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MidAmerican Energy Services, LLC
4299 NW Urbandale Drive
Urbandale, Iowa 50322

June 2, 2015

NG-0082

Executive Director
Nebraska Public Service Commission
300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street
PO Box 94927
Lincoln, NE 68509-4927

Re: Nebraska Competitive Natural Gas Provider Application, Neb. Rev. Stat. § 66-1849(1).

Enclosed is one (1) original and eight (8) copies of the Competitive Natural Gas Provider Application for MidAmerican Energy Services, LLC. I have also enclosed the requisite $200 application fee for this submittal.

MidAmerican Energy Company's unregulated retail services initially entered competitive retail energy markets in 1999 as a division within MidAmerican Energy Company, whose primary business is to provide regulated electric and gas utility service. Due to the evolution of the unregulated business plan and market expansion since that time, corporate leadership has determined this division will be transferred to a non-regulated affiliate within Berkshire Hathaway Energy. This new company is MidAmerican Energy Services, LLC.

MidAmerican Energy Services, LLC, is seeking to qualify for unsecured credit as a stand-alone entity. The break-out of the unregulated division's balance sheets, income statements, and cash flow statements for 2012, 2013 and 2014 are included with this application. MidAmerican Energy Company's consolidated 10K reports can be found at http://www.berkshirehathawayenergyco.com/investors/financial-filings for further information. Guarantor financials for Berkshire Hathaway Energy, if needed, can also be found at this location.

Please note our Exhibit J: Financial Capability is to be treated as confidential. Our filing is accompanied by Motion for Protective Order for confidential treatment for this Exhibit J and a public version is provided as well.

If any additional information is needed, please contact me at (515) 242-3488 or cbaird-forristall@midamerican.com.

Sincerely,

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Carrie Baird-Forristall
Regulatory Analyst

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General Information

Provide the following general information regarding Applicant.	
Company Name:	MidAmerican Energy Services, LLC
Address:	PO Box 657 – DMR8, Des Moines, IA 50306
Telephone No.:	(800) 432-8574
Fax No.:	(563) 333-8563
Website:	www.midamericanchoice.com
24HR Telephone No:	(515) 238-1372 (gas operations on-call)
Contact Name (Regulatory):	Carrie Baird-Forristall
Address:	4299 NW Urbandale Drive, Urbandale, Iowa, 50322
Telephone No.:	(515) 242-3488
Fax No.:	(515) 281-2927
E-mail Address:	cbaird-forristall@midamerican.com
Contact Name (Legal):	Carla Meiners
Address:	4299 NW Urbandale Drive, Urbandale, Iowa, 50322
Telephone No.:	(515) 281-2782
Fax No.:	(515) 242-4398
E-mail Address:	csmeiners@midamerican.com

Provide a description of the business structure of Applicant:
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****Attach evidence of authority to do business in Nebraska, certificates of registration by the Nebraska Secretary of State for all trade names under which the applicant will operate, and the applicant's state of incorporation**

Please see Exhibit B: Certificates of Authority.

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Officers For complete list of Officers, please see Exhibit C.

Provide a list of the principal officers of Applicant who can provide information regarding operations in Nebraska:	
Name:	Jack P. Kelleher
Office/Title:	President
Address:	4299 NW Urbandale Drive, Urbandale, Iowa, 50322
Telephone No:	(515) 281-2339
Fax No:	(515) 281-2994
E-mail Address:	jpkelleher@midamerican.com
Name:	Paul J. Leighton
Office/Title:	Vice President & Secretary
Address:	4299 NW Urbandale Drive, Urbandale, Iowa, 50322
Telephone No:	(515) 242-4099
Fax No:	
E-mail Address:	pjleighton@midamerican.com
Name:	Thomas B. Specketer
Office/Title:	Vice President & Controller
Address:	666 Grand Avenue, Ste 500, Des Moines, Iowa, 50309
Telephone No:	(515) 281-2979
Fax No:	(515) 242-4261
E-mail Address:	tbspecketer@midamerican.com

Affiliates

Identify all affiliates of Applicant engaged in the provision of competitive natural gas services in Nebraska or any other state:	
Affiliate Name:	MidAmerican Energy Company - Unregulated Retail Services
Contact Name:	Carrie Baird-Forristall
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Contact Name:	
Address:	
Telephone No:	
Fax No:	
E-mail Address:	
Website:	
Affiliate Name:	
Contact Name:	
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Fax No:	
E-mail Address:	
Website:	

*Attach additional page if necessary.

For a complete list of all jurisdictions in which MidAmerican Energy Services, LLC, or any affiliated interest is, or is applying to be, certified or otherwise authorized to provide retail natural gas service, or retail/ wholesale electric services, please see Exhibit D: Jurisdictions of Operations.

Legal Actions and Complaints

List all legal actions and formal complaints pertaining to the provision of competitive natural gas services filed against the applicant or its affiliates at a public utility regulatory body other than the Commission that were pending in the 12 months prior to the date of the request for certificate, including identification of the title and number of applicable proceedings and a copy of the final orders in such proceedings or the citation to the website where the text of the orders can be found.
MidAmerican Energy Services, LLC, the applicant, any officer, director or principal has not been found liable for fraud, theft or larceny, deceit, or violations of any customer protection or deceptive trade laws in any state.
Identify any states and jurisdictions in which the applicant or an affiliate has had a license or certificate to supply competitive natural gas services suspended, revoked, or denied, or where the applicant has voluntarily withdrawn from providing service due to financial or operational reasons. Include identification of the title and number of any applicable proceedings and a copy of any final orders in such proceedings or the citation to the Website where the text of the orders can be found.
MidAmerican Energy Services, LLC, has no existing, pending or past rulings, judgments, contingent liabilities, impending revocation of authority, regulatory investigations, or any other matter of a material nature that could adversely impact its financial or operational status or which would adversely impact its ability to serve as a Competitive Natural Gas Provider in the State of Nebraska.

Operational Ability

Provide a roster of officers and directors, a description of the professional backgrounds of Applicant's principal managerial and technical personnel, an operational flow chart, and a description of the Applicant's facilities and the services it intends to render. Attach additional Exhibits as needed.
Please see Exhibit E: Officers; Exhibit F: Technical & Managerial Ability Requirements; Exhibit G: Key Technical Personnel; Exhibit H: Operational Flow Chart; and Exhibit I: Experience & Plans.

Financial Capability

At a minimum, Applicants are required to submit financial statements. The applicant must submit a balance sheet, statement of income, statement of cash flow, and, if applicable, a statement of shareholders' equity and the applicant's debt structure, including bond rating.

Please see Exhibit J: Financial Capability, which consists of MidAmerican Energy Company - Unregulated Retail Services financial statements from 2012-2014.

Other Information

Applicant should attach any further information that may assist the Commission in evaluating this application.

Signature of Applicant or Applicant's Attorney

J. P. Kelleher

Signature

Jack P. Kelleher

Print Name

President

Title

6/2/2015

Date

VERIFICATION

I, Jack P. Kelleher, being of proper age and duly sworn, states that I am the President of Applicant, that I have read the foregoing Application, that I am familiar with the contents thereof, and that such is true, accurate, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

J. P. Kelleher

Signature

Jack P. Kelleher

Print Name

President

Title

STATE OF Iowa)
) ss.
COUNTY OF Polk)

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 2nd day of June, 2015.

Witness my hand and official seal.

Deborah S Borchert

Notary Public

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Commission Number 720034
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