September 16, 2011

The Public Service Commission convened in the Commission Hearing Room, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota, on September 16, 2011, 03:00 p.m. Present were Commissioners Clark and Kalk. Commissioner Cramer participated by telephone and authorized his administrative assistant to sign the notice on his behalf.

Case No. PU-10-657 Northern States Power Company 2011 Electric Rate Increase Application

Case No. PU-11-55 Northern States Power Company 2012 Electric Rate Increase Application

Case No. PU-11-557 Northern States Power Company Customer Credit - DOE Settlement Application

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ATTECT

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue a Notice of Hearing in Northern States Power Company's 2011 Electric Rate Increase Application, Case No. PU-10-657, Northern States Power Company's 2012 Electric Rate Increase Application, Case No. PU-11-55, and Northern States Power Company's Customer Credit — DOE Settlement Application, Case No. PU-11-557.

Mr. Clark: I second the motion. Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Mr. Cramer: I move the Commission appoint Mike Diller, Chris Marohl and Mark Gruman as advocacy staff in Northern States Power Company's Customer Credit – DOE Settlement, Application, Case No. PU-11-557, effective August 11, 2011.

Mr. Kalk: I second the motion. Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

THE COMMISSION AD IOUDNED AT 02:14 D.M.

ATTEST	THE COMMISSION ADJOURNED AT 03.14 F.M.
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Executive Secretary	TONY CLARK. CHAIRMAN