South Dakota Public Utilities Commission Docket EL16-004 MidAmerican Energy Company Follow-up Questions to First Data Requests

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Follow-up Question:

1-4 Explain why the MEC MVP Return Credit is lower on page 3 of the supplemental "2015 TCR Reconciliation and New Factor Calculation" file compared to the original filing.

Response:

When preparing the original filing made on February 12, 2016, MidAmerican used **actual** January and February 2016 MISO costs plus **forecast** March through December 2016 MISO costs to determine total projected MISO costs for 2016. When preparing the Supplemental and Revised filing that was made on March 4, 2016, it was discovered that the MVP and Schedule 26 Return Credits shown on page 3 had not been updated with January and February 2016 actuals. This was corrected in the Supplemental and Revised filing and the amounts shown on page 3 now contain **actual** January and February 2016 plus **forecast** March through December 2016 MVP and Schedule 26 Return Credits consistent with how MISO costs were determined. This correction had no impact on the resulting factors.