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October 24, 2019

Mr. Daniel Wolf
Executive Secretary
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
121 7th Place East, Suite 350
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RE: Annual Automatic Adjustment Report - CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. d/b/a CenterPoint Energy Minnesota Gas (Docket No. G999/AA-19-401)

Compliance Item Ordered in:
PUC Docket No. G-008/AI-18-517

Dear Mr. Wolf:

CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp., d/b/a CenterPoint Energy Minnesota Gas, ("CenterPoint Energy" or "the Company") provides this compliance information related to the Company's merger with Vectren in the above-referenced docket. The Minnesota Public Utilities Commission, by Order on January 14, 2019, accepted the Stipulation filed by CenterPoint Energy Minnesota Gas on October 26, 2018 in which the Company agreed to provide the following:

Gas Procurement and Cost Recovery Filings: In its next rate case, or in its next annual fuel cost review, CPEM shall provide an explanation of: (1) how its fuel procurement strategies have changed, if at all, following the Transaction; (2) the rationale for any change or for maintaining the status quo; and (3) how CPEM's fuel procurement strategies help to minimize fuel costs for Minnesota ratepayers.

The Company notes that it filed its "next annual fuel cost review" on September 3, 2019 in the Annual Automatic Adjustment (AAA) Docket No. G999/AA-19-401, but inadvertently did not note the information required by the Stipulation. With this letter, the Company believes it has completed the requirements of the Order accepting the Stipulation.

CenterPoint Energy has not changed its fuel procurement strategies for supplying gas to its Minnesota customers as a result of the merger. The Company continued its established fuel purchasing practices, in other words maintained the status quo, as explained extensively in its "Minnesota 2019 Gas Procurement Plan" filed by the Company on July 22, 2019 in Docket No. G-008/M-15-912. As described and reviewed in more depth in its September 3, 2019 AAA filing, the Minnesota Gas Procurement Plan results in reasonably priced supplies.

If you have any questions regarding the information provided in this filing, please contact me at (612) 321-4677 or Donald.Wynia@CenterPointEnergy.com.

Sincerely,

/s/ Donald Wynia
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Marie M. Doyle, being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and says that she is an employee in the office of CenterPoint Energy, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402, and that on the 25th day of October 2019, she delivered the enclosed notice of filing to those individuals and agencies listed on the attached pages, by:

 x placing such notice in envelopes, properly addressed with postage paid, and depositing the same in the United States Mail at Minneapolis, Minnesota, for delivery by the United States Post Office,

 personal service,

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 x electronic filing.

_____/s/ Marie Doyle
Marie Doyle

Subscribed and sworn to before me
The 24th day of October, 2019.

_____/s/ Melodee Sue Carlson Chang
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