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— VIA E-MAIL & U.S. MAIL

Darrell Nitschke
Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission
State Capitol Building
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408
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RE: NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF AN
ADVANCE DETERMINATION OF PRUDENCE FOR A 187 MW SOLAR
PORTFOLIO
LATE FILED EXHIBITS AND COMPANY PROPOSED FINDINGS OF FACT AND
ORDER
CASE NO. PU-14-810

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

During technical hearings in the above-noted Case held May 6, 2015, additional information was requested by various parties, including by the Commissioners. These items were identified for the record and pre-admitted as "late-filed exhibits;" these exhibits were labeled as NSP 8 through 10. Specifically, we include with this filing the following late-filed exhibits:

- NSP 8 Impact should the Company fail to comply with Minnesota's solar mandate, Minn. Stat. § 216B.1691 subd. 2(f)
- NSP 9 Haeger Direct Testimony (KJH-3) – Supplemental Information Regarding Hand-Drawn Chart

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NSP 10 Company treatment of litigation related expenses
associated with contracts or investments made on
behalf of Customers

Additionally we include Exhibit 1a, Initial Application (Public) which was not available to submit into the record during the hearing, as well as the Company's proposed Findings of Fact and Order.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this filing at alison.c.archer@xcelenergy.com or 612-215-4662.

Sincerely,

/s/

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**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF NORTHERN STATES POWER
COMPANY FOR AN ADVANCE
DETERMINATION OF PRUDENCE FOR
A 187 MW PORTFOLIO OF UTILITY
SCALE SOLAR RESOURCES

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing **LATE FILED EXHIBITS OF NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY** was, on the 15th day of May 2015, served on the following by electronic mail:

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