

BEFORE THE MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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In the Matter of the Petition of CenterPoint Energy, a Division of CenterPoint Energy Resources Corporation, for Approval of an Affiliated Interest Agreement Between CenterPoint Energy and CenterPoint Energy Services, Inc. (CESI)

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

Approved the proposed affiliated-interest Agreement as filed by the Company pursuant to Minnesota Stat. §216B.48;

The Commission finds that CenterPoint Energy filed for approval of its Agreement with CEG within the 30-day timeframe required in docket No. E,G-999/CI-98-651;

Pursuant to the Commission Order in Docket No. G-008/AI-97-1268, CenterPoint Energy is required to continue to separately identify its purchases from CESI under the proposed Agreement in its monthly PGA reports.

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

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Executive Secretary

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