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Via Facsimile Mr. Dan Lawton 1005 Congress Avenue **Suite 1050** Austin, Texas 78701

Re:

SOAH Docket No. 473-06-0092; PUC Docket No. 31544; Application of Entergy Gulf States, Inc. for Recovery of Transition to Competition Costs.

Dear Dan:

With respect to Cities' request for documents included with the notice of deposition of Dennis Thomas, as we had previously discussed, the Company was concerned that request no. 2, as written, requested documents that went beyond the permissible scope for discovery related to a testifying expert, as established in T.R.C.P. 192.3 and, in particular, subsections (3), (4) and (6) of that rule. This morning I have spoken with Norman Gordon, who you have identified as the Cities' attorney with respect to Dr. Thomas' deposition and the requests included in the deposition notice, and Mr. Gordon has agreed, and this letter confirms such agreement, that request no. 2 is to be construed to request those documents for which discovery is permissible under the cited provisions.

Thank you for your cooperation in resolving this dispute.

Sincerely

L. Richard Westerburg, Jr.

cc:

Honorable Thomas Walston Honorable Wendy K.L. Harvel

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