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RE: **Response Comments of the Minnesota Department of Commerce, Division of Energy Resources**
Docket No. G001/M-13-324

Dear Dr. Haar:

This letter serves as the Response Comments of the Minnesota Department of Commerce, Division of Energy Resources (Department) in the following matter:

2012 Annual Service Quality Report (Report) submitted by Interstate Power and Light Company, an Alliant Energy Corporation (Interstate or the Company).

On May 1, 2013, Interstate filed its Report to comply with the Commission's August 26, 2010 *Order Setting Reporting Requirements* in Docket No. G999/CI-09-409 (09-409 Order) and the Commission's March 6, 2012 *Order Accepting Reports and Setting Further Requirements* in Docket No. G001/M-11-361 (11-361 Order).

On December 19, 2013, the Department submitted its Comments which recommended that the Commission accept Interstate's filing, pending submittal of a reconciliation of the involuntary disconnection data the Company filed in its gas and electric service quality reports.

Interstate submitted its Reply Comments on January 27, 2014. The Company provided a corrected Appendix A as requested by the Department, however the number of disconnect notices sent still did not reconcile between the gas and electric service quality reports.

On February 28, 2014, Interstate filed a second corrected Appendix A, stating that, "In reviewing the data, IPL discovered that several months included residential disconnect notices only and should have included 'total' notices mailed." IPL made a concurrent filing in its electric service quality report in Docket No. E001/M-13-249.

The Department appreciates the corrected information provided by Interstate and recommends that the Commission accept the Company's filing in fulfillment of the 09-409 Order and the 11-361 Order.

The Department is available to answer any questions that the Commission may have.

Sincerely,

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I, Jan Mottaz, hereby certify that I have this day, served copies of the following document on the attached list of persons by electronic filing, e-mail, or by depositing a true and correct copy thereof properly enveloped with postage paid in the United States Mail at St. Paul, Minnesota.

Comments of the Minnesota Department of Commerce, **Division of Energy Resources**

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Dated this 18th day of March 2014

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