

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY	DOCKET NOS. 199 IAC 19.4(15)"h"(3) 199 IAC 20.4(15)"h"(3) (RMU-03-2)
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ORDER GRANTING REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD NOTICE

(Issued August 25, 2003)

On July 18, 2003, the Utilities Board (Board) issued an order in Docket No. RMU-03-2 adopting a new standard notice in 199 IAC 19.4(15)"h"(3) and 20.4(15)"h"(3) to be provided to customers who are subject to disconnection of gas or electric service. Notice of the Board action has been published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin. The amendments adopting the new standard notice form are to be effective September 10, 2003.

Subparagraphs 19.4(15)"h"(3) and 20.4(15)"h"(3) require that a utility proposing to provide a notice different than the standard notice to customers must obtain Board approval of the non-standard notice. On August 11, 2003, MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican) filed a request for approval of a non-standard notice. MidAmerican states that the non-standard notice is virtually identical with the standard form except for a change in the heading and other minor changes.

The Board has reviewed the non-standard notice proposed by MidAmerican and finds that it contains no substantive changes from the standard form adopted by

the Board and effective September 10, 2003. The Board will approve the non-standard notice proposed by MidAmerican.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

The "Request For Approval Of Notice Of Rights And Remedies" filed by MidAmerican Energy Company on August 11, 2003, is granted.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Diane Munns

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 25th day of August, 2003.