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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Re: *Application of Northern States Power Company, a Minnesota corporation for Authority to Increase Rates for Electric Service in North Dakota*
Case No. PU-07-776

Dear. Ms. Geiger:

This letter is to update the North Dakota Public Service Commission (the "Commission") that the post hearing briefing schedule in the above referenced case has been extended just over two weeks by agreement with counsel for Advocacy Staff. As such, the reply brief for both parties will be due on October 1, 2008.

Please contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

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