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- Via Email and U.S. Mail -

Steven M. Kahl, Executive Secretary  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
State Capitol Building, Dept 408  
600 East Boulevard  
Bismarck, ND 59505-0480

RE: BORDER WINDS ENERGY PROJECT  
2018 CERTIFICATE OF OPERATION  
CASE NO. PU-17-362

Dear Mr. Kahl:

In compliance with North Dakota Administrative Code Section 69-09-09-03, Northern States Power Company, owner of the Border Winds generating facility in northeastern North Dakota, hereby submits the facility's annual Certificate of Operation for the twelve-month period ending December 31, 2019.

Please contact me if you have further questions or concerns regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'David H. Sederquist'.

DAVID H. SEDERQUIST  
Sr. Consultant, Regulation & Finance

Enclosure

**CERTIFICATE OF OPERATION**  
**BORDER WINDS GENERATING FACILITY**  
**2019 CALENDAR YEAR**

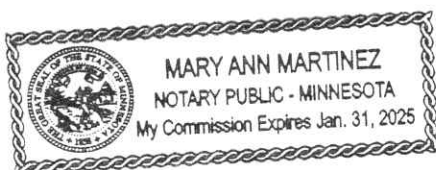
**STATE OF MINNESOTA )**  
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**COUNTY OF HENNEPIN )**

I, Christopher B. Clark, under oath states, that I am President of Northern States Power Company Minnesota, a Minnesota Corporation, and that the production data below is true and accurate to the best of his knowledge and belief.

<b>Border Wind</b>		
<b>Nameplate Capacity: 150 MW</b>		
Month	Capacity Factor	MWh Generated
January	46.40%	51,793
February	42.50%	42,860
March	55.60%	62,089
April	49.20%	53,146
May	47.60%	53,092
June	41.40%	44,742
July	36.20%	40,392
August	42.90%	47,822
September	43.80%	47,257
October	56.80%	63,413
November	48.80%	52,743
December	47.50%	53,024
<b>Annual Total</b>	<b>46.60%</b>	<b>612,374</b>

Christopher B. Clark, President-NSPM

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 2020



Notary Public  
My Commission Expires 01-31-2025