

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Northern States Power Company
Renewable Energy Rider (2016)
Rates

Case No. PU-15-683

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING
October 14, 2015

On October 1, 2015, Northern States Power Company filed a request for approval of its Renewable Energy Rider for recovering costs from its electric ratepayers associated with its North Dakota electric generation wind farms. The proposal would add a charge of \$.001014 per kWh used, effective January 1, 2016. Therefore, the additional monthly cost for a customer using 1,000 kWh would be \$1.01.

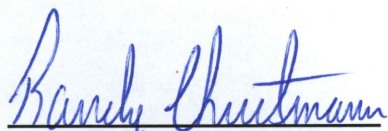
The issues to be considered:

1. Are the proposed costs reasonable?
2. Are the new rates designed in a just a reasonable manner?
3. Other relevant information or proposals concerning the proceeding.

Comments and requests for a hearing must be received by **November 30, 2015**. Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceeding and the reasons for requesting a hearing. If deemed appropriate, the commission can determine these matters without a hearing.

For more information contact the Public Service Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505, 701-328-2400 or Relay North Dakota 1-800-366-6888 TTY. If you require any auxiliary aids or services, such as readers, signers, or Braille materials, please notify the Commission.

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