



## *UPPER MIDWEST TRANSMISSION DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE*

### Stakeholder Survey and Request for Stakeholder Input on the Report of the UMTDI Legal Framework Study Group

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The Upper Midwest Transmission Development Initiative (UMTDI) is seeking stakeholder input on two documents. **The deadline for response is the close of business on Friday, August 28, 2009.** Each response should be sent to all of the following UMTDI staff:  
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The “Report of the UMTDI Legal Framework Study Group” addresses the authority and means by which a UMTDI state can advance the construction and cost allocation of any transmission project that UMTDI may seek to support. UMTDI is seeking review and analysis of this report and its conclusions. The cost allocation section of the analysis does not address the difficult issue of the participation of non-MISO entities. Stakeholder feedback is desired on the entire analysis, including this unanswered question.

The “Staff Request for Stakeholder Information” is an additional request for input on some of the specific issues that will undergird any final cost allocation methodology. Complete response to the questions is critical in order to inform the UMTDI Executive Committee’s ongoing deliberations.

Questions on these requests can be directed to Randy Pilo of the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin. He may be reached at (608) 266-3165, or at [randel.pilo@psc.state.wi.us](mailto:randel.pilo@psc.state.wi.us). Thank you for your continued attention to this important initiative.

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