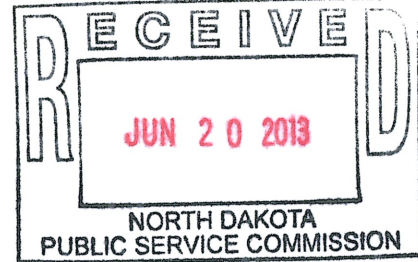


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Executive Secretary  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
State Capitol Building  
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Re: General Provisions Rate 100  
Rules and Policies for Implementing  
Master Metering Restrictions  
Case No. PU-13-\_\_\_\_\_

Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Montana-Dakota), a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., herewith respectfully files an original and seven (7) copies of the following tariff sheets:

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- 6<sup>th</sup> Revised Sheet No. 1.1

Montana-Dakota's General Provisions Rate 100,

- 1<sup>st</sup> Revised Sheet 49.8
- 1<sup>st</sup> Revised Sheet 49.9 (Reserved for Future Use)

Montana-Dakota requests approval of a change in Paragraph 14-Rules and Policies for Implementing Master Metering Restrictions to reflect the removal of language referencing the North Dakota Administrative Rule Section 69-09-02-37.

The master metering prohibition was repealed by the Commission in Case No. PU-12-162 and became effective April 1, 2013 as authorized by the legislature. Previously, this rule addressed exceptions related to electric master metering that was prohibited in the State of North Dakota. Montana-Dakota was required under the repeal of Rule 69-09-02-37 to make modifications to its General Provisions Rate 100. Modifications to the tariff consist of removing any references to master metering prohibitions and exceptions.

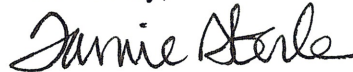
s/b \$50 per T. Aberle. MRD

Montana-Dakota submitted a check for the amount of \$550 in accordance with North Dakota Century Code Section 49-05-05 on January 10, 2013. This payment will cover the filing fee associated with this miscellaneous filing.

Please acknowledge receipt by stamping or initialing the duplicate copy of this letter, attached hereto, and returning the same in the enclosed self-addressed, stamped, envelope.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 701-222-7856 or [tamie.aberle@mdu.com](mailto:tamie.aberle@mdu.com).

Sincerely,



Tamie Aberle  
Director of Regulatory Affairs



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#### 14. MODIFICATION OF RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS:

Company reserves the right to modify its rates, rules, and regulations or other provisions now or hereafter in effect, in any manner permitted by law.

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#### ~~14. RULES AND POLICIES FOR IMPLEMENTING MASTER METERING RESTRICTIONS:~~

- ~~i. Any new commercial or residential building for which the physical labor involved in the erection of such building starts on or after November 1, 1980, if the said building contains more than one unit or contains facilities for multiple uses and the occupant of each unit or facility controls a portion of the electric energy used in the unit or facility.~~
- ~~ii. Any substantially remodeled commercial or residential building for which the physical labor involved with the remodeling of the said building starts on or after November 1, 1980, if the said building contains more than one unit or contains facilities for multiple uses and the occupant of each unit or facility controls a portion of the electric energy used in the unit or facility.~~
- ~~iii. This rule does not apply to hotels, motels, dormitories, nursing homes, homes for the elderly, facilities of a similar nature, or to low income rental housing for which the cost of electricity is included in the rent, and for which the amount of the rental payment is based upon the tenant's ability to pay. Such buildings and facilities may be served by a master meter.~~

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~~iv. Electric service to each unit or facility in a new or substantially remodeled building which is subject to this rule shall be provided in accordance with the applicable rate schedule for such service in the area in which the building is located.~~

~~v. Electric service to buildings which are subject to this rule shall be on an individually metered basis, unless the owner or builder of such building presents the Company with written evidence that the North Dakota Public Service Commission has approved master metering of electric service to the building on the basis that the owners or contractors costs of purchasing and installing facilities for separate metering together with the Company costs of purchasing and installing separate meters exceed the long term benefits resulting therefrom.~~

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