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VIA EMAIL

FROM: South Dakota Public Utilities Commission

NOTICE OF COMPLAINT, DEADLINE FOR ANSWER

RE: PS25-003 - In the Matter of the PUC Staff's Complaint Against Black Hills Power, Inc. dba Black Hills Energy

You are hereby notified that the Complaint and related attachments as referenced above have been filed with the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission against your company. The Complaint having been served upon you via email and first-class mail on or about November 5, 2025, pursuant to ARSD 20:10:01:09, you have twenty days after service in which to satisfy the complaint or file an answer in writing, unless the Commission grants an extension of this time limit.

Therefore, if a settlement is not reached, **your answer must be filed with the Commission by November 25, 2025.** The filing of an answer does not foreclose the settlement of the complaint if you choose to compromise or otherwise settle this matter. In the event the Complaint is not resolved, a procedural schedule for an evidentiary hearing in front of the Commission will be set.

Please contact Jennie Fuerst or Logan Schaeftbauer, Commission Staff Attorneys, with any questions.

Sincerely,

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Cc: Commission Staff