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July 16, 2025

Mr. Mike Bull  
Acting Executive Secretary  
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission  
121 7<sup>th</sup> Place East, Suite 350  
St. Paul, MN 55101

**Re: *In the Matter of Impacts of Northern States Power Co. d/b/a Xcel Energy's 2024 Annual Safety, Reliability, and Service Quality Report***  
**MPUC Docket No. E-002/M-25-27**

Dear Mr. Bull:

The Office of the Attorney General—Residential Utilities Division (OAG) provides the below preferred decision options at the request of Commission Staff. The OAG has no proposed modifications to the decision options provided by Staff or other commenters, but has reviewed and incorporated modified decision options of other commenters into the below list where appropriate. Specifically, the OAG supports CUB/LSAP/ECC's new Decision Option 8B (New CUB 8B), the Department of Commerce's modification to Decision Option 23 (New Dept Modified 23), and Xcel's Modified 24 (Xcel Modified 24). The OAG defers to Commission Staff and the CAO on Xcel's modification to decision option 19.

The OAG's preferred decision options are below:

1, 2, 3, NEW CUB 8B, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, New Dept Modified 23, Xcel Modified 24, 25, and 26.

The OAG will be available to answer any questions at the July 17, 2025 agenda meeting.

Sincerely,

/s/Katherine Hinderlie

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, KATHERINE HINDERLIE, hereby certify that on the 16th day of July, 2025, I e-filed with eDockets *Preferred Decision Options of the Office of the Attorney General—Residential Utilities Division* and served a true and correct copy of the same upon all parties listed on the attached service list by e-mail, electronic submission, and/or United States Mail with postage prepaid, and deposited the same in a U.S. Post Office mail receptacle in the City of St. Paul, Minnesota.

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