

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE REQUEST BY )  
MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY FOR )  
APPROVAL OF ITS PURCHASED GAS )  
ADJUSTMENT TARIFF )

ORDER APPROVING  
TARIFF REVISIONS

NG96-020

On September 30, 1996, MidAmerican Energy Company, Sioux City, Iowa (MidAmerican), filed with the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) proposed revisions to its natural gas tariffs, specifically its South Dakota Gas Sales Tariff for the Cost of Purchased Gas Adjustment:

Section III, First Revised Sheet No. 5 canceling Original Issue Sheet No. 5

At a regularly noticed and scheduled meeting of October 8, 1996, the Commission considered approval of the application. Commission Staff recommended approval.

The Commission finds that it has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapter 49-34A. Further, the revision is just and reasonable and shall be approved. As the Commission's final decision in this matter, it is therefore

ORDERED, that MidAmerican's revised tariff as described above is approved and shall be effective for service rendered on and after the date of this Order.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1996.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that this document has been served today upon all parties of record in this docket, as listed on the docket service list, by facsimile or by first class mail, in properly addressed envelopes, with charges prepaid thereon.

By: Arlene Kato

Date: 10/21/96

(OFFICIAL SEAL)

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Kenneth Stofferahn  
KENNETH STOFFERAHN, Chairman

James A. Burg  
JAMES A. BURG, Commissioner

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LASKA SCHOENFELDER, Commissioner