

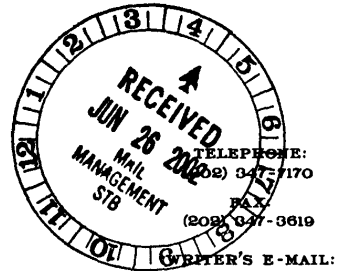
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VIA HAND DELIVERY

The Honorable Vernon A. Williams
Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20423-0001

Re: STB Docket No. NOR 42059, Northern States
Power Company Minnesota D/B/A Xcel Energy v.
Union Pacific Railroad Company

Dear Secretary Williams:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced proceeding
please find an original and ten (10) copies of the Joint Motion
to Reactivate the Procedural Schedule.

We have enclosed an additional copy of this filing.
Please time and date stamp this extra copy and return it to the
bearer of this letter.

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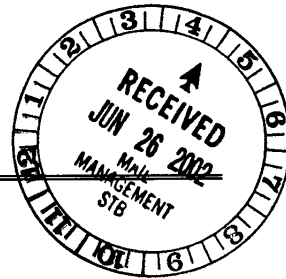
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Respectfully submitted,

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BEFORE THE
SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD



NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY
MINNESOTA D/B/A XCEL ENERGY

Complainant,

v.

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY

Defendant.

Docket No. NOR 42059

JOINT MOTION TO REACTIVATE THE PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Complainant Northern States Power Company D/B/A Excel Energy and Defendant Union Pacific Railroad Company file this Joint Motion and in support hereof state as follows:

(1) The Board served an order in this proceeding on April 24, 2001 suspending the procedural schedule. This order was entered at the joint request of the parties.

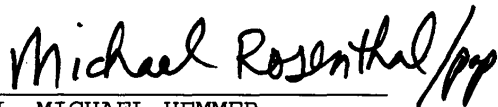
(2) The parties now jointly request that the procedural schedule in this case be reactivated as follows:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
June 28, 2002	End of Discovery Period
July 19, 2002	Opening Statements Due
September 20, 2002	Reply Statements Due
October 18, 2002	Rebuttal Statements Due

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(3) Pursuant to Section 3 of their Joint Stipulation, each party reserves the right to request modifications to the above-referenced due dates.¹ Each party also retains the right to seek any additional relief from the Board as may be necessary under the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,



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¹A copy of this Joint Stipulation was filed with the Board on February 15, 2001.