IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

ARANDELL CORPORATION, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v. CASE NO.: 3:07-CV-00076 (JDP)

XCEL ENERGY INC., et al.

Defendants.

NEWPAGE WISCONSIN SYSTEM INC.,

Plaintiff,

v. CASE NO.: 3:09-CV-00240 (JDP)

CMS ENERGY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT COMPANY, et al.

Defendants.

STIPULATION WITH REGARD TO FIRST INSTALLMENT PAYMENT TOWARD SETTLEMENT FUND

COME NOW Plaintiffs, and Defendants The Williams Companies, Inc., Williams Merchant Services Company LLC (f/k/a Williams Merchant Services Company, Inc.), and WPX Energy Marketing, LLC (f/k/a Williams Power Company, Inc.) ("Williams Defendants") and stipulate as follows:

- 1. The Class Action Settlement Agreement between Plaintiffs and Williams Defendants provides for payment of the settlement amount in two installments, with the first installment of one-half of the settlement amount to be paid within twenty-one (21) days of the Court's entry of an Order granting Preliminary Approval of the Settlement into an Escrow Account.
- 2. The Order granting Preliminary Approval of the Settlement was entered on March 7, 2023.

3. Therefore, the parties, through counsel, hereby stipulate and agree that Williams Defendants' first installment payment toward the settlement fund shall be made by March 28, 2023.

Date: March 20, 2023

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