



# MONTANA-DAKOTA

UTILITIES CO.

A Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc.

400 North Fourth Street  
Bismarck, ND 58501  
(701) 222-7900

June 15, 2011

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. EL11-

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 May 31, 2011	\$0.017456
Base Cost/Kwh Included in Current Rates	<u>0.014704</u>
Increase(Decrease) from Base Cost	\$0.002752
Net Billing Adjustment after 90% Provision	\$0.002477

Montana-Dakota will, unless the Commission otherwise orders, apply the 0.2477 cents per Kwh for service rendered during the month of July 2011. This is a decrease of 0.0798 cents from the June level.

Sincerely,

Rita A. Mulkern  
Regulatory Affairs Manager

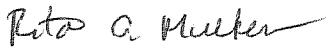
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VERIFICATION

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA    )  
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COUNTY OF BURLEIGH    )

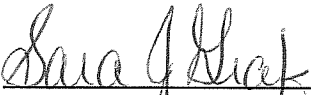
Rita A. Mulkern, being first duly sworn, deposes and says; that she is the Regulatory Affairs Manager of Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., the Applicant herein; that she has read the foregoing Application, knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true and correct to the best of her knowledge, information and belief.

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June 2011.

  
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Rita A. Mulkern

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public for the state and county above named, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June 2011.

SARA J GRAF  
Notary Public  
State of North Dakota  
My Commission Expires September 18, 2013

  
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Sara J. Graf, Notary Public  
Burleigh County, North Dakota  
My Commission Expires: 09/18/2013