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Sioux Falls, SD 57104

June 20, 2023

—Via Electronic Filing—

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen, Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
Capitol Building, 1st Floor
500 E. Capitol Ave.
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

RE: SITE PERMIT CONDITION NO. 8 - ROAD REPAIR
DAKOTA RANGE I, LLC & DAKOTA RANGE II, LLC
DOCKET NO. EL18-003

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Northern States Power Company, doing business as Xcel Energy (NSP or the Company), submits this filing to the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission regarding the 302.4 MW wind energy conversion facility located in Grant and Codington Counties in South Dakota known as the Dakota Range I and II Wind Energy Facility.

The Commission's July 23, 2018 Site Permit – Permit Condition 8(e) states:

8. *Applicant shall comply with the following conditions regarding road protection:*
 - e) *Within 180 days of completing construction and reclamation of the Project, Applicant shall submit documentation to the Commission identifying that the roads were repaired in accordance with condition 8 and to the satisfaction of affected townships and counties. If the townships or counties will not provide such documentation, then Applicant shall provide a report to the Commission on the outstanding road repair issues and how those issues will be resolved.*

Construction of the Dakota Range I & II Wind Energy Facility was completed, and commercial operation began on January 3, 2022. Crews continue with restoration and reclamation activities throughout the site, including completing local road repairs. The table below shows the status of each road use agreement (RUA) for Dakota Range I & II. We will provide an update to the Commission when the In Progress RUAs listed below are all closed.

Road Use Agreement Closeout Status

County /Township	RUA Closeout Items	Comments	Status
Grant County	No known outstanding issues	RUA closeout completed	Completed
Codington County	No known outstanding issues	RUA closeout completed	Completed
Mazeppa Township	Maintenance of township roads used for hauling	Received and approved quote for engineering evaluation; Xcel Energy to pay Township to complete the repairs.	In Progress
Farmington Township	No known outstanding issues	RUA closeout completed	Completed
Lura Township	No known outstanding issues	RUA closeout completed	Completed
Germantown Township	No known outstanding issues	RUA closeout completed	Completed
Leola Township	No known outstanding issues	RUA closeout completed	Completed

We have electronically filed this document and served copies on all parties on the attached service list.

Please contact Steve Kolbeck at Steven.T.Kolbeck@xcelenergy.com or 605-339-8350 if you require any additional information.

Sincerely,

/s/

STEVEN T. KOLBECK
PRINCIPAL MANAGER – SOUTH DAKOTA

CC: Service List