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October 14, 2024

Will Seuffert
Executive Secretary
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
121 Seventh Place East, Suite 350
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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Re: Reply Comments of Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation

In the Matter of the Petition of Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation for
Approval of a Change in Demand Entitlement for its Consolidated System,
Docket No. G011/M-24-269

In the Matter of the Petition of Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation for
Approval of a Change in Demand Entitlement for its NNG System, Docket No.
G011/M-24-270

Dear Mr. Seuffert:

On October 3, 2024, the Department of Commerce, Division of Energy Resources (the "Department") filed Comments in the above-referenced dockets recommending that the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission (the "Commission"):

- Approve Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation's ("MERC's" or the "Company's") Design-Day analysis for the Consolidated PGA area; and
- Approve MERC's Design-Day analysis for the Northern Natural Gas ("NNG") PGA area.

The Department withheld its final recommendations for the remainder of the Company's Petition until after the Company files its Reply Comments and November 1, 2024 update to the demand entitlement petitions.

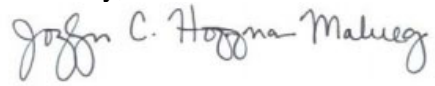
MERC thanks the Department for its review and analysis, and agrees with the Department's recommendations on the Design-Day analyses. The Company is available to address any questions the Department may have following review of MERC's November 1, 2024 update to the demand entitlement petitions.

MERC respectfully requests that the Commission accept the Design-Day analyses for the Consolidated and NNG PGA areas.

Please contact me at (414) 221-4208 if you have any questions. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Mr. Will Seuffert
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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Joylyn C. Hoffman Malueg". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Joylyn" being the most prominent.

Joylyn Hoffman Malueg
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cc: Service List

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Colleen T. Sipiorski, hereby certify that on the 14th day of October, 2024, on behalf of Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation (MERC) I electronically filed a true and correct copy of MERC's 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 14th day of October, 2024.

/s/ Colleen T. Sipiorski
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