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Attached for filing please find Oak Tree Energy, LLC's *Reply in Support of Its Motion to Compel*. By copy of this correspondence and attachment, NorthWestern Energy's counsel is being served by electronic mail.

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