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Reliant Resources, Incorporated ("RRI") files this Response to the Requests for Oral Argument made by the Office of Public Utility Counsel, the State of Texas, the Cities and the City of Corsicana (collectively, the "Opponents") in this cause.¹

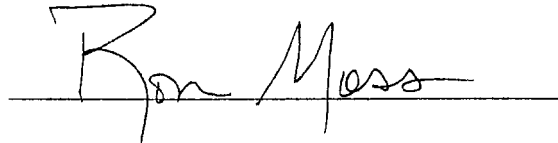
RRI does not believe oral argument is necessary in this matter. The Opponents filed exceptions to the Proposal for Decision, and in those exceptions they explained their reasons for opposing TXU Energy's requested fuel factor adjustment. However, if the Commission decides to allow the Opponents to present oral argument, RRI asks that it be allowed to respond to the arguments during the Open Meeting. The Opponents are urging the Commission to decide this matter in a manner contrary to the procedures adopted in Rule 25.41(g)(1)(A)-(D), and it is important that RRI be given a chance to explain why adherence to the Rule is appropriate.

PRAYER

For the reasons discussed herein, RRI believes that it is unnecessary for the Commission to allow oral argument in this docket at the July 11, 2002 Open Meeting. But if the Commission decides to allow oral argument, RRI requests that it be given a chance to respond during the Open Meeting. RRI further seeks any other relief to which it may be entitled.

¹ The State, the Cities and the City of Corsicana filed a consolidated request for oral argument. The Office of Public Utility Counsel filed a separate request.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Ron Moss", written over a horizontal line.

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