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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

Dr. Burl Haar  
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**Re: *In the Matter of the Application of Minnesota Power for a Route Permit for the Canisteo High Voltage Transmission Line in Itasca County***  
**MPUC Docket No. E015/TL-13-805**  
**OAH Docket No. 48-2500-31336**  
**Exceptions to the Administrative Law Judge's Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Recommendation**

Dear Dr. Haar:

Minnesota Power has reviewed the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Recommendation (Report) prepared by Administrative Law Judge Mihalchick for the above-referenced docket. Minnesota Power appreciates Judge Mihalchick's thorough review of the record and does not see a need to file any exceptions to Judge Mihalchick's Report. In addition, given that the Report was filed a week early, Minnesota Power requests that this Docket be scheduled as soon as time allows on the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission's agenda.

Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David R. Moeller".

David R. Moeller

cc: Service List

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
MINNESOTA POWER FOR A ROUTE PERMIT UNDER  
THE ALTERNATIVE PERMITTING PROCESS FOR THE  
PROPOSED MINNESOTA POWER CANISTEO  
PROJECT- ITASCA COUNTY, MINNESOTA

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Jill N. Yeaman certifies that on the 23rd day of May, 2014, she filed a true and correct copy of Minnesota Power's **EXCEPTIONS TO THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND RECOMMENDATION** by posting the same on [www.edockets.state.mn.us](http://www.edockets.state.mn.us). Said document is also served via U.S. Mail or email as designated on the Official Service List on file with the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission in the above-referenced docket.

*/s/ Jill N. Yeaman*\_\_\_\_\_

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