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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Daniel P. Wolf
Executive Secretary
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
121 Seventh Place East, Suite 350
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Re: Reply Comments of Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation, In the
Matter of the Petition of Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation-
Consolidated for Approval of a Change in Demand Entitlement

Docket No. G011/M-15-722

Dear Mr. Wolf:

On October 15, 2015, the Minnesota Department of Commerce, Division of Energy Resources ("Department") filed Comments in the above referenced docket recommending that the Commission accept Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation's ("MERC") Consolidated peak-day analysis and approve MERC-Consolidated's proposed level of demand entitlement and proposed recovery of associated demand costs effective November 1, 2015. Additionally, the Department identified a number of errors in MERC's attachments to MERC's July 31, 2015 filing and requested that in future demand entitlement filings, MERC consolidate all of its attachments showing similar information to avoid errors and reduce the number of attachments.

MERC thanks the Department for its review and submits these Reply Comments to address the Department's concern regarding errors in the attachment filings that were submitted with the July 31, 2015 Demand Entitlement filing. MERC will address any errors or inconsistencies in its updated Demand Entitlement filing to be submitted on or before November 2, 2015. Additionally, MERC will work with the Department to consolidate the attachments to be submitted with future Demand Entitlement filings.

MERC will submit an update to its Consolidated Demand Entitlement filing on or before November 2, 2015. Please contact me at (651) 322-8965 if you have any

questions regarding the information in this filing. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Amber S. Lee

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Kristin M. Stastny, hereby certify that on the 26th day of October, 2015, on behalf of Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation (MERC), I electronically filed a true and correct copy of the enclosed Reply Comments on www.edockets.state.mn.us. Said documents were also served via U.S. mail and electronic service as designated on the attached service list.

Dated this 26th day of October, 2015.

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