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APPLICATION OF WIND ENERGY	§	BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE
TRANSMISSION TEXAS, LLC FOR A	§	
CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND	§	
NECESSITY FOR THE PROPOSED	§	OF
SCURRY COUNTY SOUTH – LONG	§	
DRAW – GRELTON – ODESSA 345-KV	§	
CREZ TRANSMISSION LINES IN	§	ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
SCURRY, MITCHELL, BORDEN,	§	
HOWARD, DAWSON, MARTIN,	§	
MIDLAND. AND ECTOR COUNTIES	8	

WIND ENERGY TRANSMISSION TEXAS, LLC'S RESPONSE TO COMMISSION STAFF'S COMMENTS ON NOTICE

COMES NOW Wind Energy Transmission Texas, LLC (WETT), and respectfully submits its response to Commission Staff's Comments in Response to the comments on notice, and a proposed procedural schedule filed by staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission):

I. Background

On August 18, 2010, WETT filed its Application for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("CCN Application") and served notice upon all directly affected landowners as stated in the current county tax rolls, pursuant to PUC Proc. R. 22.52(a)(3).

On September 8, 2010, WETT submitted an Affidavit Attesting to the Provision of Notice to Cities, Counties, Neighboring Utilities, and Landowners. On that date, WETT also submitted a Supplement to its CCN Application which contained revised link descriptions and four maps which reflect minor, non-material edits.

On September 10, 2010, Staff submitted comments on notice and a proposed procedural schedule Staff found WETT's proof of notice to be materially sufficient, but noted several non-

material errors and asked that WETT be required to supplement its Application to address these errors. On that same date, WETT filed a letter amending a link description in its September 8, 2010 Supplement, also noting that the total length of the link was correct as stated in WETT's Application.

II. WETT's Response to Staff's Comments

WETT believes that the documents it filed on September 8 and September 10, 2010 fully address the non-material errors identified by Staff and that no further action on WETT's part is necessary. WETT does not believe it is necessary to supplement its application in response to the concerns expressed in items 2.b and 4.d in Part II of Staff's comments. These comments relate to two links which "straddle" the "detail" maps included in the notice packet sent to landowners.

By way of background, there are three segments in WETT's application. All landowners were sent four maps of each segment in their notice packets: an 11 x 17 "overview" map of the entire segment (*e.g.* Scurry County South to Long Draw) and three letter-size "detail" maps of the segment. The concern expressed by staff is that some part of the link (or an identifier or intersection noted in the link description) are on two of the "detail" maps and do not appear in their entirety on only one of those maps. The link and the intersection references all appear on the "overview" maps and the link descriptions are correct. Accordingly, WETT believes it is not necessary to revise the "detail" maps or rewrite the link descriptions in order for the entire link and link identifiers to appear in their entirety on one of the "segment" maps.

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WHEREFORE, PREMISED CONSIDERED, WETT respectfully prays for a finding that its provision of notice as supplemented by its filings on September 8th and 10th, 2010 is materially sufficient and complete and an order consistent in all respects with this Response, granting the relief requested herein and such other and further relief, not inconsistent herewith, to which it is justly entitled.

Respectfully submitted,

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Certificate of Service

I certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served on all parties of record on this $\frac{1442}{142}$ day of September, 2010.

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