

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Northern States Power Company  
Consumer Credit – DOE Settlement 2014 - 2016  
Application

Case No. PU-16-19

**AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED AND ELECTRONIC MAIL**

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

**Geralyn R. Schmaltz** deposes and says that:

she is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and, on the **21<sup>st</sup> day of January, 2016**, she deposited in the United States Mail, at Bismarck, North Dakota, **two** envelopes with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and containing a photocopy of:

**Notice of Opportunity for Hearing**

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

Dave H. Sederquist  
Senior Consultant, Regulation and Finance  
Xcel Energy Services Inc.  
2302 Great Northern Drive  
Fargo, ND 58102  
Cert. No. 7012 3460 0000 6342 1715

Alison C. Archer  
Assistant General Counsel  
Xcel Energy  
414 Nicollet Mall 5th Floor  
Minneapolis, MN 55401-1993  
Cert. No. 7012 3460 0000 6342 1722

**Geralyn R. Schmaltz** further deposes and says that on the **21<sup>st</sup> day of January, 2016**, she electronically mailed **one** photocopy of the same.

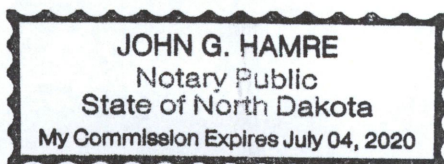
The electronic mail was addressed as follows:

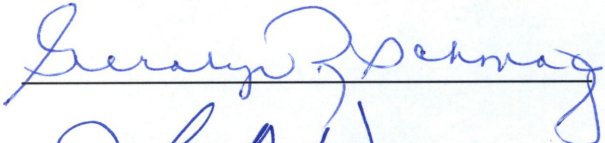

SaGonna Thompson-Records Specialist  
Xcel Energy  
[regulatory.records@xcelenergy.com](mailto:regulatory.records@xcelenergy.com)

Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office and electronic mail address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this **21<sup>st</sup> day of January, 2016**.

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Notary Public

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Affidavit of Service, Cert. & E-mail – Notice of  
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**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING**

**January 20, 2016**

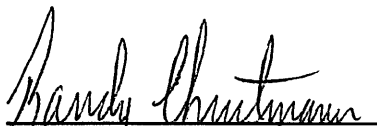
On January 8, 2016, Northern States Power Company (NSP) filed with the Commission a petition to refund \$702,656 received by NSP pursuant to a settlement with the United States regarding the Department of Energy's partial breach of contract to take spent nuclear fuel.

The issue is to determine whether the proposed refund is just and reasonable.

Comments and requests for a hearing must be received by **March 1, 2016**. 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.

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

  
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Commissioner

  
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Chairman

  
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