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APPLICATION OF TEXAS-NEW § BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE  
MEXICO POWER COMPANY FOR §  
APPROVAL OF AN ENERGY § OF  
EFFICIENCY COST RECOVERY §  
FACTOR § ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

**SOAH ORDER NO. 2  
GRANTING MOTIONS TO INTERVENE,  
ADOPTING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE, AND SCHEDULING HEARING**

On June 19, 2013, the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) convened a prehearing conference in this matter. The following parties were present and participated in the prehearing conference: Texas-New Mexico Power Company (TNMP); the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission); and the Cities Served by Texas-New Mexico Power Company (Cities).

**1. Granting Motions to Intervene**

Cities and the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs filed motions to intervene in this proceeding. Those motions are unopposed and are hereby granted.

**2. Procedural Schedule**

The ALJ adopts the following procedural schedule:

Action	Deadline
End of discovery on TNMP's direct case	June 28, 2013
Deadline for Intervenor testimony	July 12, 2013
Settlement conference	July 12, 2013
Deadline for Staff testimony	July 22, 2013
Deadline for rebuttal and cross-rebuttal	August 1, 2013
<b>Hearing on the merits</b>	<b>August 15-16, 2013</b>
Deadline for initial post-hearing briefs	August 23, 2013
Deadline for post-hearing reply briefs	August 30, 2013

The following requirements apply starting July 12, 2013:

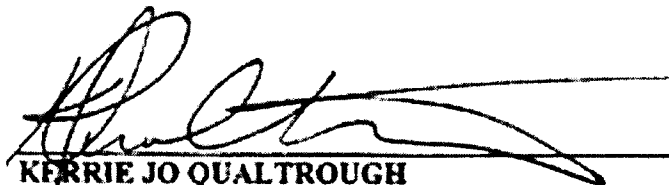
1. The parties have **seven calendar days** to respond to discovery requests
2. The parties have **three business days** to file objections to discovery
3. The parties have **two business days** to file motions to compel
4. The parties have **two business days** to file responses to motions to compel

Other than the requirements set out above, the Commission's procedural rules will apply to this proceeding.

**3. Hearing on the Merits**

The ALJ will convene the hearing on the merits in this case at **9:00 a.m. on August 15-16, 2013**, in the hearing rooms of the State Office of Administrative Hearings, located on the 4th floor of the William P. Clements Building, 300 West 15th Street, Austin, Texas.

**SIGNED June 19, 2013.**



**KERRIE JO QUALTROUGH**  
**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE**  
**STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS**