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Matthew J. Effken,
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Nebraska Public Service Commission
300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street
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RE: Application of TransCanada Keystone Pipeline, L.P.: Docket No. OP-0003

Dear Mr. Effken:

My Agency is in receipt of your letter dated February 17, 2017 regarding the application of TransCanada Keystone Pipeline, L.P. for approval of a proposed route for the Keystone XL Pipeline.

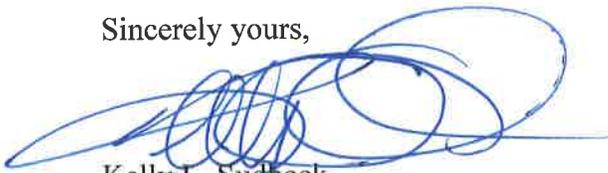
The proposed route for the Keystone XL Pipeline presently passes through some land owned by this Agency. This Agency has, prior to this date, negotiated easements with TransCanada as a result of their chosen route.

At this time, this Agency cannot identify any potential issues within our area of expertise relating to the impact and proposed route of the pipeline. Consequently, we would anticipate issuing no report regarding these issues, and would have no estimated budget for the completion thereof.

Please accept this as my Agency's response to the Commission's request for a list of potential issues, and estimated budget for completion regarding those issues.

Should you have any issues or concerns, or should the Nebraska Public Service Commission desire any further clarification or information regarding this issue, please don't hesitate to contact this Agency.

Sincerely yours,



Kelly L. Sudbeck
CEO/Executive Secretary

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