

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

**IN THE MATTER OF MIDAMERICAN ENERGY) ORDER ASSESSING FILING FEE
COMPANY'S APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF ITS)
2025 RECONCILIATION AND 2026 TRANSMISSION) EL26-002
COST RECOVERY FACTORS)**

On February 13, 2026, the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received MidAmerican Energy Company's (MidAmerican) filing for approval of tariff revisions regarding its Transmission Cost Recovery (TCR) 2025 Reconciliation and 2026 New Factor Calculation. MidAmerican's TCR mechanism was established in the company's most recent rate case, EL14-072. With this filing, MidAmerican is establishing new TCR rates based on true ups to the actual over/under recovery from 2025, 2026 forecasted Midcontinent Independent System Operator transmission expense, and the forecasted over/under recovery for January through March of 2026. MidAmerican requests the new TCR factors have an effective date of April 2, 2026.

On February 19, 2026, the Commission electronically transmitted notice of the filing and the intervention deadline of March 6, 2026, to interested entities and persons on the Commission's PUC Weekly Filings electronic listserv. No petitions to intervene or comments have been filed to date.

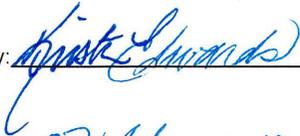
The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL 49-1A-8 and 49-34A-25.1 through 49-34A-25.4.

SDCL 49-1A-8 authorizes the Commission to require a deposit of up to \$50,000 in the Commission's Regulatory Assessment Fee Fund to defray Commission expenses incident to analyzing and ruling upon this type of filing.

At its regularly scheduled meeting on February 23, 2026, the Commission considered this matter. Commission staff requested the Commission assess a filing fee up to the statutory limit to account for actual expenses incurred in review of this filing commencing from the filing date. The Commission voted unanimously to assess a filing fee up to the statutory limit of \$50,000 to account for actual expenses incurred in review of this filing commencing from the filing date. It is therefore

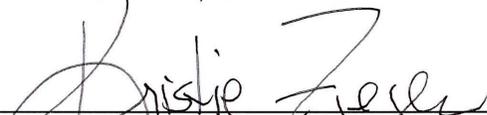
ORDERED, that MidAmerican shall be assessed a filing fee pursuant to SDCL 49-1A-8 for actual expenses incurred by the Commission commencing from the filing date not to exceed \$50,000.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 23rd day of February 2026.

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: <u></u>
Date: <u>23 February 2026</u>

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


CHRIS NELSON, Chairman


KRISTIE FIEGEN, Commissioner


GARY HANSON, Commissioner