Docket Number:	NG22-011
Subject Matter:	First Data Request
Request to:	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Montana-Dakota or Company)
Request from:	South Dakota Public Utilities Commission Staff
Date of Request:	December 15, 2022
Responses Due:	January 5, 2023

1-5. On page 3 of the filing, Montana-Dakota states that it is projecting the end date of the surcharge to be November 2034, or ten years from the in-service date of the TBS. Confirm that per the Incremental Expansion Surcharge tariff provision, the surcharge will remain in effect until the net present value of the contribution requirement is collected.

Response:

Yes, the surcharge will remain in effect until the net present value of the contribution requirement is fully collected.