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APPLICATION OF SOUTHWESTERN §  
ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY FOR §  
CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE §  
AND NECESSITY AUTHORIZATION §  
AND RELATED RELIEF FOR THE §  
ACQUISITION OF WIND §  
GENERATION FACILITIES §

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
BEFORE THE HEARING CLERK

STATE OFFICE OF  
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**STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 4 OF PROTECTIVE ORDER**

Certain documents provided in Southwestern Electric Power Company’s (SWEPCO) Second Supplemental Response to Texas Industrial Energy Consumers’ (TIEC) Fifth Request for Information to SWEPCO, Question No. 5-2 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 Highly Sensitive protected materials.

The materials provided in the second supplemental response to TIEC’s RFI No. 5-2 contain non-public commercially-sensitive supplemental information regarding previously produced data compilations, especially pricing and forecasts, that if released, would provide an 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 Highly Sensitive materials designation given to them.

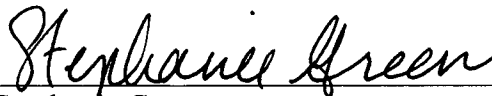
<sup>1</sup> Tex. Gov. Code Ann. § 552.001-.353 (West 2012 & Supp. 2018).

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that a true and correct copy of this document was served via electronic mail, facsimile, hand-delivery, overnight delivery, or First Class U.S. mail on all parties of record in this proceeding on January 14, 2020.

  
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