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January 30, 2026



Ms. Leah Mohr  
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South Dakota Public Utilities Commission  
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**Re: In the Matter of Otter Tail Power Company's Rates for Small Power  
Production and Cogeneration and Renewable Energy Credits  
Docket No. EL26-  
Initial Filing**

Dear Ms. Mohr:

Otter Tail Power Company (Otter Tail Power) hereby submits to the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission (Commission) this filing for approval of updates to Otter Tail Power's Small Power Producer Riders, Sections 12.01, 12.02, and 12.03 of our Tariff Book. These rate schedules set forth the rates under which Otter Tail Power is obligated to purchase energy and capacity from qualifying facilities. Additionally, the Company is filing for approval of updates in its My Renewable Energy Credit Rider.

South Dakota P.U.C. Volume II-Electric Rate Schedule

Section 12.01 - Nineteenth Revised Sheet No. 1	Cancelling Eighteenth Revised Sheet No. 1
Section 12.02 - Nineteenth Revised Sheet No. 1	Cancelling Eighteenth Revised Sheet No. 1
Section 12.03 - Nineteenth Revised Sheet No. 1	Cancelling Eighteenth Revised Sheet No. 1
Section 12.03 - Twelfth Revised Sheet No. 2	Cancelling Eleventh Revised Sheet No.2
Section 14.14 - Second Revised Sheet No. 1	Cancelling First Revised Sheet No. 1

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Sincerely,

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