

BEFORE THE MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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SERVICE DATE: NOVEMBER 18, 2005

DOCKET NO. G-002/M-05-549;
G-002/GR-04-1511

In the Matter of the Petition of Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy for Approval of a Gas Conservation Improvement Program Adjustment Factor;

In the Matter of an Application by Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy for Authority to Increase Natural Gas Rates in the State of Minnesota

The above entitled matter has been considered by the Commission and the following disposition made:

Approved the Company's proposed CIP Adjustment Factor of \$0.00245 per therm, to be implemented concurrent with the new base cost of gas in Docket G-002/M-05-1486 and final base rates in Docket No. G-002/GR-04-1511

The Commission agrees with and adopts the recommendations of the Department of Commerce which are attached and hereby incorporated in the Order.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

Burl W. Haar
Executive Secretary

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