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APPLICATION OF EL PASO §
ELECTRIC COMPANY TO ADJUST §
ITS ENERGY EFFICIENCY COST §
RECOVERY FACTOR AND §
ESTABLISH REVISED COST CAP §

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF TEXAS

COMMISSION STAFF’S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Staff), representing the public interest, and files this Request for Extension in response to the Order of Referral. In support thereof, Staff shows the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On May 1, 2019, El Paso Electric Company (EPE), filed an application to revise its Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor (EECRF) and establish a revised cost cap. On May 2, 2019, the Commission issued an Order of Referral, requiring the parties file a list of issues to be addressed in this docket by May 10, 2019. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

II. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

Effective April 4, 2019, the Commission rules applicable to EECRF applications were amended. Staff intends to rely on the list of issues contained in the Preliminary Order for EPE’s most recent EECRF case, *Application of El Paso Electric Company to Adjust Its Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor and Establish Revised Cost Cap*, Docket No. 48332, Preliminary Order (May 25, 2018). Nonetheless, Staff is in the process of conforming the previously established list of issues to the recently amended Commission rules. Therefore, Staff respectfully requests an extension to provide its list of issues until Wednesday, May 15, 2019.

III. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests that its request for an extension to file its list of issues be granted.

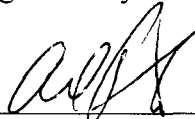
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Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on May 9, 2019,
in accordance with 16 TAC § 22.74.



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