

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application     )     Application No. OP-0002  
of TransCanada Keystone Pipeline     )  
L.P., Houston, Texas, seeking         )  
approval of the Route of the         ) ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO  
Keystone XL Pipeline Project         ) DISMISS WITHOUT PREJUDICE  
pursuant to the Major Oil             )  
Pipeline Siting Act.                   ) Entered: November 23, 2015

BY THE COMMISSION:

On October 5, 2015, TransCanada Keystone Pipeline L.P. ("TransCanada") of Houston, Texas, filed an application with the Nebraska Public Service Commission ("Commission") seeking approval of a route for the Keystone XL Pipeline Project through the State of Nebraska. Several petitions for formal intervention were timely received and granted.

On November 18, 2015, TransCanada filed a Motion to Dismiss Without Prejudice the Application for Approval Under the Major Oil Pipeline Siting Act, requesting the Commission dismiss its application for approval of a route for the Keystone XL Pipeline Project.

The Commission, pursuant to *Neb. Rev. Stat. § 57-1406*, shall enter an assessment order and render a bill to TransCanada for the expenses of the Commission in the investigation and review of the application from October 5, 2015, to the date of this order. Such order shall be entered upon a final calculation of said expenses.

Being fully advised in the premise, the Commission finds that the Motion should be granted and the application filed in the above-captioned proceeding dismissed.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the Motion to Dismiss Without Prejudice be granted and the application of TransCanada Keystone Pipeline L.P., for approval of a route for the Keystone XL Pipeline Project through Nebraska, be, and is hereby, dismissed without prejudice.

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ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska this 23rd day  
of November, 2015.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

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//s//Frank E. Landis  
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