

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY) ORDER APPROVING TARIFF
MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY FOR) REVISIONS
APPROVAL OF TARIFF REVISIONS)
REGARDING EXCESS FLOW VALVES) NG99-003

On August 9, 1999, the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received an application from MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican) for approval of Section No. V, First Revised Sheet No. 12, canceling Original Issue Sheet No. 12 of its South Dakota gas tariff. The tariff change includes an excess flow valve, which is available for purchase by customers for installation when the service line is installed or during replacement of service.

On September 8, 1999, at its regularly scheduled meeting, Commission Staff reported that it had reviewed MidAmerican's filing and recommended approval of the above referenced tariff change. The Commission finds that it has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL 49-34A-2, 49-34A-4, 49-34A-6, 49-34A-8, 49-34A-10, 49-34A-11, and 49-34A-12. The Commission finds that the revision to the tariff is just and reasonable and shall be approved. As the Commission's final decision in this matter, it is therefore

ORDERED that revised tariff Section No. V, First Revised Sheet No. 12, canceling Original Issue Sheet No. 12, is hereby approved and is effective for service rendered on and after September 9, 1999.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 14th day of September, 1999.

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.
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Date: <u>9/14/99</u>
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BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

James A. Burg
JAMES A. BURG, Chairman

Pam Nelson
PAM NELSON, Commissioner

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LASKA SCHOENFELDER, Commissioner