



**Minnesota Public Utilities
Commission
Decisions**

121 7th Place East
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PUC Agenda Meeting

Thursday, January 25, 2018

9:30 AM

Large Hearing Room

INTRODUCTION

DECISION ITEMS

1. ** E002/M-15-1089 Northern States Power Company d/b/a
Xcel Energy
In the Matter of the Petition of Northern States Power Company for
Approval of a Credit Mechanism to Return to Customers Department of
Energy Settlement Payments.

Should the Commission order Xcel to refund the proceeds of the eighth
Department of Energy (DOE) settlement payment to ratepayers? (PUC:
Alonso)

**Proposed methodologies approved, refund ordered, and
compliance filings required.**

2. **PULLED**
~~** E002/M-14-764~~ Northern States Power Company d/b/a
Xcel Energy
In the Matter of Northern States Power Company's Petition for Approval
of the 2016-2018 Triennial Nuclear Decommissioning Accrual.
1. Should the Commission approve Xcel Energy's annual compliance
filing?
 2. As a result of Xcel Energy's third-party evaluation, should the
Commission order any changes to the Nuclear Decommissioning
Trust's investment strategy? (PUC: **Alonso**)

PULLED.

3. E002,101/SA-17-852 Connexus Energy;
Northern States Power Company, d/b/a
Xcel Energy
In the Matter of the Joint Request of Connexus Energy and Northern
States Power Company, d/b/a Xcel Energy for approval of a Service
Territory Transfer Agreement between the two utilities. (PUC: Terwilliger;
DOC: Lusti)

Agreement approved.

4. * **E015/M-12-233** **Minnesota Power**
In the Matter of Minnesota Power's Compliance Filing for its Temporary Rider for Residential Time-of-Day Rate for Participants of the Smart Grid Advanced Metering Infrastructure Pilot Project.

Should the Commission grant Minnesota Power's proposed extension to file its 12-month compliance report? (PUC: **Stalpes**)

Compliance filing accepted; compliance report and alternative rate design report required.

5. * **E002/M-17-695** **Northern States Power Company, d/b/a Xcel Energy**
In the Matter of the Petition of Northern States Power Company for Approval of Revisions to the Renewable*Connect Pilot Program.

Should the Commission approve Xcel's Petition for approval of proposed revisions to the Renewable*Connect pilot program? (PUC: **Bahn**)

Tariff and subscription agreement changes approved as modified.

6. ** **E002/M-17-527** **Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy**
In the Matter of the Petition of Northern States Power Company, dba Xcel Energy, for Approval of a Customer Access Joint Pilot Program.

Should the Commission approve Xcel's Customer Access Joint Pilot Program, also referred to as Rehabilitation and Efficiency: Neighborhood Energy Works (RENEWs)?

Should the Commission adopt any of the modifications or additions to the program and reporting requirements proposed by parties? (**PUC**: Mackenzie)

Program approved with conditions.

ADJOURNMENT

* One star indicates agenda item is unusual but is not disputed.

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

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