



STATE OF MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

July 30, 2012

CORRECTED NOTICE OF COMMISSION MEETING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the items listed on the attached agenda will be heard at the Commission's regularly scheduled meeting on **Thursday, August 9, 2012 at 9:30 AM**. The meeting will be held in the **Large Hearing Room**, Suite 350, 121 7th Place East, St. Paul, MN 55101-2147 (map and directions available at www.puc.state.mn.us or by calling 651-296-0406 or 1-800-657-3782, option 3).

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BY THE COMMISSION
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Executive Secretary

Public Utilities Commission

Agenda

Thursday, August 9, 2012

9:30 AM start time

Utilities represented: Energy Facilities, Electricity

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DELIBERATION ITEMS

No Items

DECISION ITEMS

****1 E002/TL-09-1448 Northern States Power d/b/a Xcel Energy**

In the Matter of the Route Permit Application for the CapX 2020 Hampton-Rochester-La Crosse 345 kV Transmission Line.

Should the Commission reconsider its May 30, 2012 Order Issuing Route Permit as Amended? (PUC: **Kaluzniak**)

The Commission has the authority to accept or decline a petition for reconsideration **with or without** a hearing or oral argument. (Minnesota Rules 7829.3000, Subpart 6) In other words, a decision on a petition for reconsideration can be made without taking oral comments at the Commission meeting. If you have questions about this particular docket, please contact Michael Kaluzniak at 651-201-2257.

2 PL9/CN-12-590 Enbridge Energy Company, Inc.

In the Matter of an Application by Enbridge Energy, Limited Partnership (Enbridge) for a Certificate of Need for the Line 67 Station Upgrade Project in Marshall, Clearwater and Itasca Counties.

Should the Commission approve the proposed Notice Plan? (PUC: **Eknes**)

3 ET2/TL-08-1474 Great River Energy

In the Matter of the Route Permit Application for a 345 kV Transmission Line from Brookings County, South Dakota to Hampton, Minnesota.

Should the Commission authorize a minor alteration for the Brookings to Hampton transmission line project? If so, what conditions, if any, should attach to the minor alteration? (PUC: **Kaluzniak**)

4 E257,E132/SA-12-465

**City of Kasson;
People's Energy Cooperative**

Joint Request of the City of Kasson and People's Energy Cooperative for Approval of a Service Territory Agreement. (PUC: Bjorklund; DOC: Lusti)

****5 E-015/RP-09-1088**

Minnesota Power

In the Matter of Minnesota Power's 2010-2024 Integrated Resource Plan.

What additional action should the Commission take in this matter as a result of Minnesota Power's February 6, 2012 baseload diversification study? (PUC: **Stalpes, Mackenzie**)

*** One star indicates agenda item is unusual but is not disputed.**

**** Two stars indicate a disputed item or significant legal or procedural issue to be resolved.
(Ex Parte Rules apply)**

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I, Margie DeLaHunt, hereby certify that I have this day, served a true and correct copy of the following document to all persons at the addresses indicated below or on the attached list by electronic filing, electronic mail, courier, interoffice mail or by depositing the same enveloped with postage paid in the United States mail at St. Paul, Minnesota.

**Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
CORRECTED NOTICE OF COMMISSION MEETING**

Docket Number N/A

Dated this **30th** day of **July, 2012**

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