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In the Matter of
POWERTECH (USA) INC.,
Docket No. 40-9075-MLA; ASLBP No. 10-898-02-MLA-BD01

Dear Administrative Judges:

In its Partial Initial Decision issued on April 30, 2015, the Board directed the Staff to submit monthly reports regarding its consultation efforts with the Oglala Sioux Tribe.

On August 26, 2015, the NRC staff responded to the Oglala Sioux Tribe's questions concerning a meeting invitation the Staff sent the Tribe in June 2015. In its letter, the Staff renewed its invitation to meet with the Tribe and consult on a government-to-government basis regarding the Dewey-Burdock Project.

The Staff will update the Board on the status of its consultations with the Tribe on October 1, 2015.

Sincerely,

***/Signed (electronically) by/
Patricia A. Jehle***

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

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(Dewey-Burdock In Situ Uranium Recovery)	Date: September 1, 2015
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 2.305 (revised) and the Board's Orders, I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing "NRC STAFF'S STATUS REPORT" in this proceeding have been served via the Electronic Information Exchange (EIE), the NRC's E-Filing System, this 1st day of September, 2015. Counsel for the Staff served those representatives exempted from filing through the EIE with copies of its motion by electronic mail, also on September 1, 2015.

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