



September 1, 2021

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

RE: PETITION

2022 TRANSMISSION COST RECOVERY ELIGIBILITY AND ADJUSTMENT

FACTOR

DOCKET NO. EL21-___

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Northern States Power Company, doing business as Xcel Energy, submits the enclosed 2022 Transmission Cost Recovery (TCR) Rider Petition for approval of project eligibility, a revised TCR Adjustment Factor, and the Tracker Account report. We have prepared this Petition consistent with the terms of the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission's Orders approving our past TCR Rider filings, most recently in Docket No. EL20-025.

Please add the following people to the service list for this docket:

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Please call me at (605) 339-8350 if you have any questions regarding this filing.

SINCERELY,

/s/

STEVE T. KOLBECK PRINCIPAL MANAGER

Enclosure