

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPLAINT FILED)	ORDER FOR AND NOTICE
BY TYLER MCFARLAND, SIOUX FALLS,)	OF HEARING
SOUTH DAKOTA, AGAINST MIDAMERICAN)	
ENERGY COMPANY REGARDING A BILLING)	CN09-001
DISPUTE)	

On June 8, 2009, the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received a complaint (Complaint) filed by Tyler McFarland, Sioux Falls, South Dakota (Complainant), against MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican) regarding a billing dispute.

On June 8, 2009, the complaint was served electronically on MidAmerican. Pursuant to ARSD 20:10:01:09, MidAmerican was notified that it must satisfy the Complaint or file an answer in writing with the Commission by June 29, 2009. On June 23, 2009, the Commission received an Answer from MidAmerican.

The Commission finds that it has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapters 1-26 and 49-34A.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a hearing will be held on September 3, 2009, beginning at 1:30 P.M., in Room 282, University Center South, Southeast Technical Institute, 2205 Career Avenue, Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

The issue at the hearing is whether MidAmerican committed an unlawful or unreasonable act, rate, practice or omission and, if so, what relief would be appropriate.

The hearing will be an adversary proceeding conducted pursuant to SDCL Chapter 1-26. All parties have the right to be present and to be represented by an attorney. All persons testifying will be subject to cross-examination by the other parties, and all parties will have the right to cross-examine the witnesses of other parties. These rights and other due process rights will be forfeited if not exercised at the hearing. If a party or his/its representative fails to appear at the time and place set for the hearing, the Final Decision will be based solely on the testimony and evidence provided, if any, during the hearing or a Final Decision may be issued by default pursuant to SDCL 1-26-20. After the hearing, the Commission will consider all evidence and testimony that was presented at the hearing. The Commission will then enter Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and a Final Decision regarding this matter. As a result of the hearing, the Commission will determine whether MidAmerican committed an unlawful or unreasonable act, rate, practice, or omission and, if so, order any appropriate relief. The Commission's Final Decision may be appealed by the parties to the state Circuit Court and the state Supreme Court as provided by law. It is therefore

ORDERED, that a hearing shall be held at the time and place specified above on the issue of whether MidAmerican committed an unlawful or unreasonable act, rate,

