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Mr. Steve Kahl
Director of Administration/Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408
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RE: In the Matter of the Application and Notice of Otter Tail Power Company for Authority to Increase Rates for Electric Service in North Dakota Case No. PU-23-342 OAH File No. 20230373 Rebuttal Testimony

Dear Mr. Kahl:

Otter Tail Power Company (OTP) submits an original and seven (7) copies of its Rebuttal Testimony & Schedules supporting the Company's Application for Authority to Increase Rates for Electric Service in North Dakota filed on November 2, 2023. The enclosed Rebuttal Testimony responds to Direct Testimony filed on behalf of Commission Advocacy Staff and Intervenor Midwest Large Energy Consumers.

Mr. Bruce G. Gerhardson's Rebuttal Testimony introduces OTP's rebuttal witnesses and provides an overview of their testimony.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at Ldonofrio@otpco.com.

Sincerely,

/s/ LAUREN D. DONOFRIO Lauren D. Donofrio Senior Associate General Counsel – Regulatory

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Otter Tail Power Company
Lauren Donofrio, Sen Assoc Gen Counsel

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA BEFORE THE NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Kim Ward certifies that on the 4^{th} day of November, 2024, she served a true and correct copy of the attached REBUTTAL TESTIMONY AND SCHEDULES by email addressed to the following individuals:

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