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Patricia Van Gerpen  
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South Dakota Public Utilities Commission  
Capitol Building, 1st floor  
500 East Capitol Avenue  
Pierre, SD 57501

**RE: Application of Otter Tail Power Company for Authority to Increase Rates for Electric Service in South Dakota  
Docket No. EL18-021 - Pre-filed Testimony**

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Please find enclosed for filing the following testimony (all of which has been previously filed in Docket EL 18-021) with corresponding exhibit stickers.

OTP-1 Robert Hevert Prefiled Direct Testimony and Schedules  
OTP-2 Robert Hevert Prefiled Rebuttal Testimony and Schedules  
OTP-3 Kevin Moug Prefiled Direct Testimony and Schedules  
OTP-4 Kevin Moug Prefiled Rebuttal Testimony and Schedules  
OTP-5 Bruce Gerhardson Prefiled Direct Testimony and Schedules including Errata  
OTP-6 Bruce Gerhardson Prefiled Rebuttal Testimony  
OTP-7 Kirk Phinney Prefiled Direct Testimony  
OTP-8 Stuart Tommerdahl Prefiled Direct Testimony and Schedules

As previously noted for purposes of this hearing, OTP is presenting only Mr. Tommerdahl's testimony and supporting schedules concerning the cost savings impacts from OTP's management of the Big Stone AQCS project.

Please contact me at (218) 739-8956, or [cstephenson@ottertail.com](mailto:cstephenson@ottertail.com) should you have any questions with respect to this filing.

Regards,

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