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Xcel Energy Data Request No. 1-1

Docket No.: EL23-029

Response To: South Dakota Public Utilities Commission

Requestor: Joseph Rezac
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## Ouestion:

In reverence to Exhibits C1/C2 Lines 27-29, provide an explanation as to why the southeast corner of the NE1/4 of the NE1/4 of Section 17 of T101N, R48W, is not the same point as the southwest corner of the NW1/4 of the NW1/4 of Section 16 of T101N, R48W.

## Response:

The response is per Gene Maurice, principal professional land surveyor, at Sayre Associates who assisted in providing exhibits for the docket. A local land surveyor surveyed and used the existing fence line as the ½½ section and platted the same with other lots instead of splitting the section correctly. The section to the east was correctly surveyed and split-up as shown on the exhibit, which reflects the distance of approximately 42' for the true ½½ corner.

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