

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY	DOCKET NOS. PGA-08-30, PGA-08-39
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**ORDER APPROVING ANNUAL PURCHASED
GAS ADJUSTMENT AND CLOSING DOCKETS**

(Issued October 1, 2008)

On July 31, 2008, MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican) filed with the Utilities Board (Board) its annual purchased gas adjustment (PGA) for the 12-month period beginning September 1, 2008, in accordance with 199 IAC 19.10(2). The annual PGA filing restates each volumetric factor of the PGA formula to be charged to customers during the next PGA period. The annual PGA filing was identified as Docket No. PGA-08-30.

On August 19, 2008, the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice (Consumer Advocate) filed a conditional objection to the filing. Consumer Advocate indicated it needed additional time to complete a review of the information supporting the annual PGA volumetric factors. On August 25, 2008, the Board issued an order docketing the annual PGA based upon the objection filed by Consumer Advocate.

On September 4, 2008, MidAmerican filed its September 2008 PGA filing. The September 2008 PGA filing was identified as Docket No. PGA-08-39. On September 12, 2008, the Board docketed the September 2008 PGA filing to provide

for the proper tracking of volumes used in the PGA factors while Consumer Advocate was reviewing the annual PGA volumetric factors in Docket No. PGA-08-30.

On September 16, 2008, Consumer Advocate withdrew its conditional objection. Consumer Advocate states that it has no issues with the filing that require Board resolution.

The Board has reviewed the annual PGA volumetric factors filed by MidAmerican in Docket No. PGA-08-30 and finds the factors are consistent with the requirements of subrule 19.10(2). The Board will approve the annual PGA volumetric factors filed and close Docket No. PGA-08-30. The Board will also close Docket No. PGA-08-39 since the annual volumes have now been approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. The annual PGA factors filed by MidAmerican Energy Company on July 31, 2008, are approved.
2. Docket No. PGA-08-30 is closed.
3. Docket No. PGA-08-39 is closed.

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 1st day of October, 2008.