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RE: Docket No. E002/M-21-694 Xcel Energy 2022-2031 Integrated Distribution Plan

Dear Mr. Seuffert:

The City of Minneapolis ("Minneapolis") thanks the Commission for the opportunity to provide these Reply Comments on Xcel Energy's ("Xcel" or "the Company") Integrated Distribution Plan (IDP).

We continue to center our comments in this proceeding on an equitable transition to a clean, reliable, and efficient energy future for the residents of our city and addressing the disproportionate impacts that pollution and climate change have on low-income communities and communities of color. There is significant overlap between the IDP and equity concerns, and the City of Minneapolis strongly recommends incorporating equity into the IDP process.

Our analysis indicates that focusing on equity and the Commission's principles and planning objectives in this process will promote the public good.

Thank you for your consideration of our comments.

Sincerely,

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#### STATE OF MINNESOTA BEFORE THE MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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IN THE MATTER OF XCEL ENERGY'S 2021 INTEGRATED DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM PLAN AND REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATION OF DISTRIBUTED INTELLIGENCE AND THE RESILIENT MINNEAPOLIS PROJECT DOCKET NO. E002/M-21-694

#### I. INTRODUCTION

Pursuant to the Notice of Extended Reply Comment Period issued on March 14, 2022, the City of Minneapolis submits to the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission (PUC) these Reply Comments in response to the Comments filed by parties and the utility in this proceeding. We appreciate the opportunity to provide these Reply Comments, which we generally organize around the following themes, consistent with the recommendations laid out in our initial Comments:

- Center Equity in the Distribution Planning Process
- Improve the Non-Wires Alternatives Analysis
- Approve Distributed Intelligence Application, with Stipulations Regarding the Distribution of Savings and Costs
- Approve Certification of the Resilient Minneapolis Projects

### Approve Xcel Energy's IDP with modifications

We continue to support approval of this Integrated Distribution Plan, consistent with the modifications suggested in our initial comments. However, we also considered the Guidance Document developed by Synapse Energy Economics, Inc and submitted by the Department of Commerce with their comments.<sup>1</sup> We agree with Xcel Energy's position in Reply Comments that this guidance document, and the suggested requirements and criteria for the Integrated Distribution Planning (IDP) process, should not be applied to this plan retroactively. However, now that we have several iterations of utility IDPs to consider and the years of experience to review, we do believe there is an opportunity on a forward-looking basis to review the intent of the IDP in Minnesota and make modifications to the process based on efficacy of achieving the original goals and changing circumstances - in particular around issues like hosting capacity analysis (HCA), non-wires alternatives (NWA), and climate and equity considerations. We therefore recommend the Commission approve Xcel Energy's 2022-2031 IDP, with modifications, and consider recommendations from the Department of Commerce and other parties to inform future IDPs. We request additional stakeholder engagement to consider how to update our IDP filing requirements in

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Comments of the Minnesota Department of Commerce Division of Energy Resources

Minnesota.

We support the recommendations of a number of other parties for improving the IDP process. We agree with the following suggestions from the Community Power, Environmental Law & Policy Center, and Vote Solar (CEV) comments, that the Commission should:<sup>2</sup>

- take steps to further improve the alignment of resource planning, distribution planning, and transmission planning;
- strengthen filing requirements related to DER integration and deployment;
- ensure that DER modeling, forecasting, and program planning functions are treated consistently in Xcel's Integrated Distribution and Resource Plans; and
- publish a fully updated and compiled set of filing requirements in a single document.

We support the following recommendations from Fresh Energy for Xcel's next-filed IDP, that the Commission should direct Xcel to:<sup>3</sup>

- prioritize the use of "net load" in its system-wide, substation, and feeder-level load forecasts;
- integrate or modify its systems and processes as needed to successfully incorporate the loadmodifying impacts of demand-side management (DSM) in system-wide, substation, and feeder-level load forecasts; and
- incorporate building, transportation, and industrial electrification scenarios into system-wide, substation, and feeder-level load forecasts.

Both Fresh Energy and the City of Northfield raise the issue of hosting capacity constraints and proposed interconnection upgrade fees from Xcel Energy for adding more solar and other DER that are posing a barrier for communities who are planning more in-boundary renewable energy generation. Fresh Energy requested additional information to better understand the coordination between interconnect-driven and other routine distribution system upgrades, to ensure that there are no unnecessary costs being incurred by customers for such upgrades. Both Northfield and the coalition of Minnesota cities emphasized the importance of considering the climate, energy, and equity goals that many local governments within Xcel Energy's Minnesota service territory have set as a part of the IDP process. It is important not only to consider these goals as a part of DER forecasts, but also to look at how these climate and clean energy plans from local governments may inform IDP decisions and investments. It will be particularly important for Xcel to anticipate more beneficial electrification in its load forecast, especially as driven by local government goals and policies.

#### II. Center Equity in the Integrated Distribution Plan

As we raised in our initial comments, we believe it is important to take a human-centered approach to grid planning, to take into consideration the patterns of investment in certain communities, and the other circumstances at play that - while perhaps not the direct responsibility of the utility - are relevant to understand how distribution investments and decisions may impact customers differently, and what opportunities exist to repair past harms to marginalized communities, while creating a more affordable, resilient, and reliable grid. We also shared examples from a number of other states that are in the process of designing IDP rules with equity and climate at the center, which may offer good examples for Minnesota to adopt within the current PUC framework.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Initial Comments of Community Power, Environmental Law & Policy Center, and Vote Solar - February 25, 2022

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Initial Comments of Fresh Energy - February 25, 2022

The CEV comments offer a summary of relevant scholarship and resources on the topic of grid equity, as well as examples from other Minnesota dockets that further support the Commission's authority and duty to ensure grid equity in distribution system planning. We support CEV's principles for incorporating grid equity into distribution planning, as well as their recommendation that the Commission amend its IDP planning objectives and filing requirements to explicitly incorporate equity.

We are appreciative of Xcel Energy's commitment to "fully support incorporating equity broadly into energy planning and decision-making,"<sup>4</sup> but have some concerns about the separate equity docket that they anticipate in their comments. The City has not seen anything in the record to indicate that the Commission will open a new docket, but we have some concern about the potential to move all the equity issues and considerations out of their respective proceedings and into a single, separate docket. This may, for lack of a better term, ghettoize the issue of equity by not integrating into the planning and decision-making of all relevant dockets. We instead suggest that the Commission continue to engage stakeholders on this topic - in particular those communities that are most directly impacted, as suggested in the CEV comments' principles for incorporating grid equity into distribution planning - to ensure that the appropriate equity stipulations are applied in the next IDP and other relevant dockets.

#### III. Modify Non-Wires Alternative Analysis

Whether or not Xcel Energy pursues a Non-Wires Alternative (NWA) project depends on cost effectiveness for resolving grid constraints, and the cost effectiveness finding is highly dependent on the approach Xcel Energy uses in its evaluation. Since to date, the methodology Xcel Energy employs has not yet produced projects, the methodology merits scrutiny about what technologies to include and in what combination, and how to value these aspects of an NWA in relation to traditional grid solutions.

Minneapolis is generally supportive of Xcel Energy's proposal to move to a stacked value analysis approach, especially if it more accurately reflects the benefits and costs of NWA. Xcel Energy's proposed new method is two phase: 1) "an initial cost and feasibility screening, and projects that have reasonable cost-benefit results progress to the second step" of 2) "conduct a detailed study."<sup>5</sup> Therefore, the methods used in the initial cost and feasibility screening are critical to the perceived viability of NWA. Minneapolis submits the following analysis of Xcel Energy's proposed methodology.

### Consider value streams that do not easily fit into quantitative cost screening

In Xcel Energy's reply comments, they state that "basing a certification decision on a singular economic criterion, such as a cost-benefit result, to the exclusion of other important, but qualitative benefits that these projects will provide, would be inconsistent with the public interest and the Commission's approach to-date."<sup>6</sup> Minneapolis agrees and supports Xcel Energy's argument that not all value streams fit into "singular economic criterion."

Xcel Energy employs this reasoning to justify, in part, their Distributed Intelligence application due to the value of lessons learned and new technological pathways that it would enable. As discussed later, Minneapolis supports the Distributed Intelligence application and finds Xcel Energy's qualitative reasoning satisfactory in this instance.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Xcel Energy 2021 IDP Reply Comments, Page 11

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Xcel Energy 2021 IDP. Appendix F, Page 14

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Xcel Energy 2021 IDP Reply Comments, Page 16

Xcel Energy later states that, "the initial NWA screening process is a coarse filter that serves to exclude projects that are either infeasible from an engineering perspective or that have costs vastly outweighing the benefits. Projects that are close in terms of costs and benefits will not be excluded by the initial screening."<sup>7</sup> Minneapolis agrees that infeasible projects from an engineering perspective are reasonable to exclude. However, given that 'singular economic criterion' like cost-benefit analysis may not properly represent hard to quantify value streams, such as those relating to social equity, Xcel Energy should not screen out projects that are close to negative cost effectiveness, and should instead include them for additional analysis of their non-quantitative value to Xcel's system and customers.

# Xcel Energy must consider the full range of DERs in their NWA analysis, including energy efficiency and distribution system benefits.

Xcel Energy states they did not include incremental energy efficiency (EE) in their previous NWA analysis because "risks can generally be solved in a more cost-effective and timely manner with other DER types such as BESS, solar, and demand response/load flexibility.<sup>8</sup>" While Minneapolis supports Xcel Energy's interest in other types of DERs, energy efficiency is widely known to be the cheapest available source of energy, has been used successfully in existing NWA projects to meet grid needs, and provides valuable yet hard to quantify benefits to recipients, including health, resilience and reduction in energy burden.

Xcel Energy also states, "Our proposed methodology includes an assumption that there would be an open solicitation process that is technology agnostic. Therefore, any bid that can solve the projects risks cost-effectively can be a viable alternative and will be considered, regardless of DER type(s)<sup>9</sup>." Yet, in *Table 5: Proposed Methodology Cost Summary for Installing Viking VKG Feeder*, <sup>10</sup> Illustrating the proposed new approach, EE is excluded as a component of NWA.

Xcel Energy also notes that if a project passes initial cost screening, Xcel Energy may then consider other stacked benefits, including Avoided Distribution System Losses, O&M and System Voltage. Minneapolis asserts it is reasonable to include these distribution benefits in the initial analysis for NWA, especially given that the current approach has not yet produced any NWA projects.

Minneapolis requests the PUC require Xcel Energy to:

- ensure that EE is intentionally included in NWA analysis in the future.
- include Avoided Distribution System Losses, O&M, and System Voltage as benefits in the initial NWA screen test.

# Compare and contrast NWA analysis under different discount rates

Minneapolis agrees with Xcel Energy's reply comments that the discount rate is dependent on the value stream being assessed. We appreciate that Xcel Energy suggests "there may be merit in further exploring the use of other discount rates in the specific context of NWA analysis in our next NWA analysis."<sup>11</sup>

Xcel Energy also states "the record in this IDP is not fully developed and ripe for a determination" for a

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Xcel Energy 2021 IDP Reply Comments. Attachment A. Page 31

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Xcel Energy 2021 IDP Reply Comments. Attachment A. Page 31

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Xcel Energy 2021 IDP Reply Comments. Attachment A. Page 31

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Xcel Energy 2021 IDP. Appendix F. Page 20

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup>Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Xcel Energy 2021 IDP Reply Comments. Attachment A. Page 33

prescriptive discount rate for NWA analysis. Minneapolis agrees and believes that this also indicates that there is not sufficient standing to claim that weighted average cost of capital (WACC) is the appropriate discount rate for NWA projects and presenting NWA analysis results that do not consider alternative discount rates underestimates the value of NWA.

The value streams assessed in NWA analyses are generally customer-sited projects like on-site solar, storage, and efficiency. Many industry experts argue that these solutions and demand side management programs should use a societal discount rate as opposed to a discount rate that reflects the capital market because customers are the source of capital and because of their nature as small projects with little financial risk.<sup>12, 13, 14</sup> Currently, 12 states including Minnesota use a low-risk discount rate to evaluate cost effectiveness of DERs.<sup>15</sup>

The NWA analysis assumptions and values described in Tables 7 and 8 of IDP Filing Appendix F, as well as the described equations in Figures 8-17 show how integral the selection of discount rate is to the calculated value of NWA.<sup>16</sup>

The Commission may wish to clarify the appropriate discount rate, which can vary depending on funding source, and Xcel should put forward NWA analyses that include alternative discount rates.

Therefore, Minneapolis requests:

- NWA analysis compares results under different discount rates in future IDPs, using the societal and utility discount rates approved in February 11, 2020 Order in Docket No. E999/CIP-18-783.
- The Commission clarify the appropriate discount rate(s) to use within future IDPs.

# Develop an evidence-based dollar value threshold for NWA analysis

In initial comments and within the previous IDP, Minneapolis suggests that Xcel Energy evaluate NWA projects at thresholds less than \$2 million. Given that Xcel Energy has proposed an entirely new NWA analysis approach and may implement other methodological changes like comparing various discount rates, it is reasonable that the proposed approach may have different results for projects above and below the \$2 million threshold.

In reply comments, Xcel Energy stands by the \$2 million threshold, but did not provide evidence supporting that the threshold of \$2 million is appropriate. In fact, in the previous IDP, Xcel outlined that the \$2 million minimum threshold risks screening out less expensive, lower risk projects that may be more suitable for NWA:

Most capacity projects budgeted at greater than \$2 million are intended to solve larger numbers of risks – this vastly increases the complexity of the problems to solve with an NWA, and in turn

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> National Standard Practice Manual for Benefit-Cost Analysis of Distributed Energy Resources, August 2020: <u>https://www.nationalenergyscreeningproject.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/NSPM-DERs\_08-24-2020.pdf</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> Recognizing the Full Value of Energy Efficiency, Regulatory Assistance Project: <u>https://www.raponline.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/05/rap-lazarcolburn-layercakepaper-2013-sept-09.pdf</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> Does Integrated Resource Planning Effectively Integrate Demand-Side Resources? Resources for the Future: <u>https://media.rff.org/documents/RFF-Rpt-Burtraw-Duncan-2.pdf</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> National Standard Practice Manual Database of Screening Practices (DSP): <u>https://www.nationalenergyscreeningproject.org/state-database-dsp/database-of-state-efficiency-screening-</u> practices

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup>Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Xcel Energy 2021 IDP. Appendix F. Pages 21 - 25

increases the amount of resources required to conduct the analysis. Projects with fewer capacity risks to solve are more localized and therefore more straightforward. We also look for any opportunities to utilize resources to solve more than one risk, such as optimally placing them at key locations on the system.<sup>17</sup>

We reiterate precedence from across the country and within Minnesota that demonstrates how other thresholds have been used and may be appropriate for Minnesota.

- Maine requires their utilities to analyze NWA for any project that exceeds \$500k and for projects under \$500k if there is reasonable likelihood that NWA would be more cost effective than the traditional solution.<sup>18</sup>
- New York, Rhode Island, and Vermont use a differentiated threshold for different project types.<sup>19</sup>
- The Center for Energy and Environment NWA pilot addressed a \$4.1 million dollar project and utilized the one-year deferral value of \$177,632 as the project budget.<sup>20</sup>

Therefore, Minneapolis requests that the Commission set an evidence-based threshold for NWA analysis.

# Approve Fresh Energy's Recommendations Regarding DER Forecasts and Advanced Inverter Functionality

In addition to the methodological process of NWA analysis, other key elements of the IDP are critical to the successful deployment of NWA. Fresh Energy provided rigorous analysis and robust recommendations regarding Xcel Energy's DER forecasting, integration of DER forecasts into the planning process, and accelerating the adoption of advanced inverter functionality.

Minneapolis reviewed these suggestions and recommends that the Commission adopt Fresh Energy's recommendations found in section II of Fresh Energy's initial comments.<sup>21</sup>

# IV. Approve Distributed Intelligence Application, with Stipulations Regarding the Distribution of Savings and Costs

Minneapolis appreciates the need for grid modernization, including the functionality proposed under the distributed intelligence (DI) proposal.

Minneapolis agrees with Xcel that the DI proposal should result in a 'quantified predicted customer energy savings benefit." As the electricity provider actively managing the grid, Xcel Energy will be able to reduce the cost of energy production through new revenue streams available to utilities. We recommend that if the Commission approves certification of the DI investment that the Commission require Xcel Energy to track the associated savings and pass them on to customers who paid for them or to establish an account designated for a program to invest the savings in community-driven resilience projects.

Wires%20Alternatives%20as%20a%20Path%20to%20Local%20Clean%20Energy.pdf

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Xcel 2019 IDP. p. 97-98.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> Pacific Energy Institute NWA Opportunity Evaluation Survey of Current Practice from March 2020: <u>https://pacificenergyinstitute.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/NWA-Opportunity-Evaluation-Survey-final-Mar-2020.pdf</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> The Non-Wires Solutions Implementation Playbook: A Practical Guide for Regulators, Utilities, and Developers from Rocky Mountain Institute: <u>https://rmi.org/insight/non-wires-solutions-playbook/</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> NON-WIRES ALTERNATIVES AS A PATH TO LOCAL CLEAN ENERGY: RESULTS OF A MINNESOTA PILOT https://www.mncee.org/sites/default/files/report-files/Non-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> Docket No. E002/M-21-694: Initial Comments of Fresh Energy - February 25, 2022

This is supported from our previous Xcel IDP comments highlighting the importance of coordinating various improvements to fully achieve the benefits:

Minneapolis understands that as advanced metering infrastructure is deployed, the actual performance does not always match the desired grid flexibility and customer benefits promoted by vendors. A utility can protect itself and its customers by carefully negotiating the terms of contracts with vendors such that full payment is withheld until the advertised performance milestones are reached. This requires extensive coordination and negotiation upfront with the numerous vendors and takes time. But if done well, it means that the various equipment manufacturers and software developers are committed not just to working with the utility, but also to working with each other. The burden is on the vendors as well as the utility to demonstrate the functionality promised, which leads to lower risk and better outcomes. The interoperability is what makes an advanced meter [smart].<sup>22</sup>

Minneapolis recommends that the risk of unrealized savings associated with the requested DI investment be borne by the Company and not by customers: If the savings are not realized, the Company should credit customers proportionally for the difference between expected savings and actual savings.

#### V. Approve Resilient Minneapolis Projects

Minneapolis actively engaged in the previous Xcel IDP docket, 19-666, and advocated extensively for structuring the NWA methodology to enable promising projects to move forward and lessons to be learned.<sup>23</sup> During the Commission Hearing,<sup>24</sup> the lack of NWA projects passing Xcel's screening in the current and previous IDPs was discussed. While the Commission did not include an order point requiring Xcel to modify its methodology, the Commission asked Xcel during the hearing if there was a willingness to collaborate with the City of Minneapolis on possible solutions prior to the next IDP, due November 1, 2021. Xcel agreed to do so and invited the city to meet to discuss possible pilot options that would allow for additional learning outside an NWA evaluation path. The Resilient Minneapolis Projects were a result of these productive discussions with Xcel and the lessons learned will benefit all customers.

We appreciate Xcel's acknowledgement of our suggestion for improving the RMP process in our initial comments, including the expanded consideration of community resilience, support for the community partners to determine their own needs, leveraging of additional resources to support other investments at the RMP sites, and maximizing the opportunity for women and minority-owned small businesses to build and maintain these systems. A paper from the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) and the National Association of State Energy Officials offers some new approaches to valuing resilience and proposed actions to facilitate resilient microgrid investments and may be useful for better understanding and quantifying the resilience values.<sup>25</sup> We intend to continue to work with Xcel and the RMP host sites to ensure these projects are successful and serve as a model for other communities.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> Docket 19-666. Xcel 2019 Integrated Distribution Plan. Minneapolis Supplemental Comments. p.3-4.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> Minneapolis Comments. Docket No. E002/M-19-666 Xcel Energy 2020-2029 Integrated Distribution Plan. Mar. 17, 2020; Minneapolis Reply Comments. Apr. 22, 2020.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> Commission Hearing. Docket No. E002/M-19-666 Xcel Energy 2020-2029 Integrated Distribution Plan. May 29, 2020.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> Valuing Resilience for Microgrids: Challenges, Innovative Approaches, and State Needs: <u>https://www.naseo.org/data/sites/1/documents/publications/NARUC Resilience for Microgrids INTERACTIVE 021</u> <u>122.pdf</u>

#### VI. Summary of Recommendations

Minneapolis appreciates the Commission's review of these comments and the effort put forward by Xcel Energy and other commenters to continuously improve this important process. In summary, Minneapolis recommends that the Commission approve Xcel Energy's 2021 IDP with the following stipulations:

- 1. Center Equity in the Distribution Planning Process
  - Enact CEV's principles for incorporating grid equity into distribution planning, as well as their recommendation that the Commission amend its IDP planning objectives and filing requirements to explicitly incorporate equity.
  - Continue to engage stakeholders on this topic in particular those communities that are most directly impacted, as suggested in the CEV comments' principles for incorporating grid equity into distribution planning - to ensure that the appropriate equity stipulations are applied in the next IDP and other relevant dockets.
- 2. Modify the Non-Wires Alternatives Analysis Require Xcel to:
  - Incorporate benefits from value streams that do not easily fit into quantitative cost screening but
  - Include energy efficiency in all NWA analysis in the future
  - Include Avoided Distribution System Losses, O&M and System Voltage as benefits in the initial NWA screen test
  - Compare NWA analysis results under different assumed discount rates. Minneapolis suggests using the societal and utility discount rates approved in February 11, 2020 Order in Docket No. E999/CIP-18-783
  - Clarify how NWAs will be funded so that stakeholders have clarification on source of capital and the appropriate discount rate
  - Approve Fresh Energy's recommendations regarding DER forecasting and advanced inverter functionality.

We also request that the PUC establish an evidence-based threshold for viable NWA analysis within the IDP.

- 3. Approve Distributed Intelligence Application, with Stipulations Regarding the Distribution of Savings and Costs
  - Require Xcel Energy to track the associated savings and pass them on to customers who paid for them or establish an account designated for a program to invest the savings in community-driven resilience projects territory-wide.
  - Require that any unrealized savings associated with the DI investment be borne by the Company and not by customers: If the savings are not realized, the Company should credit customers proportionally for the difference between expected and actual savings.
- 4. Approve Certification of the Resilient Minneapolis Projects

# STATE OF MINNESOTA ) ) ss. CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE COUNTY OF HENNEPIN )

I, Stacy A. Miller, of the City of Minneapolis, County of Hennepin, State of Minnesota, affirm that on the 11th day of April 2022, I served a copy of the following via e-mail and/or via U.S. Mail:

# **REPLY COMMENTS OF THE CITY OF MINNEAPOLIS regarding Docket No.** 21-694

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