

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Formal) Application No. FC-1357
Complaint of Marilyn M. Reeser,)
Grand Island v. NorthWestern)
Energy, Sioux Falls, South Dakota,) ORDER WAIVING FILING FEE
alleging unfair gas usage charges.)
)
) Entered: March 1, 2011

BY THE COMMISSION:

On February 24, 2011, the Nebraska Public Service Commission (Commission) received a Formal Complaint from Marilyn M. Reeser, (Complainant) Grand Island, Nebraska, against NorthWestern Energy (Respondent), Sioux Falls, South Dakota, alleging unfair gas usage charges.

Complainant did not file the appropriate filing fee with the Formal Complaint as required by the Commission's Rules of Procedure.¹ The Complainant requested a waiver of the filing fee due to inability to pay the fee citing financial hardship.

The Commission finds that a waiver of the filing fee should be granted in order to aid the agency in resolving the pending dispute between the parties. The Commission further finds that such a waiver would not prejudice any other party and is unique to the present situation.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the filing fee in the present matter should be waived and the Complaint should be considered filed effective March 1, 2011.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 1st day of March, 2011.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Aune Boyle
Gerald Thompson
Red Johnson

//s// Frank E. Landis
//s// Tim Schram

Tim Schram
Chairman:

ATTEST:

Shirley J. [Signature]
Executive Director

¹ See Neb. Admin. Code, Title 291, Ch. 1 § 025.