

**BEFORE THE SOUTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF BLACK HILLS POWER, INC. FOR)
APPROVAL OF ITS TRANSMISSION)
FACILITY ADJUSTMENT)**

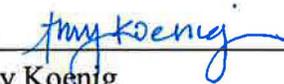
**JOINT MOTION FOR
APPROVAL OF AMENDMENT TO
SETTLEMENT STIPULATION
EL14-013**

Black Hills Power, Inc. and the Staff of the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission jointly referred to as "Parties," hereby file a Joint Motion for Approval of Amendment to Settlement Stipulation with the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission (Commission). The Parties request the Commission approve the attached Amendment to Settlement Stipulation as the settlement and resolution of all issues in this proceeding. In support of this Joint Motion, the Parties submit as follows:

1. This Joint Motion is made pursuant to ARSD 20:10:01:19.
2. The Amendment to Settlement Stipulation resolves all of the issues in Docket EL14-013.
3. The terms of the Amendment to Settlement Stipulation agreed upon are just and reasonable, and consistent the South Dakota law.

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, the undersigned Parties jointly request the Commission to approve the attached Amendment to Settlement Stipulation without modification for the purpose of resolving all issues subject to this docket and enter an Order finding that the attached Amendment to Settlement Stipulation results in just and reasonable rates for customers of Black Hills Power, Inc.

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