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**VIA EMAIL AND U.S. MAIL**

Steven M. Kahl, Executive Director  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 East Boulevard  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

RE: ANNUAL PROTECTED INFORMATION LETTER  
ADVANCE PRUDENCE—1,550 MW WIND PORTFOLIO &  
304.2 MW DAKOTA RANGE WIND APPLICATION  
CASE NOS. PU-17-120 AND PU-17-372

Dear Mr. Kahl:

Northern States Power Company, doing business as Xcel Energy, provides this annual letter in compliance with Order Point 4 of the North Dakota Public Service Commission's December 6, 2018 ORDER ON SETTLEMENT in the above-referenced cases.

Order Point 4 states:

4. *NSP shall file, on at least an annual basis a letter indicating whether the protected information must remain protected or if it may be made public.*

The information that is protected in these cases must remain protected at this time.

Please contact me at (701) 241-8632 or [alex.j.nisbet@xcelenergy.com](mailto:alex.j.nisbet@xcelenergy.com) should you have any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

/s/

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REGULATORY POLICY SPECIALIST

107 PU-17-372 Filed 12/07/2022 Pages: 1  
Compliance filing - Annual Protection of Information Letter  
Northern States Power Company  
Alex Nisbet, Reg. Policy Specialist

164 PU-17-120 Filed 12/07/2022 Pages: 1  
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