

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE REQUEST BY MONTANA-DAKOTA UTILITIES CO., A SUBSIDIARY OF MDU RESOURCES GROUP INC., FOR APPROVAL OF AN ELECTIC SERVICE AGREEMENT UNDER RATE 45 BETWEEN MONTANA-DAKOTA UTILITIES CO., A SUBSIDIARY OF MDU RESOURCES INC., AND LEOLA DATA CENTER LLC	DOCKET NO. EL24-028
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PETITION TO INTERVENE

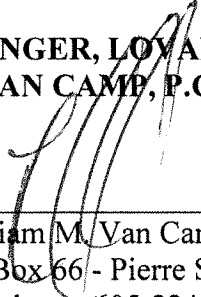
Leola Data Center (“Data Center”), through undersigned counsel, files this Petition to Intervene (“Petition”) in the above captioned docket before the Commission. In support of its Petition, Data Center states as follows:

1. Data Center petitions to intervene pursuant to SDCL 1-26-17.1 and ARSD 20:10:01:15.02, .03 and .05.
2. Data Center is a South Dakota Authorized Foreign Limited Liability Company with its principal place of business in Issaquah, Washington.
3. Data Center has filed, in Commission Docket No. EL 24-027, seeking electrical service from Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (“MDU”) near Leola, South Dakota as a new customer. This location is within the territorial service area of FEM Electrical Association, Inc.
4. Data Center wishes to receive its electrical services from MDU pursuant to an Electrical Services Agreement and MDU’s Rate 45 tariff.
5. Data Center has a unique and direct pecuniary interest in the docket and its approval as the intended customer under the Electric Service Agreement before the Commission.

WHEREFORE, Data Center requests that its Petition to Intervene be granted.

Dated this 22nd day of August, 2024.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

William M. Van Camp, of Olinger, Lovald McCahren & Van Camp, P.C., hereby certifies that on the 22nd day of August, 2024, he filed and served a true and correct copy of the foregoing in the above-captioned action via the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission's electronic filing system on the following:

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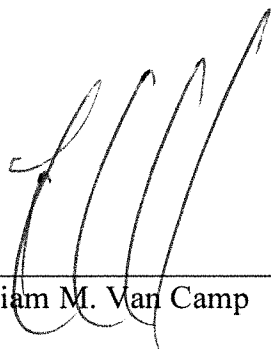
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