Notice of Environmental Impact Assessment

Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship has received an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) pursuant to *The Environment Act* from the following operation and invites public participation in the review process:

<u>MANITOBA HYDRO - MANITOBA-MINNESOTA TRANSMISSION PROJECT (FILE</u> 5750.00)

Manitoba Hydro has filed an EIS for the Manitoba-Minnesota Transmission Project. The Project involves the construction, operation, and decommissioning of a 213 km long, 500 kilovolt alternating current, international power line (IPL) from the Dorsey Converter Station (located near Rosser, Manitoba) to the United States border crossing near Piney, Manitoba, where it will connect to a transmission line in Minnesota. The Project includes modifications to the existing Dorsey Converter Station, the Riel Converter Station (located near the intersection of Provincial Trunk Highway (PTH) 101 and PTH 15), and the Glenboro IPL within the Glenboro Station (located south of Glenboro, Manitoba).

Public comment is invited on the EIS. Information submitted in response to this advertisement is considered public information, will be made available to the proponent, and will be placed on the public registry.

Anyone likely to be affected by the above operation and who wishes to make a representation either for or against the proposal should contact the Department, in writing or by E-mail (elise.dagdick@gov.mb.ca) not later than November 30, 2015. Further information is available from the Public Registries located at: Legislative Library, 200 Vaughan St., Winnipeg; Millennium Public Library, 4th Floor, 251 Donald St., Winnipeg; and Online Registry: http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/eal/registries/index.html or by contacting Elise Dagdick, Environment Officer at (elise.dagdick@gov.mb.ca).

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