

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY	DOCKET NO. PGA-07-39
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**ORDER DOCKETING ANNUAL PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT
RECONCILIATION FILING FOR FURTHER REVIEW**

(Issued October 26, 2007)

On September 28, 2007, MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican) filed with the Utilities Board (Board) its annual reconciliation of gas costs for the 12-month period ending August 31, 2007, in accordance with 199 IAC 19.10(7). The filing has been identified as Docket No. PGA-07-39. On October 10, 2007, MidAmerican filed a revision to the reconciliation. On October 18, 2007, the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice (Consumer Advocate) filed a conditional objection to the filing. Consumer Advocate indicates that the filing is voluminous and complex and it will need additional time to complete a review of the filing.

The Board will docket the reconciliation filing but will not set a procedural schedule at this time. Consumer Advocate shall file a report with the Board within 30 days indicating whether Consumer Advocate believes a procedural schedule should be established.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. Docket No. PGA-07-39 is docketed for further review.

2. The Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice shall inform the Board within 30 days of the date of this order whether Consumer Advocate believes a procedural schedule is required.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ John R. Norris

/s/ Krista K. Tanner

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 26th day of October, 2007.