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Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen
Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
State Capitol Building
500 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-5070

RE: Docket No. EL14-072
Compliance Filing – Report on Certain Facilities Placed Into Service

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

On June 3, 2015, MidAmerican Energy Company (“MidAmerican”) filed a Joint Motion for Approval of Settlement Stipulation in Docket No. EL14-072, and the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission (“Commission”) approved the Joint Motion for Approval of Settlement Stipulation on June 17, 2015. As part of the Settlement Stipulation, MidAmerican filed verification that the Highland Wind project and the Southland Substation (“Facilities”) were placed into service prior to December 31, 2015. *See* Electric Settlement Stipulation, Section III., paragraphs 1 and 5, and December 4, 2015, Compliance Filing – Verification Certain Facilities Placed into Service.

As outlined in the Settlement Stipulation, MidAmerican is required to also file a report no later than January 31, 2016, identifying the actual costs associated with the Facilities and comparing those to the costs included in rates in this proceeding. If the actual costs of the Facilities are less than those costs included in rates, MidAmerican and Staff will recalculate the rates based on these final costs and MidAmerican will refund customers’ overcharges.

Pursuant to the Settlement Stipulation, MidAmerican provides the following reporting of the actual costs of the Facilities. As demonstrated below, the actual costs of the Facilities exceed those costs included in rates and a recalculation of rates is not necessary.

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Total costs of Facilities included in Rate Case: **\$832,152,071.61**

Total costs of Facilities on December 31, 2015: **\$838,868,862.51**

A breakdown of the actual costs of the Facilities is as follows:

Facility	Description	Balance at 12/31/2015
	Highland Wind Farm	\$811,246,758.23
	Southland: Construct New 345kV Sub	\$27,622,104.28

Please contact me at 563-333-8006, if there are any questions regarding the filing.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jennifer S. Moore

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Enclosure