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Director
Environmental Assessment and Licensing Branch
Manitoba Conservation
Suite 160, 123 Main Street
Winnipeg, MB R3C 1A5

Dear Ms. Braun:

Re: Dorsey to Portage South Transmission Line Environmental Assessment Report

Enclosed is Manitoba Hydro's application (6 hard and 28 electronic [CD] copies) to Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship for environmental authority to construct and operate the Dorsey to Portage South (D83P) 230 kV Transmission Line.

The enclosed Environmental Assessment Report provides the information requested in the Environment Act Proposal Form and documents the environmental assessment activities, including consultation, leading up to this application. Manitoba Hydro is planning to proceed with constructing the project in the fall of 2014.

In closing, should you require more information or have any questions, please contact me at 360-4394.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Shannon Johnson'.

Shannon Johnson, Manager
Licensing & Environmental Assessment Department,
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