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August 25, 2011

Tamie Aberle
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.
400 North Fourth Street
Bismarck ND 58501

RE: PU-11-396
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a division of MDU Resources Group, Inc.
Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity
Application

Dear Ms. Aberle:

At its regular meeting on August 24, 2011, the North Dakota Public Service Commission passed a motion imposing a filing fee of \$125,000 regarding the application of Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. for a certificate of public convenience and necessity for an 88 MW combustion turbine, Case No. PU-11-396. A copy of the Commission motion is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Patrick Fahn, Director
Compliance and Competitive Markets

Enclosure
Cc: Daniel Kuntz

APPROVED

DATE: 8-24-11

MOTION

August 24, 2011

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I move the Commission impose a filing fee of \$125,000 regarding the application of Montana-Dakota Utilities, Co. for a certificate of public convenience and necessity for an 88 MW combustion turbine, Case No. PU-11-396.

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