

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the joint)	Application No. NG-0039
application of Kinder Morgan,)	
Inc., Houston, Texas; KM Retail)	
Utilities Holdco LLC, Houston,)	
Texas; Source Gas Distribution)	
LLC, Lakewood, Colorado, Source)	
Gas Holdings LLC, Stamford,)	
Connecticut; and Source Gas LLC,)	
Stamford, Connecticut; seeking)	ASSESSMENT ORDER NO. HS-009
approval of (1) the proposed)	
transfer of Kinder Morgan,)	
Inc.'s Nebraska Certificate of)	
Convenience and utility assets)	
to Source Gas Distribution LLC;)	
and (2) the proposed change of)	
control of Source Gas)	
Distribution LLC from Kinder)	
Morgan, Inc. to Source Gas LLC.)	Entered: December 9, 2008

BY THE COMMISSION:

The Commission has received a letter from Harding & Shultz dated December 1, 2008 and an invoice for services of Public Advocate's Consultant for costs associated with the above-captioned docket, totaling \$312.00. Commission staff has reviewed the invoice and found it to conform to the Agreement for the Base Public Advocate Services dated November 15, 2004, between the Commission and Harding & Shultz and the Engagement Confirmation for the Public Advocate Consultant dated July 31, 2008.

Effective May 14, 2007, the Nebraska Certificate of Convenience and utility assets of Kinder Morgan, Inc., were transferred to SourceGas Distribution, LLC (SourceGas), in accordance with approval rendered by this Commission in Application No. NG-0039.¹ Commission staff recommends the Commission approve assessment of the expenses reflected on the invoice to SourceGas, pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. sec. 66-1840.

¹ See Nebraska Public Service Commission Application No. NG-0039, *In the Matter of the joint application of Kinder Morgan, Inc., Houston, Texas; KM Retail Utilities Holdco LLC, Houston, Texas; Source Gas Distribution LLC, Lakewood, Colorado, Source Gas Holdings LLC, Stamford, Connecticut; and Source Gas LLC, Stamford, Connecticut; seeking approval of (1) the proposed transfer of Kinder Morgan, Inc.'s Nebraska Certificate of Convenience and utility assets to Source Gas Distribution LLC; and (2) the proposed change of control of Source Gas Distribution LLC from Kinder Morgan, Inc. to Source Gas LLC*, Order entered February 27, 2007.

O P I N I O N A N D F I N D I N G S

Upon the recommendation of the Commission staff, the Commission finds that assessment to SourceGas 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.

O R D E R

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

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

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chair

ATTEST:

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ATTEST:

John Burstein

Deputy Director