

July 23, 2007

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen
Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
State Capitol Building
500 East Capitol
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

Re: Fuel Clause Adjustment
Docket No. EL07-

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

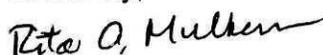
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Montana-Dakota), a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., herewith respectfully files an original and two (2) copies of a fuel adjustment, statement attached hereto, in accordance with its Fuel Clause Rate 58. The attached statement shows the following:

Cost/Kwh - 3 months ended June 30, 2007	\$0.021835
Base Cost/Kwh Included in Current Rates	<u>0.014704</u>
Increase(Decrease) from Base Cost	\$0.007131
 Net Billing Adjustment after 90% Provision	 \$0.006418

Montana-Dakota will, unless the Commission otherwise orders, apply the .6418 cents per Kwh to all bills rendered during the month of August 2007. This is an increase of .1944 cents from the July level.

Please acknowledge receipt by stamping or initialing the duplicate copy of this letter attached hereto and returning the same in the enclosed self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Sincerely,



Rita A. Mulkern
Regulatory Analysis Manager

Attachment
cc: D. Ball