

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**  
**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**Northern States Power Company  
Advance Prudence – 98.9 Mower Co. Wind Facility  
Application**

**Case No. PU-19-310**

**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 **6th day of March 2020** she deposited in the United States Mail at Bismarck, North Dakota, **two** envelopes with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and containing a photocopy of:

- **Notice of Hearing**

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

Zeviel Simpson  
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Minneapolis, MN 55402-1498  
**Cert. No. 7019 0700 0000 6174 3922**

David Sederquist  
Sr. Consultant, Regulation & Finance  
Xcel Energy  
PO Box 2747  
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**Cert. No. 7019 0700 0000 6174 3939**

**Geralyn R. Schmaltz** further deposes and says that on the **6th day of March 2020**, she sent an electronic message to **three** addressees, each including an electronic copy in portable document format of the same document

The electronic mail was addressed as follows:

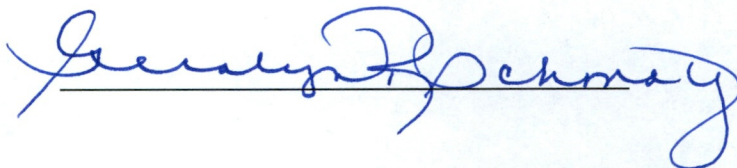
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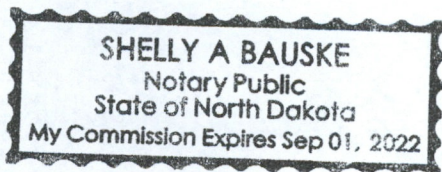
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Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office and electronic mail address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this **6th day of March 2020**.

  
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Notary Public

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NOTICE OF HEARING

March 4 2020

A **Public Hearing** on the application in Case No. PU-19-310 is scheduled to begin on **May 22, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. CDT**, in the Commission Hearing Room at the State Capitol, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor, 600 East Boulevard Ave, Bismarck, ND 58505.

On August 30, 2019, Northern States Power Company filed an application for an Advance Determination of Prudence to acquire, own and operate the 98.9 MW repowered Mower County Wind Energy Facility located in Grand Meadow, Mower County, Minnesota. The Mower County wind facility consists of 43 2.3 MW turbine generators.

The issues to be determined in this matter are:

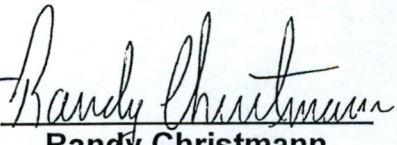
1. Whether NSP's proposed resource addition is prudent.
2. Whether the Commission should grant NSP an advance determination of prudence.

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.

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