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May 29, 2014

Dr. Burl Haar, Executive Secretary
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
121 7th Place East, Suite 350
St. Paul, MN 55101-2147

**RE: In the Matter of Renewable Energy Certificate Retirement & Reporting for Compliance Year 2013
Docket No. E-999/PR-14-12**

**In the Matter of Commission Consideration and Determination on Compliance with Renewable Energy Standards
Docket No. E-999/M-14-237**

**In the Matter of Green Pricing Verification Filing Process
Docket No. E-999/PR-02-1240**

Dear Dr. Haar:

In response to the Public Utilities Commission Notice issued April 17, 2014 related to the above referenced Docket numbers, L & O Power Cooperative submits the following spreadsheet reports pertaining to 2013 wholesale energy sales to our Minnesota membership:

- Attachment A – REC Retirements
- Attachment B – REC Sales and Purchases

This filing is being submitted via e-filing to Docket 14-12. Direct any questions in this matter to me at curt.dieren@dgr.com.

Sincerely,

L & O POWER COOPERATIVE

/s/ Curt D. Dieren

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Manager

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Enclosures

Instructions

Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
DOCKET NO. E999/PR-14-12
DOCKET NO. E999/PR-14-237

Minnesota Department of Commerce
DOCKET NO. E999/PR-02-1240

Renewable Energy Certificate Retirement Report for
RENEWABLE ENERGY STANDARDS and GREEN PRICING PROGRAMS
Attachment A: REC Retirements & Biennial Compliance Reporting

For the Reporting Period:
January 1, 2013 - December 31, 2013

Instructions

note: items in red indicate changes in reporting from previous year

Due: June 1st, 2014

Complete the following worksheets and e-file in **Excel (XLS or XLSX)** format:

- Worksheet A.1, Utility Info
- Worksheet A.2, Renewable Energy Standard Retail Sales
- Worksheet A.3, Green Pricing Program Retail Sales
- Worksheet A.4, RES & Green Pricing REC Retirements
- Worksheet A.5, Biennial Compliance Reporting**

To e-file, login, or register, at: <https://www.edockets.state.mn.us/EFiling/home.jsp>

for directions on how to e-file, see: <http://www.commerce.state.mn.us/eDocFile/eFilingHelp.html>

For questions about Renewable Energy Certificate retirement or compliance with Renewable Energy Standards, contact Susan Mackenzie at 651-201-2241 or at susan.mackenzie@state.mn.us .

For questions about Green Pricing or about filling out this spreadsheet, send an email to:

DG.Energy@state.mn.us.

For questions about e-filing, contact Karen Santori at 651-539-1530 or at karen.santori@state.mn.us .

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Biennial Compliance reporting

Please report the following items in compliance with the PUC May 28, 2013 Order in Docket No. E999/M-12-958

Ordering Point

4.A. & 5.H. the year through which the utility can maintain compliance with its current renewable portfolio

2025+

4.B. & 5.I. Projected compliance for the current plus three (3) upcoming years.

Year	actual/projected MN retail sales (MWhs)	RES Req.(%)	RES Req. (MWhs)	Projected Resources (MWhs)	Projected Surplus/ (Deficit) (MWhs)
2013	156,501	12%	18,780	20,786	2,006
2014	195,000	12%	23,400	27,000	3,600
2015	200,000	12%	24,000	30,000	6,000
2016	205,000	17%	34,850	38,000	3,150

5.E.2 & 5.F. Identify other State Renewable Standards or Objectives to which the utility is subject, and the percentage of renewable energy allocated to meet the renewable requirements.

State	RES Req.	Apportionment of renewable energy

apportionment of renewable energy should reflect each state's percentage of total system sales.

5.E.3 (i) The status of the utility's renewable energy mix relative to the objective & standards.

L and O Power Cooperative is an all-supplemental requirements member of Basin Electric. Refer to Basin's filing.

5.E.3(ii) Efforts taken to meet the objective and standards

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5.E.3(iii) Obstacles encountered or anticipated in meeting the objective or standards

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5.E.3(iv) Potential solutions to the obstacles

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5.G. List any renewable generation facilities expected to become operational during the upcoming year

Facility Name	type	Capacity (MW)	Cap. Factor (%)	Expected Comm'l Operation Date

5.K. Identify efforts taken to adequately protect against undesirable economic impacts on ratepayers, including, but not limited to keeping customer's bills and the utility's rates as low as practicable, given regulatory and other constraints.

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Attachement B: REC Sales and Purchases

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Worksheet B.1, Utility Info

Worksheet B.2, RECs Bought and Sold During the Reporting Period

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