



April 23, 2018

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Mr. Daniel P. Wolf, Executive Secretary
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
350 Metro Square Building
121 Seventh Place East
St. Paul, MN 55101

RE: Lake Benton Power Partners LLC
Docket No. IP6908/WS-13-294

Dear Mr. Wolf:

On April 13, 2018, the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (“DNR”) submitted a letter with additional comments regarding bat deterrent technology. In response, ALLETE Clean Energy, on behalf of Lake Benton Power Partners LLC, (“LBPP”), under Attachment E to its Site Permit Amendment Application, has updated its Bird and Bat Conservation Strategy (“BBCS”) to continue to evaluate the use of bat deterrent technology and assess its viability as technology improves.

If you have additional questions please contact William Sawyer at 218-355-3338, or wsawyer@alletecleanenergy.com, or me at 218-723-3963, or dmoeller@allete.com.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David R. Moeller". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

David R. Moeller

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STATE OF MINNESOTA)
) ss
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS)

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Susan Romans of the City of Duluth, County of St. Louis, State of Minnesota, says that on the **23rd** day of **April, 2018**, she served Lake Benton Power Partners' Reply Comments in **Docket No. IP6908/WS-13-294** on the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission and the Energy Resources Division of the Minnesota Department of Commerce via electronic filing. The persons on E-Docket's Official Service List for this Docket were served as requested.



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