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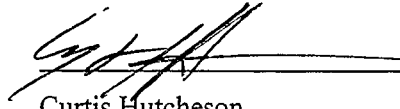
APPLICATION OF EL PASO § PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR §  
APPROVAL OF A DISTRIBUTION § PUBLIC UTILITY OF TEXAS  
COST RECOVERY FACTOR § FILING CLERK

**AFFIDAVIT OF CURTIS HUTCHESON**

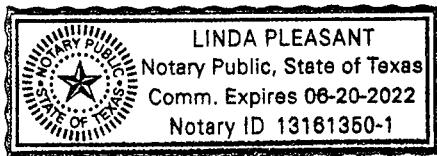
BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Curtis Hutcheson, who being by me first duly sworn, on oath, deposed and said the following:


1. My name is Curtis Hutcheson. I am of sound mind and capable of making this Affidavit. The facts stated herein are correct based on my personal knowledge.
2. I am employed by El Paso Electric Company ("EPE") as Supervisor-Regulatory Case Management. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth in this Affidavit and am authorized to make this Affidavit on behalf of EPE.
3. On March 28, 2019, EPE filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas ("PUC" or "Commission") the Application of El Paso Electric Company for Approval of a Distribution Cost Recovery Factor ("DCRF Application") in PUC Docket No. 49395.
4. EPE simultaneously filed the DCRF Application with the cities that retain jurisdiction over EPE's rates consistent with the provisions of PURA and 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 25.243(c)(1)(A) ("TAC").
5. On March 29, 2019, EPE also provided notice via USPS Priority Mail to all parties of record in EPE's last comprehensive base-rate proceeding, Docket No. 46831, Application of El Paso Electric Company to Change Rates. EPE provided a copy of the DCRF Application, including attachments, to those parties. Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.243(e)(2), the notice provided to the parties included the docket number for the new proceeding.
6. Because EPE has not previously filed a DCRF Application, the 16 TAC 25.243(e)(2) requirement to provide notice to parties in the utility's last DCRF proceeding does not apply.

Further affiant sayeth not.

  
Curtis Hutcheson


**SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME** on this 1 day of April 2019.



  
Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served on all parties of record in this proceeding by hand-delivery, overnight delivery, facsimile transmission, electronic mail or U.S. first-class mail on the 1 day of April 2019.

  
Curtis Hutcheson