

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY) ORDER APPROVING
MONTANA-DAKOTA UTILITIES CO. FOR) TARIFF REVISIONS
APPROVAL OF TARIFF REVISIONS)
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) **EL07-021**

On June 14, 2007, Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. filed for approval to revise its Occasional Power Purchase Non-Time Differentiated Rate 95, Short-Term Power Purchase Time Differentiated Rate 96 and Long-Term Power Purchase Time Differentiated Rate 97. The filing is made in compliance with the Commission's Order in F-3365 and in accordance with the Special Terms and Conditions of these tariffs which state that the rate schedules will be reviewed annually and revised when necessary. The revised tariff sheets are as follows:

Section No. 3, 22nd Revised Sheet No. 28, cancelling 21st Revised Sheet No. 28
Section No. 3, 23rd Revised Sheet No. 29, cancelling 22nd Revised Sheet No. 29
Section No. 3, 23rd Revised Sheet No. 30, cancelling 22nd Revised Sheet No. 30

At its regularly scheduled meeting of August 7, 2007, the Commission considered approval of the application. Commission Staff recommended approval.

The Commission finds that it has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapter 49-34A. Further, the revisions are just and reasonable and shall be approved. As the Commission's final decision in this matter, it is therefore

ORDERED, that MDU's revised tariffs as described above are approved and shall be effective for service rendered on and after August 7, 2007.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 14th day of August, 2007.

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.	
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BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

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DUSTIN M. JOHNSON, Chairman

Gary Hanson
GARY HANSON, Commissioner

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STEVE KOLBECK, Commissioner