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Xcel Energy Data Request No. 1-3

Docket No.: EL25-032

Response To: Sioux Valley Energy, East River Electric, Basic Electric

Requestor: Mike Nadolski, Daniel Brown, Meredith Moore

Date Received: November 5, 2025

Question:

Identify all facts known to you that establish the location for Knife River's Rock Crushing Plant represents a new location as contemplated by SDCL § 49-34A-56. Produce any documents supporting the same.

Response:

Xcel Energy relied on oral representations provided by Knife River that it is new location.

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