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MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY NOTICE OF EXERCISE OF OPTION

KNOW ALL BY THESE PRESENTS:

On this 28 day of ______, 2006, MidAmerican Energy Company (Company), an Iowa corporation, by the recording of this instrument exercises its option to a perpetual right-of-way easement, granted by Loren Boughton Trust, Garnetta M.. Boughton Trustee, Jack L. Boughton, Trustee, Ronald G. Boughton Trustee, to Company in and pursuant to an instrument, titled, Option for Electric Line Easement, dated August 23, 2005, recorded in Book ______ 2005 at Page _______ 4358, in the office of the recorder of deeds for _____ Madison _____ County, Iowa, upon, over, under, along and across the real estate located in said County and State described as follows:

The Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of Section Sixteen (16) in Township Seventy-seven (77) North, Range Twenty-six (26) West of the 5th P.M., Madison County, Iowa; EXCEPT for a parcel described as: Beginning at the Northwest corner of Section Sixteen (16), Township Seventy-seven (77) North, Range Twenty-six (26) West of the 5th P.M., Madison County, Iowa; thence South 90°00'00" East along the North line of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of said Section Sixteen (16) for 903.00 feet; thence South 03°43'46" West for 627.85 feet; thence North 88°16'37" West for 288.02 feet; thence North 08°14'29" East for 162.47 feet; thence North 86°19'28" West for 647.05 feet to a point on the West line of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of said Section Sixteen (16); thence North 06°44'45" East along the West line of said Section Sixteen (16) for 418.42 feet to the point of beginning.

MidAmerican Energy Company is making this payment on reliance that no specific assignment of the right to the payment of additional consideration has been made (or to any third party or any future owner) of the property.

The undersigned hereby certifies that the further consideration expressed in the aforesaid Option instrument has been paid to Grantor(s) in the manner provided for in said Option instrument.

Dated this <u>28</u> day of <u>Septenber</u>, 2006.

MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY

James Averweg, Vice President, Enginee

CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

STATE OF IOWA

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COUNTY OF SCOTT

This instrument was acknowledged before me on <u>Septenber 28</u>, 2006, by James Averweg as Vice President, Engineering for MidAmerican Energy Company.

Notary Public in and for the State of Iowa

