

February 16, 2017

Ms. Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20426

Re: Request for Immediate Action

Rover Pipeline LLC (Rover Pipeline Project)
Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Company, LP (Panhandle Backhaul Project)
Trunkline Gas Company, LLC (Trunkline Backhaul Project)
FERC Docket Nos. CP15-93-000, CP15-94-000, and CP15-96-000

Dear Ms. Bose:

On February 2, 2017, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC" or "Commission") issued an Order Issuing Certificate ("Order") for the Rover Pipeline, Panhandle Backhaul, and Trunkline Backhaul Projects (collectively "Applicants").

On February 3 and February 6, 2017, the Applicants submitted their Implementation Plan (as subsequently supplemented) in accordance with Ordering Paragraph F and Environmental Condition No. 6 of Appendix B of the Order and requested that the Director of the Office of Energy Projects issue a Notice to Proceed without delay authorizing (i) the felling of trees, including the area within wetlands via non-mechanical methods, and (ii) use of existing access roads within the Rover Pipeline Project limits of disturbance ("Notice to Proceed Request"). On February 13, 2017, the Applicants supplemented their Notice to Proceed Request to clarify that their request for immediate authorization for felling of trees at this point is limited to cutting trees using non-mechanized methods in upland areas that do not include waters of the United States. On February 13, 2017, the Commission issued a Partial Notice to Proceed with Tree Felling, allowing the Applicants to conduct non-mechanized tree felling in upland areas only, along with the private access roads identified in Table 1-7 of the Applicants' February 7, 2017 filing.

The Applicants hereby supplement their Implementation Plan with additional clearances from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and the Ohio and Michigan State Historic Preservation Offices previously pending for proposed contractor yards, as depicted in red text in the enclosed, revised Table 5-10. The recent submittals and clearances are included in Enclosure 5d.

With these submittals, the Applicants request the critical and immediate issuance of a Notice to Proceed with use of all 29 contractor yards requested for the Rover Pipeline Project.

This filing is being submitted electronically to the Commission's eFiling website pursuant to the Commission's Order No. 703, Filing via the Internet Guidelines issued on November 15, 2007 in FERC

Docket No. RM07-16-000. Any questions or comments regarding this filing should be directed to the undersigned at (713) 989-2024.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Stephen T. Veatch

Stephen T. Veatch Senior Director, Certificates

Attachment

cc: Richard McGuire - FERC Office of Energy Projects Kevin Bowman - FERC Office of Energy Projects

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

In accordance with the requirements of Section 385.2010 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedures, I hereby certify that I have this day caused a copy of the foregoing document to be served upon each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Commission's Secretary in this proceeding.

/s/ Kelly Allen

Mr. Kelly Allen, Manager Regulatory Affairs Department Rover Pipeline LLC (713) 989-2606