

January 17, 2008

Megan Hertzler
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Northern States Power Company
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Re: REQUEST FOR COURT REPORTER
NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY CASE 07-766 – RATE INCREASE

Dear Ms. Hertzler:

The hearing in the above case is being scheduled for Monday through Wednesday, June 23-25, 2008, at 9:00 a.m., at the Public Service Commission Hearing Room, State Capitol, 12th Floor, 600 East Boulevard Avenue, Bismarck ND.

The Commission will tape record the hearings. If NSP would like a court reporter present at the hearing NSP may do so, and make their own arrangements. However, if NSP would like the Commission to arrange for a court reporter, please notify the Commission in writing **within ten days of receipt of this letter** and our office will make the necessary arrangements. Please be aware that NSP will pay all costs associated with the court reporting service.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 701-328-4088.

Sincerely,

William Binek
Hearing Administrator