

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Northern States Power Company
AMI Self-Reading Tariff Modifications
Tariff

Case No. PU-24-180

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 **24th day of May 2024**, 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 Opportunity for Hearing**

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

Lauren Steinhäuser
Assistant General Counsel
Xcel Energy Services, Inc.
401 Nicollet Mall – 401, 8th Floor
Minneapolis, MN 55401
Cert. No. 9589 0710 5270 0129 6621 93

Christine Schwartz
Regulatory Administrator
Xcel Energy
414 Nicollet Mall – 401, 7th Floor
Minneapolis, MN 55401
Cert. No. 9589 0710 5270 0129 6622 09

Geralyn R. Schmaltz further deposes and says that on the **24th day of May 2024**, she sent an electronic message to **two** addresses, each including an electronic copy in portable document format of the same document.

The electronic mail was addressed as follows:

Regulatory Records
Xcel Energy
regulatory.records@xcelenergy.com

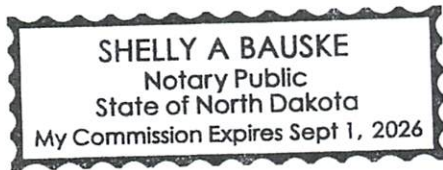
Alex Nisbet
Northern States Power Company
alex.j.nisbet@xcelenergy.com

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **24th day of May 2024**.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Genevieve Schmay", written over a horizontal line.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, "Shelly a Bauske", written over a horizontal line. Below the line, the text "Notary Public" is printed.

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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

On May 3, 2024, Northern States Power Company (NSP) filed an application for approval of a tariff modification to NSP's Electric Rate Book. The tariff modification will address NSP's obligations related to allowing a customer to self-read their meters. The new Advanced Metering Infrastructure meters, which are expected to be fully deployed by the end of 2025, are not equipped to permit customers to self-read them.

The issues to be considered in this proceeding are:

1. Whether the proposed tariff changes are reasonable, and
2. Whether the tariff changes should be approved.

Those interested are invited to comment on the application in writing. Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceeding and the reasons for requesting a hearing. **Comments and requests for hearings must be received by July 5, 2024.** If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine the matter without a formal hearing.

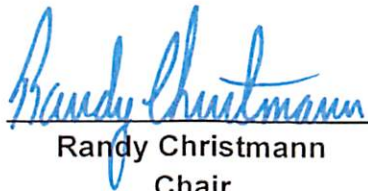
For more information contact the Public Service Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505, 701-328-2400; or Relay North Dakota 1-800-366-6888 TTY. If you require any auxiliary aids or services, such as readers, signers, or Braille materials please notify the Commission.

Issued: May 23, 2024

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



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