Northern States Power Company Electric Utility - State of South Dakota RATE BASE COMPARISONS (\$000's)

|             |   | 2013                   |                          | 2013             |
|-------------|---|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| Line<br>No. | Description                             | Pro Forma<br>Test Year | Pro Forma<br>Adjustments | Interim<br>Rates |
| 140.        | Description                             | (A)                    | (B)                      | (C) = (A) + (B)  |
| 1           | Electric Plant as Booked                | (- 7                   | (-)                      | (-) (-) (-)      |
| 2           | Production                              | \$579,721              | \$0                      | \$579,721        |
| 3           | Transmission                            | \$128,379              | \$0                      | \$128,379        |
| 4           | Distribution                            | \$212,556              | \$0                      | \$212,556        |
| 5           | General                                 | \$31,338               | \$0                      | \$31,338         |
| 6           | Common                                  | \$25,996               | \$0                      | \$25,996         |
| 7           | TOTAL Utility Plant in Service          | \$977,990              | \$0                      | \$977,990        |
| 8           |   |                        |                          |                  |
| 9           | Reserve for Depreciation                |                        |                          |                  |
| 10          | Production                              | \$302,345              | \$0                      | \$302,345        |
| 11          | Transmission                            | \$40,253               | \$0                      | \$40,253         |
| 12          | Distribution                            | \$81,269               | \$0                      | \$81,269         |
| 13          | General                                 | \$10,011               | \$0                      | \$10,011         |
| 14          | Common                                  | \$14,242               | \$0                      | \$14,242         |
| 15          | TOTAL Reserve for Depreciation          | \$448,120              | \$0                      | \$448,120        |
| 16          |   |                        |                          |                  |
| 17          | Net Utility Plant in Service            |                        |                          |                  |
| 18          | Production                              | \$277,376              | \$0                      | \$277,376        |
| 19          | Transmission                            | \$88,126               | \$0                      | \$88,126         |
| 20          | Distribution                            | \$131,287              | \$0                      | \$131,287        |
| 21          | General                                 | \$21,327               | \$0                      | \$21,327         |
| 22          | Common                                  | \$11,753               | \$0                      | \$11,753         |
| 23          | Net Utility Plant in Service            | \$529,869              | \$0                      | \$529,869        |
| 24          |   |                        | 4.5                      |                  |
| 25          | Utility Plant Held for Future Use       | \$0                    | \$0                      | \$0              |
| 26          |   |                        |                          |                  |
| 27          | Construction Work in Progress           | \$0                    | \$0                      | \$0              |
| 28          |   |                        | 4.5                      |                  |
| 29          | Less: Accumulated Deferred Income Taxes | \$115,496              | \$0                      | \$115,496        |
| 30          |   | (40.000)               | •                        | (40.000)         |
| 31          | Cash Working Capital                    | (\$6,038)              | \$0                      | (\$6,038)        |
| 32          |   |                        |                          |                  |
| 33          | Other Rate Base Items:                  | 40.400                 | 40                       | 40.400           |
| 34          | Materials and Supplies                  | \$8,432                | \$0                      | \$8,432          |
| 35          | Fuel Inventory                          | \$5,069                | \$0                      | \$5,069          |
| 36          | Non-Plant Assets & Liabilities          | \$1,458                | \$0                      | \$1,458          |
| 37          | Customer Advances                       | (\$1,487)              | \$0                      | (\$1,487)        |
| 38          | Customer Deposits                       | (\$178)                | \$0                      | (\$178)          |
| 39          | Prepayments                             | \$6,821                | \$0                      | \$6,821          |
| 40          | Regulatory Amortizations                | \$4,792                | \$0                      | \$4,792          |
| 41          | Total Other Data Data !!                | <b>#</b> 04.000        | <b>*</b>                 | <b>#</b> 04.000  |
| 42          | Total Other Rate Base Items             | \$24,906               | \$0                      | \$24,906         |
| 43          | Total Average Date Date                 | <b>#400 040</b>        | Φ0                       | <b>#400 040</b>  |
| 44          | Total Average Rate Base                 | \$433,242              | \$0                      | \$433,242        |