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Sioux Falls, SD 57104

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**--Via Electronic Filing--**

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen, Executive Director  
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission  
Capitol Building, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
500 E. Capitol Ave.  
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

RE: ANNUAL SMALL GENERATOR FACILITY INTERCONNECTION REPORT

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Northern States Power Company, doing business as Xcel Energy, submits this Small Generator Facility Interconnection Report in accordance with ARSD § 20:10:36:63 which requires:

“.....The public utility shall annually provide to the commission a list of each small generator facility that is interconnected to the public utility's EDS during the calendar year and shall include the size of the facility, the amount paid by the small generator to the public utility for interconnection, the date of the application, and the date the interconnection was completed. The report for the calendar year is due the following March 1.”

Please see Attachment A for interconnections for the year 2018.

In addition, we provide a brief update to our November 15, 2018 submission where we submitted interconnection information for projects that occurred between 2010 and 2017. While preparing the November report, we identified six projects that were charged higher interconnection fees than established in Docket No. RM08-002. To date, we have identified the payer for four of the six projects and are issuing refund checks to the customer or developer including seven percent simple interest per annum<sup>1</sup> from the date of the original payment. For the remaining two projects, we are trying to verify information from the solar installer(s).

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<sup>1</sup> This is the same interest calculation as used for customer deposits. [South Dakota Electric Rate Book – SDPUC No. 2, Sheet 6-5, Section 1.6F. Interest on Deposits and Refunds.](#)

Please contact me at (605) 339-8350 or [steven.t.kolbeck@xcelenergy.com](mailto:steven.t.kolbeck@xcelenergy.com) if you have any questions regarding this filing.

SINCERELY,

/s/

STEVE KOLBECK  
PRINCIPAL MANAGER

Enclosure

**Northern States Power Company - South Dakota**  
**Small Generator Facility Interconnection Report**  
For Year 2018

<b>Application Date</b>	<b>Interconnection Date</b>	<b>Installation Size (kW)</b>	<b>Application Fee Paid</b>
10/29/2018	11/29/2018	5	\$50