

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY NORTHERN
STATES POWER COMPANY DBA XCEL ENERGY
FOR APPROVAL OF TARIFF REVISIONS TO ITS
RATES FOR SMALL POWER PRODUCTION AND
COGENERATION**

**ORDER APPROVING TARIFF
REVISIONS**

EL25-025

On June 30, 2025, the Commission received a filing from Northern States Power Company dba Xcel Energy (Xcel) for approval of tariff revisions for small power production and cogeneration rates. Xcel requests approval of revised rate sheets for the Occasional Delivery Energy Service tariff and the Time of Delivery Energy Service tariff. Xcel's proposed revisions reflect energy and capacity payments based on Xcel's 2025 avoided costs projection, with no change in the monthly metering charge for the Occasional Delivery Energy Service rate sheet and the Time of Delivery Energy Service rate sheet.

The revised tariff sheets are as follows:

South Dakota Electric Rate Book – SDPUC No. 2

Section. 9

14th Revised Sheet No. 2

Cancelling 13th Revised Sheet No. 2

15th Revised Sheet No. 3

Cancelling 14th Revised Sheet No. 3

On July 3, 2025, the Commission electronically transmitted notice of the filing and the intervention deadline of July 18, 2025, to interested entities and persons on the Commission's PUC Weekly Filings electronic listserv. No petitions to intervene or comments were filed. On August 6, 2025, Xcel responded to staff's data request.

The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to 16 U.S.C. Chapter 12 § 824a-3, 18 C.F.R. Part 292, SDCL Chapter 49-34A, specifically 49-34A-4, 49-34A-6, 49-34A-8, 49-34A-10, 49-34A-12, 49-34A-93, and ARSD 20:10:13:02 through 20:10:13:28.

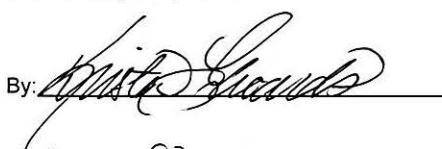
At its regularly scheduled meeting on October 23, 2025, the Commission considered this matter. Commission staff recommended approval of the tariff revisions with a January 1, 2026, effective date. Finding the revisions to be just and reasonable, the Commission voted unanimously to approve the revisions, effective January 1, 2026. It is therefore

ORDERED, that Xcel's request to revise its aforementioned tariff sheets is hereby granted, and the revisions are approved, effective for services rendered on and after January 1, 2026.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 24th day of October 2025.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

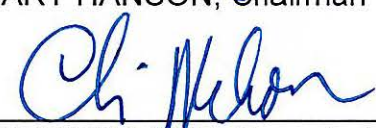
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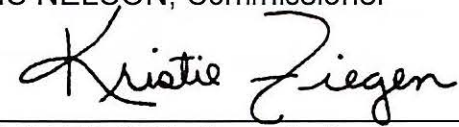
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BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


GARY HANSON, Chairman


CHRIS NELSON, Commissioner


KRISTIE FIEGEN, Commissioner