BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF TARIFF REVISIONS	))))	**ORDER APPROVING TARIFF REVISIONS** **NG02-005**

On August 8, 2002, the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received an application from MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican) requesting approval of its gas tariff sheet change. According to the filing, MidAmerican proposes to revise the back of its standard gas bill form. The revised tariff sheet is as follows:

SDPUC Gas Sales Tariff
Section No. VI

Seventh Revised Sheet No. 3 Canceling Sixth Revised Sheet No. 3

At its regularly scheduled meeting of September 5, 2002, the Commission discussed final approval of the application. Commission Staff recommended approval of the bill format tariff sheet.

The Commission finds that it has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapter 49-34A, specifically, 49-34A-2, 49-34A-4, 49-34A-6, 49-34A-8, and 49-34A-10 and ARSD 20:10:17:03. The Commission finds the bill format change to the customers' bills is just and reasonable and approves the change. It is therefore

ORDERED, that the above-referenced revised tariff is approved and is effective for service rendered on and after September 6, 2002.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 19th day of September, 2002.

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, by facsimile or by first class mail, in properly addressed envelopes, with charges prepaid thereon.

By: Delaine Kolbo

Date: 9/19/02

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BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

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