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STATE OF MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

**NOTICE OF COMMENT PERIOD ON ALLEGED VIOLATIONS OF SITE PERMIT**

*Issued: November 21, 2014*

**In the Matter of the Sibley Wind Substation, LLC's Large Wind Energy Conversion System Site Permit**

**PUC Docket Number/s: IP-6666/WS-08-208**

**Comment Period:** Initial comment period closes December 3, 2014 at 4:30pm  
Reply comment period closes December 15, 2014 at 4:30pm  
*Comments must be received by 4:30pm on the close date*  
*Comments received after comment period closes will not be accepted*

**Topic/s Open for Comment:**

- Whether or not Sibley Wind Substation, LLC has materially violated a Minnesota Statute, Rule or the terms and conditions of its Large Wind Energy Conversion System (LWECS) Site Permit?

If so, provide:

- 1) the specific Statute, Rule or permit term alleged to be violated;
- 2) details about the alleged violation; and
- 3) whether remedies to address the violation are available or whether the LWECS site permit should be revoked.

**Project Background:** On October 12, 2011 the Commission issued an LWECS Site Permit to Sibley Wind Substation, LLC for the 20 MW Sibley Wind Project. Construction of the Project commenced in October 2013. Since construction began, the Commission has received several complaints, allegations of violations, and requests for hearing.

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