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16 September 2019

Timothy Dawson, Director
Office of Administrative Hearings
2911 North 14th Street – Suite 303
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Re:
Northern States Power Company
Advance Prudence – 98.9 Mower Co. Wind Facility
Application

Case No. PU-19-310

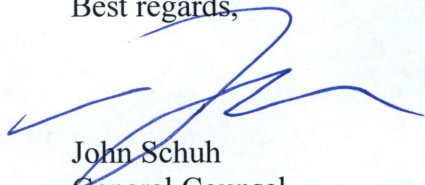
Dear Mr. Dawson:

Enclosed is a request for an Administrative Law Judge for the captioned case. The Commission has not yet issued a Notice of Hearing. When a Notice is issued, we will forward it to your office.

The Administrative Law Judge will serve as a procedural law judge and the hearing will be electronically recorded.

If you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you.

Best regards,



John Schuh
General Counsel

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REQUEST FOR ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE--APPEAL, APPLICATION, OR PETITION
 NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
 SFN 17819 (Rev. 06-2007)

Name of Agency, Board, or Commission
 North Dakota Public Service Commission

The above named agency, board, or commission requests designation of an administrative law judge from the Office of Administrative Hearings for the Northern States Power Company, Advance Prudence, 98.9 Mower Co. Wind Facility,
Application, PSC Case No. PU-19-310

(e.g., application of [name], appeal of [name], petition of [name]). Authority for the administrative action is found in North Dakota Century Code Section 49-05 _____ (North Dakota Century Code and/or North Dakota Administrative Code).

Please attach related documents and correspondence.

The administrative action is more fully described as follows:
 On August 30, 2019 Northern States Power Company filed an Application for Advance Determination of Prudence for the company to acquire, own, and operate the repowered Mower County Wind Facility in Mower County, MN.

It requests designation of an administrative law judge (please check one):

- To conduct the hearing and issue recommended findings of fact, conclusions of law, and order.
- To serve as a procedural administrative law judge only (no recommended decision). The agency head will be present at the hearing as required by NDCC 28-32-31(5). See NDCC 54-57-04.
- To conduct the hearing, issue findings of fact, conclusions of law, and a final order.

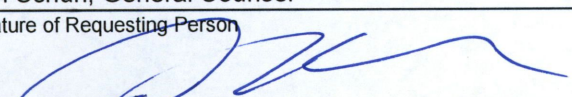
PLEASE MAKE A REQUEST FOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE AT LEAST ONE MONTH BEFORE THE HEARING.

Please list parties, including the agency if it is a Party, and Representation [attorney (or other)] if known, or Agency Contact: (Attach separate list if necessary.)

AGENCY See attached	Address	Telephone Number
Representation	Address	Telephone Number
PARTY	Address	Telephone Number
Representation	Address	Telephone Number
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Additional Comments
 The case is in its early stages and a Notice has not yet been issued. When we do have a Notice it will be forwarded to your office.

(For agencies required to use OAH, notice of hearing will be issued by the administrative law judge, unless a procedural administrative law judge is requested. Other requesting agencies and agencies requesting a procedural administrative law judge should first contact OAH about scheduling a hearing. If notice has already been issued, attach a copy of the notice.)

Typed or Printed Name and Title of Requesting Person John Schuh, General Counsel	Date 9/16/2019
Signature of Requesting Person X 	Telephone Number (701) 328-2421

Attachment
Request for ALJ
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