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

Re: In the Matter of the Application of Norther States Power Company DBA Xcel

Energy for Authority to Increase its Electric Rates, Docket No. EL 22-017

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Northern States Power Company ("the Company"), a Minnesota corporation, doing business as Xcel Energy, submits the enclosed Joint Motion for Approval of Amended and Restated Supplemental Stipulation and redline to the Settlement Stipulation previously approved by the Commission on June 8, 2023 in this docket. The amendments to the Stipulation are to better align the refunding of nuclear production tax credits with the appropriate rate mechanism by providing for customer refunds through the Infrastructure Rider instead of the Fuel Clause Rider.

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

Please contact me at 612-492-6129 or simpser.zev@dorsey.com if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

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