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Ms. Ilona A. Jeffcoat-Sacco
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

Re: Northern States Power Company
Electric Rate Increase Application
PSC Case No. PU-07-776
OAH File N. 200800112

Dear Ms. Jeffcoat-Sacco:

The evidentiary hearing for the captioned matter was completed June 25, 2008, as noticed. I have returned to the Commission the documents filed with me for the hearing, and delivered the exhibits received at the hearing to the court reporter for the preparation of a transcript of the proceedings. There does not appear to be any requirement for a hearing officer for the further proceedings for the matter. Accordingly, I have closed the file of the Office of Administrative Hearings for the matter.

The Office of Administrative Hearings was pleased to assist the Public Service Commission and the parties for the matter.

Sincerely,



Al. Wahl
Temporary Administrative Law Judge

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Closed their File

Administrative Law Judge

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