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ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY FOR	§	
CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE	§	BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE
AND NECESSITY AUTHORIZATION	§	OF
AND RELATED RELIEF FOR THE	§	ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
ACQUISITION OF WIND	§	
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STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 4 OF PROTECTIVE ORDER

Certain documents provided in response to the Office of Public Utility Counsel's (OPUC) First Request for Information to Southwestern Electric Power Company (SWEPCO), Question No. 1-8 are exempt from public disclosure pursuant to Sections 552.101, 552.104, and 552.110 of the Public Information Act¹ and are subject to treatment as Confidential materials.

The materials provided in response to OPUC's RFI No. 1-8 contain non-public commercially sensitive operational data, comparisons and compilations, that if released, would provide an advantage to a competitor or bidder and could cause substantial competitive harm to SWEPCO.

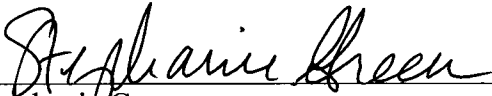
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¹ Tex. Gov. Code Ann. § 552.001-.353 (West 2012 & Supp. 2018).

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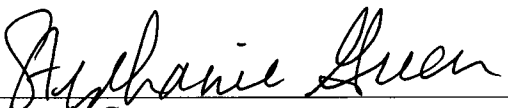
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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