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Leah Mohr  
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission  
State Capitol Building  
500 E. Capitol Ave.  
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

RE: Updated Customer Notice of Proposed Changes of Rates  
Docket No. EL26-003

Dear Ms. Mohr:

At Staff's request, Black Hills Power, Inc. d/b/a Black Hills Energy ("Black Hills Power") updated its Customer Notice of Proposed Changes of Rates to include the percentage increase in base revenue. Enclosed is a copy of the bill insert that began being delivered to customers with their monthly bill as of February 27, 2026, and will continue through March 30, 2026.

Black Hills Power also added the following bill message to each bill starting on February 27, 2026, and will continue through March 30, 2026:

*On Feb. 19, we submitted a rate review to the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission requesting an increase in electric base rates to recover critical system costs needed to support safe and reliable delivery of electricity. Learn more at [blackhillsenergy.com/reliable-sd](http://blackhillsenergy.com/reliable-sd)*

Please contact me at (605) 721-1502 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'J. Keil', is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Jason S. Keil

Enclosure