

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 **23rd day of September day of September, 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:

Don Ball Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. 400 N 4 th St Bismarck ND 58501 Cert. No. 7001 2260 0001 3517 0807	Dan Kuntz Montana-Dakota Utilities Co 400 N 4 th St Bismarck ND 58501 Cert. No. 7001 2260 0001 3517 0814
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Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **23rd day of September day of
September, 2004**.

Notary Public

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