission voted unanimously to grant West Plain's Request to Withdraw the filing. It is therefore

ORDERED, that West Plain's Request to Withdraw its filing is hereby granted. It is further

ORDERED, that the docket be dismissed and closed.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 11<sup>th</sup> day of December 2020.

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| <b>CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE</b>   |
| The undersigned hereby certifies that this document has been served today upon all parties of record in this docket, as listed on the docket service list, electronically or by mail. |
| By: <u>Karen E. Cremer</u>  |
| Date: <u>12/11/20</u>   |
| (OFFICIAL SEAL)   |

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Gary Hanson  
GARY HANSON, Chairman

Chris Nelson  
CHRIS NELSON, Commissioner

Kristie Fiegen  
KRISTIE FIEGEN, Commissioner