
BEFORE THE MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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In the Matter of a Request for Approval by **Minnesota Power Company (MP)** to Revise its Commercial/Industrial Dual Fuel Interruptible Electric Service

The above entitled matter has been considered by the Commission and the following disposition made:

1. Approved all of MP's proposed revision to its Commercial/Industrial Dual Fuel Interruptible Electric Service tariff except for Service Condition No. 4, which pertains to the Company's liability policy for its Dual Fuel Service.

2. Directed the Company to revise the language MP proposed for Service Condition No. 9 as follows:

Those customers who fail to interrupt their interruptible loads after being notified to do so by the Company shall be responsible for all costs incurred by the Company due to such failure, including but not limited to penalties assessed the Company by the Mid-Continent Area Power Pool in the event the Company experiences a system capacity deficiency. Those costs shall be charged on a pro rata basis to all customers who did not interrupt as requested. Such customers and shall also be billed as follows:

3. Directed MP to submit, as a compliance filing, new tariff sheets reflecting the Commission's

decisions regarding MP's instant petition.

The Commission agrees with and adopts the recommendations of the Department of Public Service which are attached and hereby incorporated in the Order.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

Burl W. Haar
Executive Secretary

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