

Submission Description: (doc-less) Motion to Intervene of Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc. under EL10-41-000.

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EL10-41-000 Formal Complaint

Filing Party/Contacts:

Filing Party	Signer (Representative)	Other Contact (Principal)
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Basis for Intervening:

The Midwest ISO is a FERC-approved Regional Transmission Organization that currently administers region-wide Day-Ahead and Real-Time Energy and Operating Reserve Markets, and is the Transmission Operator and Balancing Authority for the transmission system that it operates in the Midwest. The Midwest ISO manages one of the world's largest energy markets using security constrained economic dispatch of electricity and administers Financial Transmission Rights markets as well as Locational Marginal Pricing at over 1,400 nodal locations.

On February 9, 2010, Tatanka Wind Power, LLC (â€Tatankaâ€) filed a complaint against Montana-Dakota Utilities Company, a division of the MDU Resource Group, Inc., (â€MDUâ€) alleging that MDU failed to repay Tatanka for costs incurred for network upgrades. Tatanka further alleged that MDU's refusal to make such a payment to Tatanka constituted a breach of MDU's obligations under the currently effective Amended and Restated Large Generator Interconnection Agreement (â€LGIAâ€) among Tatanka, MDU and the Midwest ISO. The LGIA was filed as Second Revised Service Agreement No. 1519 under the Midwest ISO FERC Electric Tariff, Third Revised Vol. No. 1. Therefore, the Midwest ISO may be affected by the outcome of this proceeding, and the Midwest ISO's interest in the outcome of this proceeding cannot be adequately represented by any other entity.