

South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
Docket No. EL22-003
MidAmerican Energy Company
First Data Requests

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- 1-3. Refer to MidAmerican's Response to Staff's Data Request 1-2 in Docket EL21-005. Provide an update regarding the MISO ROE refunds and quantify the amount South Dakota customers have received thus far and the amount included for the upcoming recovery period.

Response:

MidAmerican includes certain MISO transmission costs in Rider TCR, of which only Schedule 26 and Schedule 26-A are impacted by the MISO ROE refunds. These schedules are subject to an adjustment to the ROE authorized by the SDPUC in Docket EL14-072. The authorized ROE is 9.25% and the adjustments ensure that MidAmerican's recoveries in South Dakota are based on the authorized ROE, which is less than the FERC-allowed ROE. Therefore, no refunds have been required attributable to MidAmerican's investments in projects qualifying for recovery under Schedule 26 and 26-A.

MISO Schedules 26 and 26-A include recovery of investments of other MISO Transmission Owners. During 2021 MISO processed refunds for the period of September 27, 2016 through December 31, 2019 and in January 2022 MISO processed the refunds for the period of January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020. This completed the FERC ordered transmission resettlements in accordance with Order 569-B issued in Docket No. EL14-12. MISO is preparing the refund report for those resettlements that will be filed at FERC within the coming months.

MidAmerican has received refunds from MISO for amounts paid through Schedules 26 and 26-A on behalf of MidAmerican's entire retail load in all three state jurisdictions (Iowa, Illinois and South Dakota). These refunds reduce charges under those rate schedules in the months received. The portion of the total ROE refunds attributable to MidAmerican's retail load in South Dakota is \$709.91. No further refunds are expected.