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May 17, 2001

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.
2000 Electric Operations
Annual Report**

Case No. PU-399-01-186

I move the Commission execute an \$8,000 contract with Snavelly King Majoros O'Connor & Lee, Inc. for consulting services in Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.'s 2000 Electric Operations Annual Report investigation, Case No. PU-399-01-186.

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