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August 17, 2018

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen
Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
Capitol Building, 1st floor
500 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

RE: In the Matter of Otter Tail Power Company's Application for Approval of Tariff Changes to Facilitate Implementation of A New Customer Information System Docket No. EL18-031 Update Filing

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

On July 2, 2018, Otter Tail Power Company (Otter Tail) submitted a filing to notify the Public Utility Commission of the implementation of a new Customer Information System (CIS) which is scheduled to go into operation on October 1, 2018.

During South Dakota Staff's review of our filing, a list of revisions was provided by Staff (Exhibit 1) on August 14, 2018. Otter Tail has made the corrections to each section as provided in Attachment 1 and Attachment 2. In regards to item 1-5, we believe it is necessary to continue to provide the redline versions as they are currently presented in order to fully show the changes occurring within the document. Additional lines are added in many cases when showing both the original and new language which causes the pagination to become inaccurate under this view. When the clean version is created using the same file, the pagination becomes accurate after modifications are accepted.

Pursuant to South Dakota Codified Laws Section 49-34A-10 and Administrative Rules of South Dakota Part 20:10:01:02:05, this filing has been electronically submitted to the Commission.

Otter Tail is available to provide any additional information or respond to any questions you may have. Feel free to contact me at (218) 739-8890 or email me at tmortenson@otpco.com.

Sincerely,

/s/ TAMMY MORTENSON
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