

**NOTICE OF EXCEPTION PERIOD ON  
SAMPLE ROUTE PERMIT FOR LINE 3 REPLACEMENT PROJECT**

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**In the Matter of the Application of Enbridge Energy, Limited Partnership for a Certificate of Need for the Proposed Line 3 Replacement Project in Minnesota from the North Dakota Border to the Wisconsin Border**

**In the Matter of the Application of Enbridge Energy, Limited Partnership for a Route Permit for the Proposed Line 3 Replacement Project in Minnesota from the North Dakota Border to the Wisconsin Border**

**PUC Docket Numbers:** PL-9/CN-14-916 and PL-9/PPL-15-137

On May 7, 2018, the Department of Commerce filed a sample route permit for the proposed Line 3 Replacement Project. The development of a sample permit for the Commission's consideration before reaching a determination whether or not to grant a route permit is common practice in large energy facility dockets. The sample permit provides possible permit language and conditions the Commission can accept, modify, or reject should it decide to grant the route permit.

The Commission is requesting parties in the above-referenced dockets to file any exceptions they have to the provisions of the sample route permit. A copy of the sample route permit can be viewed on the Commission's eDocket System at: [mn.gov/puc](http://mn.gov/puc), select *Search eDockets*, enter the year (14) and the docket number (916), or the year (15) and the docket number (137), select *Search*.

Additional Information on the Line 3 Replacement Project and the Commission's review process can be found by visiting: [mn.gov/puc/line3](http://mn.gov/puc/line3)

**Exception Period:** Exceptions on the sample route permit will be accepted through **4:30 p.m., Friday, May 18, 2018**. Exceptions received after the exception period closes may not be considered.

**Filing Requirements:** Utilities, telecommunications carriers, official parties, and state agencies are **required** to file documents using the Commission's electronic filing system (eFiling). Visit: [mn.gov/puc](http://mn.gov/puc), select *eFiling*, and follow the prompts.

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