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APPLICATION OF ENTERGY	§
TEXAS, INC. FOR AUTHORITY	§
TO CHANGE RATES AND	§
RECONCILE FUEL COSTS	§

BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

RESPONSE OF ENTERGY TEXAS, INC. TO STATE'S EIGHTH REQUEST FOR INFORMATION State 8: 24

Now comes, Entergy Texas, Inc. ("Entergy Texas" or "the Company") and files its Response to State of Texas' ("State") Eighth Request for Information. The responses to such requests are attached hereto and are numbered as in the request. An additional copy is available for inspection at the Company's office in Austin, Texas.

Entergy Texas believes the foregoing responses are correct and complete as of the time of the responses, but the Company will supplement, correct or complete the responses if it becomes aware that the responses are no longer true and complete, and the circumstances are such that failure to amend the answer is in substance misleading. The parties may treat these responses as if they were filed under oath.

Respectfully submitted,

Steve Neinast

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of the foregoing Response of Entergy Texas, Inc. to State of Texas' Eighth Request for Information has been sent by either hand delivery, facsimile, overnight delivery, or U.S. Mail to all parties in this docket on this the <u>7th</u> day of April, <u>2010</u>

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ENTERGY TEXAS, INC. PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS Docket No. 37744 - 2009 ETI Rate Case

Response of: Entergy Texas, Inc. to the Eighth Set of Data Requests of Requesting Party: State of Texas

Prepared By: Joe Bennett

Sponsoring Witness: J. David Wright

Beginning Sequence No. Ending Sequence No.

Ouestion No.: State of Texas 8-24

Part No.:

Addendum:

Question:

Please refer to WP/E-4 page 837. This document is a \$241,573.58 invoice from Clark, Thomas and Winters for a 2007 rate case in Austin, Texas. Please answer the following:

- a. Is this invoice referring to PUC Docket 34800?
- b. If the answer to part (a) is yes, has this invoice been included in ETI's cost of service for the current docket (37744)?
- c. If the answer to part (b) is yes, please explain why legal expenses from a 2007 rate case are included in the current docket.
- d. If the answer to part (b) is no, please explain why this invoice was not excluded from Mr. Gallagher's sample of Other O&M transactions.

Response:

- a. Yes.
- b. Yes.
- c. This invoice was charged to a different project code than other Docket No. 34800 legal bills and should have been removed from the cost of service in this proceeding.
- d. Not applicable.

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