## BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

| In the Matter of the Formal Com-    | ) | Application No. FC-1327      |
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| plaint of the Nebraska Public       | ) |                              |
| Advocate, seeking a determination   | ) |                              |
| that Kinder Morgan, Inc. and/or its | ) |                              |
| successor in interest, SourceGas    | ) |                              |
| Distribution, LLC improperly        | ) | ASSESSMENT ORDER NO. HS-0017 |
| implemented, billed and received    | ) |                              |
| payment for interim and final rates | ) |                              |
| in NG-0036 for which customers are  | ) |                              |
| entitled to a credit or refund from | ) |                              |
| Kinder Morgan, Inc. and/or          | ) |                              |
| SourceGas Distribution, LLC.        | ) | Entered: September 9, 2008   |

## BY THE COMMISSION:

The Commission has received a letter dated August 28, 2008, from Harding & Shultz (HS) and Public Advocate's Consultant services invoices associated with the above-captioned docket, totaling \$460.00. Commission staff has reviewed the invoice and found it to conform to the Agreement for the Base Public Advocate Services dated November 15, 2004, subsequently amended, between the Commission and Harding & Shultz, as well as a Memorandum of Understanding dated May 11, 2007. Commission staff recommends the Commission approve assessment of the expenses, reflected on the invoice from Kinder Morgan, Inc., n/k/a/Source Gas Distribution, LLC (SourceGas), pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. sec. 66-1840.

## OPINION AND FINDINGS

Upon the recommendation of the Commission staff, the Commission finds that assessment from Source Gas of the expenses reflected in the above-mentioned invoice from Harding & Shultz should be approved. The Commission further finds that the Commission should pay the invoice upon receipt of payment by SourceGas.

## ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Commission that the above-mentioned assessment is approved and hereby made and that payment of the above-mentioned amount be made upon receipt of payment by SourceGas.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 9th day of September, 2008.

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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ATTEST:

Executive Director

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