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December 18, 2025

Ms. Sasha Bergman
Executive Secretary
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
121 7th Place East, Suite 350
St. Paul, MN 55101

**RE: In the Matter of the Petition of CenterPoint Energy for Approval of a Recovery Process for Cost Impacts Due to February Extreme Market Conditions
Annual Compliance Filing
Docket No. G-008/M-21-138 and Docket No. G-999/M-21-135 – REPLY COMMENTS**

Dear Ms. Sasha Bergman:

On August 1, 2025, CenterPoint Energy (the "Company") submitted a compliance to Order Point 15 of the Commission's February 17, 2023, in Docket No. G-008/M-21-138 Order (hereafter "Order").

On December 8, 2025, the Department of Commerce, Division of Energy Resources (the "Department") filed Comments regarding the Company's compliance filing. The Department recommends that the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission accept CenterPoint Energy's compliance filing.

The Company appreciates Department Staff's review and analysis and supports the recommendation that the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission accept the compliance filing.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at 612.321.4677 or Donald.Wynia@CenterPointEnergy.com.

Sincerely,

/s/
Donald W. Wynia
Regulatory Analyst

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Donald Wynia served the above Reply Comments in response to the December 8, 2025, *Comments* filed by the Minnesota Department of Commerce (Docket No. G-008/M-21-138) to all persons at the addresses indicated on the attached list by having the document delivered by electronic filing.

 /s/
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Date: December 18, 2025