

# Minnesota Public Utilities Commission Decisions - Decisions PUC Agenda Meeting

121 7th Place East Suite 350 Saint Paul, MN 55101-2147

Thursday, October 9, 2014

9:30 AM

**Large Hearing Room** 

# INTRODUCTION

### **ORAL ARGUMENT ITEMS**

### **DELIBERATION ITEMS**

## **DECISION ITEMS**

1. \* P522,405/C-13-941

Farmers Mutual Telephone Co.;

**Frontier Communications of Minnesota** 

In the Matter of the Complaint by Farmers Mutual Telephone Co. (Farmers) Against Frontier Communications of Minnesota (Frontier) Regarding Early Termination Fees.

Should the Commission dismiss Farmers' Complaint? (PUC:

O'Grady)

Attachments: Briefing Papers

Complaint dismissed.

2. G011/PA-14-437

**Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation** 

In the Matter of the Petition of Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation for Approval of Caledonia, Minnesota Property

Acquisition. (PUC: Schwieger; DOC: Ouanes)

Attachments: DOC Comments 6-27-14 PUBLIC

Approved.

3. G011/D-14-455

**Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation** 

In the Matter of a Request by Minnesota Energy Resources

Corporation for its Annual Review of Depreciation Rates for 2014.

(PUC: Bender; DOC: St. Pierre)

Attachments: DOC Comments 8-27-14

Approved.

4. E002/M-14-761

Northern States Power Company d/b/a

Xcel Energy

In the Matter of Northern States Power Company's (doing business as Xcel Energy) Request for an Extension until December 1, 2014 to Submit its Triennial Review of Nuclear Plant Decommissioning Accrual Filing. (PUC: Harding; DOC: Medhaug)

Attachments: Xcel Letter 9-4-14

DOC Letter 9-24-14

Approved 2 month extension.

\* E999/CI-04-1616 All Electric Utilities Subject to Minn. Stat. §216B.1691

In the Matter of a Commission Investigation into a Multi-State Tracking and Trading System for Renewable Energy Credits.

What determinations should the Commission make with respect to the Midwest Renewable Energy Tracking System's decision to allow the importing of Michigan Renewable Energy Credits? (PUC: **Rebholz**)

Attachments: Briefing Papers

**Revised Decision Options** 

Allowed Michigan RECs to be retired in Minn. RES with conditions but without demonstration of deliverability; directed utilities to disclose such retirements in annual reports.

6. \*\* E999/M-14-321; Electric Utilities Subject to Minnesota's Solar Energy

E999/CI-13-542

Standard, Minn. Stat. §216B.1691, subd. 2f

In the Matter of Utilities' Annual Reports on Progress in Achieving the Solar Energy Standard;

In the Matter of the Implementation of Solar Energy Standards Pursuant to 2013 Amendments to Minnesota Statutes, Section 216B 1691

What action should the Commission take on the utilities' first solar energy standard reports? (PUC: **Rebholz**)

Attachments: Briefing Papers

Accepted 2013 SES reports, set June 1, 2015 as submission date for next SES report; set content requirements.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

<sup>\*</sup> One star indicates agenda item is unusual but is not disputed.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Two stars indicate a disputed item or significant legal or procedural issue to be resolved. (Ex Parte Rules apply)

Please note: For the complete record, please see eDockets