South Dakota Public Utilities Commission Docket EL15-026 MidAmerican Energy Company Data Request No. 1-6

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1-6) Refer to the Rate QF Summary. Explain why the company is not using the "File Rate 2015" as its "Proposed Rate 2015" when this column of data was never docketed and tariff revisions approved by the commission.

## **Response:**

On December 17, 2014, MidAmerican submitted a supplemental report which supported the rates shown in the "File Rate 2015" column of the Rate QF Summary (Attachment 2). However, since MidAmerican had no customers on this rate, MidAmerican chose not to file a request to revise the rates that had previously been approved and became effective on August 15, 2014. MidAmerican used the rates shown in the "Proposed Rate 2015" column of the Rate QF Summary (Attachment 2) to update the rates on the tariff sheets filed in Docket No. EL15-026 because they reflect the most up-to-date capacity charges.