PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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REVENUES						
Warehouse and Grain Dealer Permits	92,575	87,455	90,250	90,250		
Check-Off Inspections	6,109	4,500	7,000	7,000		
Warehouse Interest	11,709	6,634	5,800	5,800		
Gross Receipts Tax	1,729,534	2,072,312	1,797,409	1,797,409		
Telecommunications Application Fees	2,620	2,625	2,600	2,600		
Gross Receipts Tax Interest Earned	130,852	97,020	78,000	78,000		
Filing Fees**	196,267	365,514	539,742	552,715		
Pipeline SafetyFederal Reimbursements	127,587	188,615	186,213	186,078		
Pipeline Safety Interest	509					
Pipeline SafetyDirect & General	86,313	93,275	104,745	104,668		
One-Call Location Service Fees	550,111	811,795	713,654	713,654		
One-Call Interest Earned	15,056	10,380	10,000	10,000		
Do Not Call Revenue	43,950	50,250	49,758	49,758		
Do Not Call Interest Earned	12,175	9,087	6,500	6,500		
Total	3,005,367	3,799,462	3,591,671	3,604,432		

**Filing Fees are collected when a utility company files for approval of a rate or siting case. It is difficult to forecast how many filings will be made in a given year.

PERFORMANCE INDICATORS				
Dockets Opened	143	238	200	200
Dollars Recovered for SD Consumers	\$38,099	\$57,674	\$40,000	\$40,000
Grain Warehouse:				
Grain Warehouse License/Buyer License	93/311	92/308	94/307	95/310
Nonstorage Grain Buyer	28	30	24	25
Federal Grain Storage Buyer	127	120	122	120
Pipeline Saftey:				
Pipeline Safety Inspection Days	130.5	160.5	133	133
Miles of Distribution Pipeline	4,550	4,570	4,625	4,685
Miles of Transmission Line	222	297	300	300
Operators	13	13	13	13
One Call Board:				
Incoming/Outgoing Notifications Processed	114,867/645,367	136,276/785,737	129,400/666,100	132,000/679,400