

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY	DOCKET NO. TF-07-220 (SPU-04-1)
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ORDER ESTABLISHING DATE FOR RESPONSES TO REVISED TARIFF FILING

(Issued April 15, 2008)

On December 27, 2007, MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican) filed with the Utilities Board (Board) a proposed compliance tariff designed to establish a permanent small volume gas transportation service to replace the existing Small Volume Gas Transportation Pilot Project service. On January 7, 2008, Iowa Joint Utility Management Program, Inc. (IJUMP), filed comments regarding the proposed small volume gas transportation tariff. On January 18, 2008, Cornerstone Energy LLC, d/b/a Constellation NewEnergy-Gas Division (Cornerstone), filed comments regarding MidAmerican's proposed tariff. On January 25, 2008, the Board issued an order docketing the proposed tariff and directing that MidAmerican respond to a hypothetical described in the order.

On January 24, 2008, MidAmerican filed an interim report and comments concerning the progress of discussions with suppliers and in response to the comments filed by IJUMP and Cornerstone. On February 4, 2008, IJUMP filed a reply to the interim report and MidAmerican's comments. On February 8, 2008, MidAmerican filed its response to the hypothetical proposed in the January 25, 2008,

order and an update to confidential schedules 4 and 5 filed in support of the proposed tariffs on December 27, 2007.

On February 27, 2008, the Board issued an order scheduling a conference to allow the parties to discuss the unresolved issues and respond to Board questions. The conference was held as scheduled and there appeared to be an agreement on most of the provisions in the proposed tariff, except for the issue of capacity release.

On April 14, 2008, MidAmerican filed revised tariff sheets based upon discussions with the parties. MidAmerican indicates that not all of the issues raised by the other parties have been resolved.

The Board will establish a date for responses and replies to responses to allow the other parties an opportunity to address the provisions in the proposed permanent small volume gas transportation tariff, as revised on April 14, 2008. The Board will also establish a date for replies to the responses. Once the Board has received the responses and replies, it will review the proposed permanent tariff, as revised, and issue an order addressing the proposed tariff. Since it appears that this process will delay the effective date of the permanent service beyond May 1, 2008, parties should address any concerns they have with that delay in their responses.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. Responses to the revised proposed small volume gas transportation tariff filed by MidAmerican Energy Company on April 14, 2008, shall be filed on or before April 21, 2008.

2. Replies to the responses to be filed on April 16, 2008, shall be filed on or before April 25, 2008.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ John R. Norris

/s/ Krista K. Tanner

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Darrell Hanson

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 15th day April, 2008.