

BEFORE THE MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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DOCKET NO. G-004/M-03-1533

In the Matter of a Request by Great Plains Natural Gas Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc.,
for Approval of a Miscellaneous Rate Change to Implement a Franchise Fee Rider for the City of
Granite Falls, Minnesota, Effective January 1, 2004

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

Approved, as filed by the Company under the expedited franchise fee approval process set forth in Docket No. G-004/M-99-1326.

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

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

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Executive Secretary

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