# FFICIAL EXHIBITS

## **STATE OF INDIANA**

### INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

PETITION OF NORTHERN ) VERIFIED INDIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY LLC ) FOR APPROVAL OF PETITIONER'S TDSIC ) **ELIGIBLE** PLAN FOR TRANSMISSION, ) DISTRIBUTION, AND STORAGE SYSTEM ) IMPROVEMENTS, PURSUANT TO IND. CODE ) CAUSE NO. 45330 INCLUDING TARGETED ) 8-1-39-10(a) S **ECONOMIC** DEVELOPMENT **PROJECTS** ) PURSUANT TO IND. CODE § 8-1-39-10(c) AND ) EXTENSIONS TO RURAL AREAS PURSUANT ) TO IND. CODE § 8-1-39-11, FOR AUTHORITY TO DEFER COSTS FOR FUTURE RECOVERY AND APPROVING INCLUSION OF NIPSCO'S ) TDSIC PLAN PROJECTS IN ITS RATE BASE IN ) ITS NEXT GENERAL RATE PROCEEDING ) PURSUANT TO IND. CODE § 8-1-2-23. )



## NORTHERN INDIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY LLC'S **RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Petitioner Northern Indiana Public Service Company LLC, by counsel,

respectfully responds to the Presiding Officers May 5, 2020 request for additional

information as follows:

- **Request:** Petitioner's testimony indicates that Steuben County expansion does not result in a positive contribution to the cost of service under the 20-year margin test. Does Petitioner expect once Steuben County provides an expansion proposal that meets the 20-year margin test that the project will be included in the TDSIC plan as a targeted economic development (TED) project?
- Response: Should Steuben County provide an expansion proposal that meets the 20year margin test and/or has acquired approval from the Indiana Economic Development Corporation, then NIPSCO will seek approval of the project in a TDSIC tracker proceeding as a targeted economic development (TED) project consistent with Ind. Code §§ 8-1-39-9(b)(1) and 8-1-39-11.

Respectfully submitted,

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