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**REPORT OF THE ELECTRIC
RELIABILITY COUNCIL OF TEXAS
(ERCOT) TO THE PUCT REGARDING
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ERCOT
PROTOCOLS**

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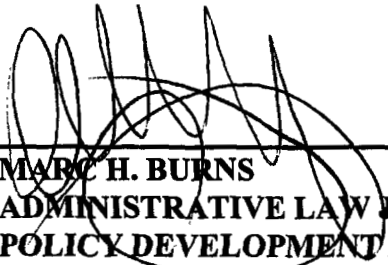
**ESTABLISHING DEADLINE FOR COMMENTS AND PROPOSED PROCEDURAL
SCHEDULE**

At the October 23, 2002 Open Meeting, the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) determined that it would proceed with its evaluation of the Competitive Solution Method proposed by Commission Staff. To facilitate that process, parties are invited to file recommendations and comments regarding the Commission Staff's October 11, 2002 report entitled Application of Competitive Solution Method to Data from ERCOT Ancillary Capacity Services. Parties choosing to file comments or recommendations shall file such comments or recommendations by November 22, 2002.

In addition, the parties shall file a proposed procedural schedule to accommodate identification and consideration of issues that would be involved in the implementation of the Competitive Solution Method, including submission of proposed ERCOT Protocol revisions, identification of ERCOT system changes required, estimates of the cost and time required to implement the Competitive Solution Method, and any other issues relevant to the Commission's evaluation of the Competitive Solution Method. The parties shall file the required procedural schedule by December 13, 2002.

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SIGNED AT AUSTIN, TEXAS the 27th day of November 2002.



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