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December 13, 2013

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen Executive Director South Dakota Public Utilities Commission State Capitol Building 500 East Capitol Pierre, SD 57501-5070

Re:

Fuel Clause Adjustment

January 2014

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Montana-Dakota), a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., herewith respectfully files a fuel adjustment, statement attached hereto, in accordance with its Fuel Clause Rate 58. The attached statement shows the following:

Cost/Kwh - 3 months ended November 30, 2013	\$0.023078
Base Cost/Kwh Included in Current Rates	0.014704
Increase(Decrease) from Base Cost	\$0.008374

Net Billing Adjustment after 90% Provision

\$0.007537

Montana-Dakota will, unless the Commission otherwise orders, apply the 0.7537 cents per Kwh for service rendered during the month of January 2014. This is a decrease of 0.0532 cents from the December level.

Sincerely,

Rita A. Mulkern

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Director of Regulatory Affairs

Attachment