

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Northern States Power Company
Fuel Clause Adjustment Wavier
Approval

Case No. PU-18-118

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 **26th day of April, 2018**, she deposited in the United States Mail, at Bismarck, North Dakota, **one** envelope with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and containing a photocopy of:

- **Notice Of Opportunity For Hearing**

The envelope was addressed as follows:

David Sederquist
Senior Consultant, Regulation & Finance
Xcel Energy
2302 Great Northern Drive
Fargo, ND 58102
Cert. No. 7017 2400 0001 0889 9512

Geralyn R. Schmaltz further deposes and says that on the **26th day of April, 2018**, she electronically mailed **one** copy of the same.

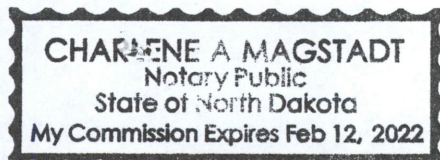
The electronic mail was addressed as follows:

regulatory.records@xcelenergy.com

The addresses shown are the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable mailing and electronic addresses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **26th day of April, 2018**.

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Geralyn R. Schmaltz
Charlene A. Magstadt
Notary Public

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

April 25, 2018

On April 11, 2018, Northern States Power Company (NSP) requested approval to issue to customers, through a one-time credit to the fuel clause adjustment, \$128,000 of an overall North Dakota jurisdictional gain of \$218,000 from an asset sale between NSP and Flint Hills Resources Pine Bend, LLC. NSP proposes to retain the remaining \$90,000 to offset the foregone returns on the sold assets.


The issues to be considered in this matter are:

1. Whether the proposed credit is just and reasonable.
2. Whether it is appropriate to grant a waiver of the Commission's rules under North Dakota Administrative Code section 69-09-02-39, Automatic Adjustment Clauses, for the stated purpose.

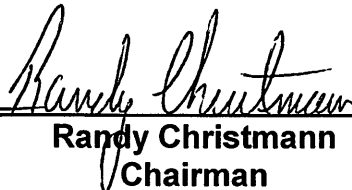
Those interested are invited to comment on the application in writing. Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceeding and the reasons for requesting a hearing. **Comments and requests for hearings must be received by June 8, 2018.** If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine the matter 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 at least 24 hours in advance.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



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