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PETITION OF THE ELECTRIC	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMI	SSION
RELIABILITY COUNCIL OF TEXAS	§		
FOR APPROVAL OF THE ERCOT	§	OF TEXAS	•
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STAFF'S RESPONSE TO ORDER NO. 25 CONCERNING THE ESTIMATE FOR CROSS-EXAMINATION

COMES NOW, the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission (Commission PUC) and, files its Response to Order No. 25 Concerning Time Estimate for Cross-Examination, and would respectfully show as follows:

Staff anticipates calling Matthew Troxle as a rebuttal witness. In compliance with Order No. 25, attached to this pleading is Mr. Troxle's biography, including a summary list of previous dockets in which he has testified. Staff anticipates that it will need no more than one hour for cross examination and redirect.

Respectfully Submitted,

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PUC DOCKET NO. 23320 CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Gerardo Huerta, Attorney, certify that a copy of this document was served on all parties of record on July 26, 2002 by Facsimile, electronic mail, and/or First Class, U.S. Mail, Postage Pre-paid in accordance with Public Utility Commission of Texas Procedural Rule 22.74.

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REGULATORY POLICY EXPERIENCE:

Senior Rate Analyst:

Public Utility Commission of Texas, Electric Division, Costing & Pricing Section.

Employed from December 1999 to present. Promoted to Senior Rate Analyst in August 2000.

Duties: Performs analysis of developing retail markets in Texas. Performs pricing analysis for regulated

and non-regulated providers, including the effects of customer class allocation and rate design issues on

customers and the development of the competitive market. Reviews and analyzes certifications and

registrations of market participants and analyzes performance of market participants including compliance

with Commission rules. Participates in review and development of market rules for the power regions of

Texas. Prepares and presents testimony as expert witness on rate and related issues in docketed

proceedings before the Commission and the State Office of Administrative Hearings. Responsible for

working on or leading teams in contested cases, rulemaking projects, reports, and research concerning

pricing and other retail competition related issues.

Economist:

Louisiana Public Service Commission, Economics and Rates Analysis Division

Employed from June 1997 to December 1999.

Duties: Responsible for implementing policy in the Louisiana electric industry. Conducted workshops to

develop policy material for investigation into electric deregulation. Performed review of utility rate

applications with specific concern for statewide economic effects. Responsible for presenting Commission

Staff's case in legal proceedings. Prepared electric industry reports regarding deregulation. Primary responsibility as the lead on the Commission's investigation on whether deregulation would benefit the state of Louisiana.

Testimony at Public Utility Commission of Texas:

Docket No. 25874 – Application of Mutual Energy WTU, LP to Increase Price to Beat Fuel Factors – May 2002.

Docket No. 24449 – Application of Southwestern Electric Power Company to Implement the Fuel Factor Component of Price to Beat Rates – October 2001.

Docket No. 24336 – Application of Entergy Gulf States, Inc. for Approval of Price to Beat Fuel Factor – September 2001.

Docket No. 24194 – Application of Texas-New Mexico Power Company to Establish Price to Beat Fuel Factor – August 2001.

Docket No. 24040 – Application of TXU Electric Company to Implement Price to Beat Fuel Factors – August 2001.

Docket No. 23950 – Petition of Reliant Energy, Inc. to Establish Price to Beat Fuel Factor and Request for Good Cause Exception to Subst. R. 25.41 – July 2001.

Docket No. 22351 – Application of Southwestern Public Service for Approval of Unbundled Cost of Service Rate Pursuant to PURA §39.201 and Public Utility Commission Substantive Rule §25.344 – February 2001.

Docket No. 22350 – Application of TXU Electric Company for Approval of Unbundled Cost of Service Rate Pursuant to PURA §39.201 and Public Utility Commission Substantive Rule §25.344 – February 2001.

Docket No. 22356 – Application of Entergy Gulf States Inc. for Approval of Unbundled Cost of Service Rate Pursuant to PURA §39.201 and Public Utility Commission Substantive Rule §25.344 – January 2001.

Docket No. 22355 - Application of Reliant Energy Incorporated for Approval of Unbundled Cost of

Service Rate Pursuant to PURA §39.201 and Public Utility Commission Substantive Rule §25.344 -

December 2000.

Docket No. 22350 - Application of TXU Electric Company for Approval of Unbundled Cost of Service

Rate Pursuant to PURA §39.201 and Public Utility Commission Substantive Rule §25.344 - November

2000.

Docket No. 22349 - Application of Texas-New Mexico Power Company for Approval of Unbundled Cost

of Service Rate Pursuant to PURA §39.201 and Public Utility Commission Substantive Rule §25.344 --

ECOM Phase - September 2000.

EDUCATION:

Economics:

Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA

Master of Science, May 1997.

Business Admin/Pre Law

Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA

Bachelor of Science, May