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April 19, 2021

Mr. Will Seuffert
Executive Secretary
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
121 7th Place East, Suite 350
St. Paul, MN 55101

Re: **In the Matter of the Application of CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp., d/b/a CenterPoint Energy Minnesota Gas, for Authority to Establish a New Base Cost of Gas (PGA Zero-Out) in Compliance with the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission’s Order in CenterPoint Energy’s General Rate Filing in Docket No. G-008/GR-19-524 – 2019 Rate Case**

MPUC Docket No. G-008/MR-21-182

REPLY COMMENTS

Dear Mr. Seuffert:

CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp., d/b/a CenterPoint Energy Minnesota Gas (“CenterPoint Energy” or the “Company”), respectfully submits its Reply Comments in response to the April 12, 2021, Comments filed by the Minnesota Department of Commerce, Division of Energy Resources (“Department”) regarding the March 12, 2021 compliance filing submitted by the Company in the matter referenced above. CenterPoint Energy Minnesota Gas in the following matter:

The Department of Commerce recommends that the Commission **approve** the Company’s new base cost of gas to coincide with the implementation of final rates in the G008/GR-19-524 Rate Case Docket.

CenterPoint Energy thanks the Department for its thorough review and agrees with the Department’s recommendation. If there are any questions, please contact me at the email address below or at 612-321-5078.

Sincerely,

/s/ _____

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Marie Doyle served the Reply Comments in CenterPoint Energy's request for Authority to Establish a New Base Cost of Gas (PGA Zero-Out) in Compliance with the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission's Order in CenterPoint Energy's General Rate Filing in Docket No. G-008/GR-19-524 – 2019 Rate Case.

CenterPoint Energy to all persons at the addresses indicated on the attached list by having the document delivered by electronic filing.

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