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NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO AMEND A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY FOR A PROPOSED TRANSMISSION LINE

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Notice is given to the public of an application filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (commission) on February 25, 2016, to amend a certificate of convenience and necessity for a proposed transmission line in Rusk and Panola Counties, Texas.

Docket Style and Number: Application of the City of Garland to Amend a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity for the Rusk to Panola Double-Circuit 345-kV Transmission Line in Rusk and Panola Counties, P.U.C. Docket No. 45624; SOAH Docket No. 473-16-2751.

The Application: The application of the City of Garland for a proposed 345-kV transmission line is designated as the Rusk to Panola Transmission Line Project. The project is being constructed pursuant to the order of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission in Docket No. TX11-1-001, directing Garland to connect the Southern Cross project to the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) grid in accordance with the offer of settlement in that case. The proposed 345-kV line will begin at a new Oncor Electric Delivery Company switching station in Rusk County and extend eastward for approximately 37 to 40 miles to a new Garland Power & Light switching station in Panola County near the Texas/Louisiana state line. The total estimated cost for the project ranges from approximately \$103,779,478 million to \$109,925,443 million depending on the route chosen.

The proposed project is presented with 12 alternate routes. Any of the routes or route segments presented in the application could, however, be approved by the commission. Under Public Utility Regulatory Act § 37.051(c-2) and (i) the commission shall act on this application not later than the 185th day after the application is filed.

Persons wishing to intervene or comment on the action sought should contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas by mail at P. O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3326, or by phone at (512) 936-7120 or toll-free at (888) 782-8477. A deadline for intervention will be established. Hearing and speech-impaired individuals with text telephone (TTY) may contact the commission through Relay Texas by dialing 7-1-1. All comments should reference Docket Number 45624.

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**ISSUED ON BEHALF OF THE
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS
ON THE 29th DAY OF FEBRUARY 2016**

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