

**NOTICE OF COMMENT PERIOD ON
MINNESOTA POWER'S REGULATORY COMPLIANCE REPORT**

Issued: October 22, 2019

In the Matter of Commission Consideration of Minnesota Power's Compliance with Annual Safety, Reliability, and Service Quality Metrics for 2018.

PUC Docket Number: E015/M-18-250

Comment Period: Initial comment period closes November 13, 2019 at 4:30 pm

Reply comment period closes November 22, 2019 at 4:30 pm

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Issue: Third party review of Minnesota Power's disconnection and reconnection practices.

Topics Open for Comment:

1. Does the report raise concerns of Minnesota Power's disconnection, reconnection, data collection, and/or other practices?
2. Are there other matters the Commission should consider when reviewing this report and future service quality reporting?

Background: Minnesota Power submitted their annual Safety, Reliability, and Service Quality (SQR) Report for 2017 in April of 2018. Standards and reporting requirements are set under Minn. Rules, Chapter 7826 and in Commission orders. Parties found inconsistent data and raised questions regarding Minnesota Power's disconnection and reconnection practices. Minnesota Power agreed to a third party compliance assessment. This docket came before the Commission on April 11, 2019. The Commission did not take immediate action on the questions raised and agreed the compliance assessment would be valuable. Minnesota Power filed the Regulatory Compliance Report on October 18, 2019 in response to parties' previous concerns.

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