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Petition for Joint Service Exception  
Agreement by Xcel Energy and  
Southeastern Electric Cooperative Inc.  
Docket No. EL17-\_\_\_\_  
Exhibit C – October 11, 2017

### Customer Letter

Exhibit C is a letter which Xcel Energy and Southeastern Electric Cooperative Inc. (the “Parties”) have designated as privileged information in its entirety as defined by under SDCL § 1-27-28 and the information has not been publicly released. The attachment is a one page letter from a customer requesting a new single phase electric service from Southeastern Electric Cooperative Inc. describing the service requested and the customer’s acknowledgement that it would be cost prohibitive for Xcel Energy to provide service.

The letter contains specific customer contact information. Because information identifying a customer who has not consented to public release of this information, such as that marked as non-public in this filing, is proprietary or confidential as provided for in the above cited state law.

The Public and Not-Public versions of this petition were submitted via electronic service to the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission on October 11, 2017.