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APPLICATION OF SOUTHWESTERN §  
ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY TO §  
ADJUST ITS ENERGY EFFICIENCY §  
COST RECOVERY FACTOR AND §  
RELATED RELIEF §

BEFORE THE UTILITY COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 4 OF PROTECTIVE ORDER**

Certain documents provided in response to Commission Staff's First Request for Information to Southwestern Electric Power Company (SWEPCO), Question No. 1-1 are exempt from public disclosure pursuant to Sections 552.101, 552.104, and 552.110 of the Public Information Act<sup>1</sup> and are subject to treatment as confidential materials. The materials provided in response to Staff RFI No. 1-1 consist of non-public commercial and financial information and contract terms that if released, would give advantage to a competitor or bidder, and could cause substantial competitive harm to SWEPCO.

Counsel for SWEPCO has reviewed the documents sufficiently to state in good faith that the documents are exempt from disclosure under the Public Information Act and merit the confidential materials designation given to them.

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<sup>1</sup> Tex. Gov. Code Ann. § 552.001-.353 (West 2012 & Supp. 2018).

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