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**Commission Staff – Rate Regulation – Tariff and Rate Analysis**  
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**RE: Tariff Control No. 45484 – Compliance Filing of CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC for a Standard True-Up of Transition Charges Under Schedule TC3**

#### **NOTICE OF APPROVAL**

On December 30, 2015, CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC, (CenterPoint Energy) as the servicer of Transition Bonds, filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) a standard true-up filing pursuant to the Financing Order in Docket No. 34448<sup>1</sup> with a proposed effective date of February 1, 2016.

On January 20, 2016, Commission Staff (Staff) filed a recommendation for approval of CenterPoint Energy's compliance filing. Staff has determined that the updated Transition Charges are reasonable and reflect the necessary adjustments to ensure adequate funds for the payment of the scheduled transition bond payments. Staff also recommended CenterPoint Energy file a clean copy of its Tariff Rate Schedule 6.1.1.2.3 Schedule TC3 – Transition Charges for Central Records to stamp "Approved" and retain for future use.

Consistent with Staff's recommendation, Tariff Rate Schedule 6.1.1.2.3, Schedule TC3 - Transition Charges, Sheet No. 6.7.3, 8th Revision (Pages 1-29) is approved effective February 1, 2016. On or before January 29, 2016, CenterPoint Energy shall file a clean copy of the approved schedule to be stamped "Approved" by Central Records and retained for future reference.

<sup>1</sup> *Application of CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC for Financing Order*, Docket No. 34448, Financing Order (Sept. 18, 2007).



SIGNED AT AUSTIN, TEXAS on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of January 2016.

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