

Service Date: March 11, 1993

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE REGULATION
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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IN THE MATTER OF Inquiry on)	UTILITY DIVISION
Establishing Maintenance Standards)	DOCKET NO. 91.11.56
for Electric Utility Lines.)	ORDER NO. 5699

IN THE MATTER OF Inquiry on)	UTILITY DIVISION
Establishing Power Quality and)	
Nominal Voltage and Variance)	DOCKET NO. 91.11.57
Standards for Electric Utilities.)	ORDER NO. 5700

ORDER CLOSING DOCKETS

1. On February 19, 1992 the Public Service Commission (PSC) issued the above-entitled Notices of Inquiry (inquiries) requesting comments from all interested persons. By April 2, 1992, comments were received from Montana Power Company, Montana-Dakota Utilities Company, and Pacific Power and Light Company, three of the major public utilities providing electric service subject to PSC jurisdiction.

2. The PSC has determined from the comments received and its own research that reasonably sufficient information is now available to consider the inquiry stage (informal stage) of the matters closed. The PSC appreciates the efforts of those providing comments.

3. As a result of the information now available the PSC will consider whether administrative rulemaking, or some other appropriate formal action, if any, should be commenced. If the

PSC determines that formal administrative action is appropriate, all participants in these dockets (as well as all others customarily receiving notice of formal action) will be provided a copy of the proposals for formal comment.

4. IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the above-entitled dockets are closed.

Done and dated this 8th day of March, 1993, by a vote of 5-0.

BY ORDER OF THE MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BOB ANDERSON, Chairman

BOB ROWE, Vice Chairman

DAVE FISHER, Commissioner

NANCY MCCAFFREE, Commissioner

DANNY OBERG, Commissioner

ATTEST:

Kathlene M. Anderson
Commission Secretary

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NOTE: Any interested party may request the Commission to reconsider this decision. A motion to reconsider must be filed within ten (10) days. See 38.2.4806, ARM.