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February 23, 2024

—Via Electronic Mail and U.S. Mail—

Steven M. Kahl, Executive Director
North Dakota Public Service Commission
State Capitol Building, Dept. 408
600 East Boulevard
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

RE: SITE PERMIT COMPLIANCE FILING
EXTRAORDINARY EVENT & RESOLUTION – FOXTAIL WIND ENERGY PROJECT
CASE NO. PU-18-339

Dear Mr. Kahl:

Northern States Power Company, doing business as Xcel Energy, submits the following resolution report to the North Dakota Public Service Commission (Commission) for the Foxtail Wind Energy Project, in compliance with the Site Permit, Paragraph 32.

Paragraph 32 states:

Company understands and agrees that it shall advise the Commission as soon as reasonably possible of any extraordinary events which take place at the site of the energy conversion facility, including injuries to any person, a tower collapse, or a catastrophic turbine failure.

Event, Initial Investigation and Resolution

On February 16, 2024, at approximately 05:06 until February 16, 2024 at approximately 13:28, the Foxtail Wind Energy Project was derated to approximately 68 percent of potential capacity. On-site personnel investigated and found that the failure was due to a fault on a feeder caused by an uptower transformer failure. All equipment performed as intended. The Company repaired the failure and at approximately 13:28, Company crews began the reenergizing process.

An electronic copy of this filing is also being sent to you for your convenience.

Please contact me at alex.j.nisbet@xcelenergy.com if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

/s/

ALEX NISBET
REGULATORY POLICY SPECIALIST