

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.
Natural Gas Rate Increase
Application**

Case No. PU-04-97

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED MAIL

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

Sharon Helbling deposes and says that:

she is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and, on the **28th day of April, 2004**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **two** envelopes with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and each containing a photocopy of:

Order

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

Douglas W Schulz
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co
400 N 4th St
Bismarck ND 58501

Cert. No. 7002 2410 0003 4912 5673

Dan Kuntz
P O Box 1695
Bismarck ND 58502-1695

Cert. No. 7002 2410 0003 4912 5680

Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **28th day of April, 2004**.

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Notary Public