

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY ) ORDER APPROVING  
MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY FOR ) TARIFF REVISIONS  
APPROVAL OF TARIFF REVISIONS TO ITS )  
ENERGY COST ADJUSTMENT FACTOR TARIFF ) EL15-047

On November 20, 2015, the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received a filing from MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican) for approval of revisions to MidAmerican's tariff sheet to update its Clause ECA – Energy Cost Adjustment. In the tariff, projected jurisdictional sales are defined as being through the remainder of the calendar year. The revised tariff sheet reflects MidAmerican's proposal to revise the definition of projected jurisdictional sales as being for the months remaining until the next annual factor calculation. This change will ensure that the time period used for the sales in the adjustment factor calculation will be consistent with the time period over which the adjustment factor will be applied. The revised tariff sheets are as follows:

SOUTH DAKOTA ELECTRIC TARIFF SCHEDULE NO. 2

Section No. 3

1st Revised Sheet No. 78

Canceling Original Sheet No. 78

On December 1, 2015, the Commission electronically transmitted notice of the filing and the intervention deadline of December 7, 2015, to interested individuals and entities on the Commission's PUC Weekly Filings electronic listserv. No petitions to intervene or comments were filed. The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapter 49-34A, specifically 49-34A-4, 49-34A-10, and 49-34A-25.

At its regularly scheduled meeting on December 8, 2015, the Commission considered this matter. Commission staff recommended approval of the tariff revisions with an effective date of December 23, 2015. Finding the proposed revisions to be just and reasonable, the Commission voted unanimously to approve the tariff revisions. It is therefore

ORDERED, that MidAmerican's request to revise its Clause ECA – Energy Cost Adjustment tariff is hereby granted. It is further

ORDERED, that the above-mentioned tariff revision is approved, effective on and after December 23, 2015.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2015.

**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, electronically or by mail.

By: Karen E. Cremer

Date: 12/09/2015

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BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

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CHRIS NELSON, Chairman

Kristie Fiegen  
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