

**7852.2600 PREFERRED ROUTE LOCATION; ENVIRONMENT DESCRIPTION.**

Subpart 1. **Preferred route location.** The applicant must identify the preferred route for the proposed pipeline and associated facilities, on any of the following documents which must be submitted with the application:

A. United States Geological Survey topographical maps to the scale of 1:24,000, if available;

B. Minnesota Department of Transportation county highway maps; or

C. aerial photos or other appropriate maps of equal or greater detail in items A and B. The maps or photos may be reduced for inclusion in the application. One full-sized set shall be provided to the commission.

Subp. 2. **Other route locations.** All other route alternatives considered by the applicant must be identified on a separate map or aerial photos or set of maps and photos or identified in correspondence or other documents evidencing consideration of the route by the applicant.

Subp. 3. **Description of environment.** The applicant must provide a description of the existing environment along the preferred route.

**Statutory Authority:** *MS s 116I.015; 216G.02*

**History:** *13 SR 2046; L 2005 c 97 art 3 s 19*

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