

 **MONTANA-DAKOTA**
UTILITIES CO.
A Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc.

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May 18, 2010

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
Docket No. EL10-

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 April 30, 2010	\$0.019498
Base Cost/Kwh Included in Current Rates	<u>0.014704</u>
Increase(Decrease) from Base Cost	\$0.004794
 Net Billing Adjustment after 90% Provision	 \$0.004315

Montana-Dakota will, unless the Commission otherwise orders, apply the 0.4315 cents per Kwh to service rendered during the month of June 2010. This is a decrease of 0.0361 cents from the May level.

Sincerely,



Rita A. Mulkern
Regulatory Analysis Manager

Attachment