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COMPLIANCE FILING OF ENTERGY TEXAS, INC. RELATING TO PARTICIPATION IN SMART METER TEXAS AND CHANGES TO ITS ADVANCED METERING SYSTEM	§ § § § § § §	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS FILING CLERK
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COMMISSION STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION ON SUFFICIENCY OF APPLICATION AND NOTICE

COMES NOW the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Staff), representing the public interest, and files this Commission Staff's Recommendation on Sufficiency of Application and Notice in response to Order No. 1 and would show the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On October 9, 2018, Entergy Texas, Inc. (Entergy) filed an application to initiate a proceeding to determine: (1) whether and to what extent it will participate in Smart Meter Texas; (2) what changes, if any, should be made to its web-based customer interface; and (3) whether and to what extent it should provide third-party direct access to customer advanced metering system data.

On October 12, 2018, Order No. 1 was issued requiring Staff to file comments regarding the sufficiency of the application, proposed notice, and proposed procedural schedule by October 23, 2018. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

II. RECOMMENDATION ON SUFFICIENCY OF APPLICATION AND NOTICE

In its application, Entergy proposed that notice of the application be accomplished by providing a copy of this filing to all parties who participated in Docket No. 47416. Staff recommends that the Administrative Law Judge also require Entergy to provide notice to the parties in Docket No. 47472.¹

Staff has not identified any deficiencies in the application.

¹ *Commission Staff's Petition to Determine Requirements for Smart Meter Texas*, Docket No. 47472 (July 12, 2018).

III. PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Staff recommends that the following procedural schedule be adopted:

Event	Date
Deadline for Entergy to provide proof of notice	November 5, 2018
Deadline for intervention	30 days after notice was provided
Deadline for Intervenors to request a hearing	10 days after the intervention date
Deadline for Staff to file a final recommendation or request a hearing	20 days after the intervention date
If no hearing is requested, parties to submit an agreed Proposed Order	7 days after Staff's deadline to request a hearing

IV. CONCLUSION

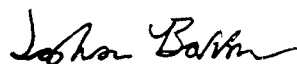
Staff respectfully requests that an order consistent with this Recommendation be issued.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on October 23, 2018 in accordance with 16 TAC § 22.74.



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