



November 8, 2021

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen
Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
500 East Capitol
Pierre, SD 57504-5070

Re: PrairieWinds SD1, Inc. – Docket EL09-028

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

At the Commission's October 28, 2021 meeting, a question was asked regarding the sales tax credit amount of \$256,381 on Table 2 of the Decommissioning Plan. Basin Electric Power Cooperative agreed to follow up in writing with the Commission on this issue. In discussions with Barr Engineering, the author of the Decommissioning Plan, it was discovered that sales tax on scrap metal was incorrectly shown as a credit. We will ensure all future updates have this categorized correctly in the future.

If you should have any questions, comments, or concerns regarding this matter, please contact me at 701.557.5495 or ksolie@bepc.com.

Sincerely,

Kevin L. Solie, P.E.
Senior Environmental Compliance Administrator

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