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ALLIANCE OF TXU/ONCOR CUSTOMERS' EIGHTH SET OF RFIS TO ONCOR ELECTRIC DELIVERY COMPANY

Alliance of TXU/Oncor Customers' ("ATOC") Eighth Set of Requests for Information ("RFIs") to Oncor Electric Delivery Company ("Oncor") is hereby filed in this docket. Responses to the RFIs set forth on Exhibit A should be served on Jim Boyle, Herrera & Boyle, PLLC at 816 Congress Avenue, Suite 1120, Austin, Texas 78701, within twenty (20) days of service hereof or no later than September 16, 2008 in conformance with the requirements of PUC Procedural Rule 22.144(c)(16 T.A.C. §22.144(c)). Exhibit A is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes.

Definitions

- "Oncor," the "Company," and "Applicant" refer to Oncor Electric Delivery Company and its 1. affiliates.
- "You," "yours," and "your" refer to Oncor (as defined above), including its directors, officers, 2. employees, consultants, agents and attorneys.
- "Document" and "documents" mean any written, recorded, filmed, or graphic matter, whether 3. produced, reproduced, or on paper, cards, tapes, film, electronic facsimile, computer storage device of any other media, including, but not limited to, memoranda, notes, analyses, minutes, records, photographs, correspondence, telegrams, diaries, bookkeeping entries, financial statements, tax returns, checks, check stubs, reports, studies, charts, graphs, statements, notebooks, handwritten notes, applications, contracts, agreements, books, pamphlets, periodicals, appointment calendars, records and recordings of oral conversations, work papers, observations, commercial practice manuals, reports and summaries of interviews, reports of consultants, appraisals, forecasts, tape recordings, or any form of recording that is capable of being transcribed into written form.

- 4. The term "communication" includes all verbal and written communications (including written records of verbal communications) of every kind, including but not limited to, telephone calls, conferences, letters and all memoranda or other documents concerning the requested item. Where communications are not in writing, provide copies of all memoranda and documents and describe in full the substance of the communication to the extent that substance is not reflected in the memoranda and documents provided and to the extent it is within the knowledge of Oncor.
- 5. "Identification" of a document includes stating (a) the nature of the document (e.g., letter, memorandum, corporate minutes), (b) the date, if any, appearing thereon, (c) the date, if known, on which the document was prepared, (d) the title of the document, (e) the general subject matter of the document, (f) the number of pages comprising the document, (g) the identity of each person who signed or initialed the document, (h) the identity of each person to whom the document was addressed, (i) the identity of each person who received the document or reviewed it, (j) the location of the document, and (k) the identity of each person having custody of, or control over, the document. Identification of a document includes identifying all documents known or believed to exist, whether or not in the custody of Oncor or in the custody of its attorneys or other representatives or agents.
- 6. "Identification" of a person includes stating his or her full name, his or her most recent known business address and telephone number, his or her present position, and his or her prior connection or association with any party to this proceeding.
- 7. "Person" refers to, without limiting the generality of its meaning, every natural person, corporate entity, partnership, association (whether formally organized or ad hoc), joint venture, unit operation, cooperative, municipality, commission, governmental body or agency.

<u>Instructions</u>

- 1. If any RFI appears confusing, please request clarification from the undersigned counsel.
- 2. In providing your responses, please start each response on a separate page and type, at the top of the page, the RFI that is being answered.
- 3. As part of the response to each RFI, please state, at the bottom of the answer, the name and job position of each person who participated in any way, other than providing clerical assistance, in the preparing of the answer. If the RFI has sub-parts, please identify the person or persons by sub-part. Please also state the name of the witness in this docket who will sponsor the answer to the RFI and who can vouch for the truth of the answer. If the RFI has sub-parts, please identify the witness or witnesses by sub-part.

- 4. Rather than waiting to provide all of the responses at the same time, please provide individual responses as each becomes available.
- 5. If Oncor considers any RFI to be unduly burdensome, or if the response would require the production of a voluminous amount of material, please call the undersigned counsel as soon as possible in order to discuss the situation and to try to resolve the problem. Likewise, if Oncor objects to any of the RFIs on the grounds that the RFI seeks proprietary information, or on any other grounds, please call the undersigned counsel as soon as possible.
- 6. If any document is withheld under any claim of privilege, please furnish a list identifying each document for which a privilege is claimed, together with the following information: date, sender, recipients, recipients of copies, subject matter of the document, and the basis upon which such privilege is claimed.
- 7. These requests shall be deemed continuing so as to require further and supplemental responses if Oncor receives or generates additional information within the scope of these requests between the time of the original response and the time of the hearings.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served a copy of ATOC's Eighth Set of Requests for Information to Oncor upon all known parties of record by fax and/or first class mail on this the 27th day of August 2008.

Jim Bdyle

EXHIBIT A

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ALLIANCE OF TXU/ONCOR CUSTOMERS' EIGHTH SET OF REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION TO ONCOR ELECTRIC DELIVERY COMPANY

- 8-1. Please state the total salary and benefits, both direct and allocated, requested in the last rate proceeding for Transmission and Distribution.
- 8-2. Please state the total salary and benefits, both direct and allocated, approved by the Commission in the last rate proceeding for Transmission and Distribution.
- 8-3. Provide the total annual salary for Oncor, both direct and allocated, for the period 2003 through 2007 and monthly in 2008.
- 8-4. Provide the Oncor total annual employee benefits, direct and allocated, for the period 2003 through 2007 and monthly in 2008.
- 8-5. Please state the total Oncor Vegetation Management Expense requested, both direct and allocated, in the last rate proceeding for Transmission and Distribution.
- 8-6. Please state the total Oncor Vegetation Management Expense approved, both direct and allocated, by the Commission in the last rate proceeding for Transmission and Distribution.
- 8-7. Provide the total Oncor annual Vegetation Management Expense for the period 2003 through 2007 and monthly in 2008.
- 8-8. Please state the total direct and allocated salary requested in this filing, separately. Further, identify specifically where in the filing each amount is set forth.
- 8-9. Please state the total direct and allocated employee benefits requested in this filing, separately. Further, identify specifically where in the filing each amount is set forth.

- 8-10. Please state the total Vegetation Management Expense requested in this filing, separately. Further, identify specifically where in the filing each amount is set forth.
- 8-11. Please state the expense/capitalization ratio approved in the last general rate proceedings. Further, provide each separate ratio and identify by category of expense if it is different for payroll, employee benefits and vegetation management.
- 8-12. Please state the actual expense/capitalization ratio, by expense category, by month, for calendar year 2003. The information should be provided both in hardcopy and on electronic medium in Excel readable format.
- 8-13. Please state the actual expense/capitalization ratio, by expense category, by month, for calendar year 2004. The information should be provided both in hardcopy and on electronic medium in Excel readable format.
- 8-14. Please state the actual expense/capitalization ratio, by expense category, by month, for calendar year 2005. The information should be provided both in hardcopy and on electronic medium in Excel readable format.
- 8-15. Please state the actual expense/capitalization ratio, by expense category, by month, for calendar year 2006. The information should be provided both in hardcopy and on electronic medium in Excel readable format.
- 8-16. Please state the actual/expense capitalization ratio, by expense category, by month, for calendar year 2007. The information should be provided both in hardcopy and on electronic medium in Excel readable format.

8-17. Please provide a complete description on the \$3,000,000 McCellon claims as shown on ATOC 6-7. Fully explain and justify why the cost of a lawsuit is included in property/storm damage costs.