

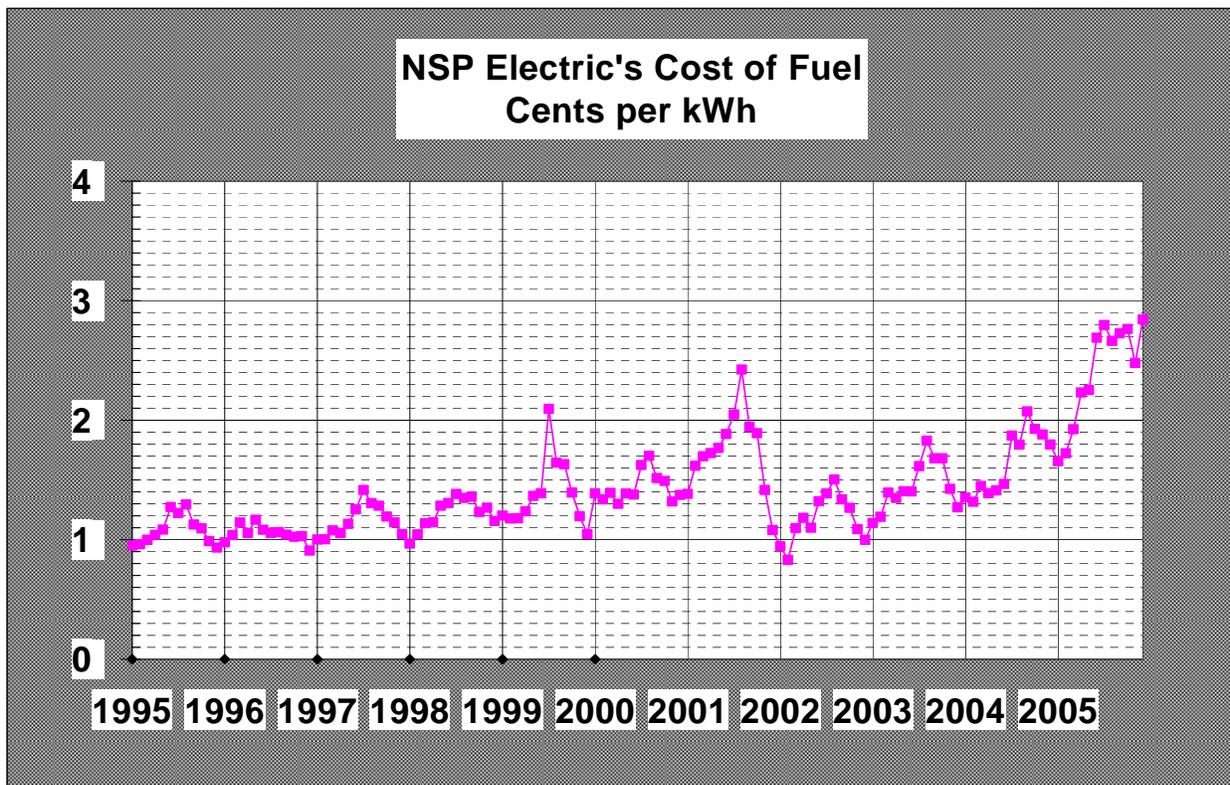
February 8, 2006

**Northern States Power Company
February 2006
Fuel Cost Adjustment**

Case No. PU-06-48

NSP increased its electric fuel cost adjustment by 0.364 cents per kWh from 1.386 cents per kWh. The resulting fuel cost adjustment for February is 1.751 cents per kWh.

As a result of this change, the electric bill for a typical NSP residential customer consuming 750 kWh will increase by \$2.73 for bills rendered in the month of February.



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