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September 27, 2012

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen  
Executive Director  
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission  
Capitol Building, 1st floor  
500 East Capitol Avenue  
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

**RE: In the Matter of the Filing by Otter Tail Power Company for  
Approval of Tariff Revisions  
Docket No. EL12-\_\_\_**

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Otter Tail Power Company ("Otter Tail") submits for South Dakota Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") approval, a revised Section 16.00, Sheet No. 1. The revised sheet is the fifth revision to Sheet No. 1 of Otter Tail's Summary of Contracts with Deviations.

The municipal service agreement between Otter Tail and the Town of Bushnell, SD, listed on Otter Tail's current Summary of Contracts with Deviations, will expire on October 1, 2012. Otter Tail and the Town of Bushnell entered into a new agreement for municipal services with an effective date of October 1, 2012. Under the new agreement, electric service provided by Otter Tail to the Town of Bushnell is at Commission approved tariffed rates and therefore a contract with deviations no longer exists with the Town of Bushnell.

Additionally the municipal service agreement between Otter Tail and the Town of Eden, SD, listed on Otter Tail's current Summary of Contracts with Deviations will expire on October 26, 2012. Otter Tail and the Town of Eden entered into a new agreement for municipal services with an effective date of October 26, 2012. Under the new agreement electric service provided by Otter Tail to the Town of Eden is at Commission approved tariffed rates and therefore a contract with deviations no longer exists with the Town of Eden.

The Town of Bushnell and the Town of Eden have been removed from Otter Tail's Summary of Contracts with Deviations as shown on the attached Section 16.00, Fifth Revised Sheet No. 1 Cancelling Fourth Revised Sheet No. 1.

Pursuant to ARSD 20:10:13:26 Otter Tail submits Exhibit A as the South Dakota "Report of Tariff Schedule Change".

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Otter Tail will comply with ARSD 20:10:13:18 by posting a Customer Notice in a conspicuous place in the South Dakota Customer Service Center, for at least 30 days prior to the effective date of Otter Tail's proposed change.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at 218-739-8395 or [jfyhrie@otpc.com](mailto:jfyhrie@otpc.com).

Sincerely,

*/s/ JESSICA FYHRIE*

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Enclosures

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