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APPLICATION OF EL PASO§BEFORE THE STATE OFFICEELECTRIC COMPANY TO§OFCHANGE RATES§ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

EL PASO ELECTRIC COMPANY'S NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF WITNESS

El Paso Electric Company ("EPE") hereby files notice of the following witness substitution in this case:

Ms. Cynthia Prieto will replace Mr. Sean Ihorn as a witness in this case due to Mr. Ihorn's departure from EPE. In addition to her own direct and rebuttal testimony and sponsored discovery responses in this case, Ms. Prieto adopts Mr. Ihorn's direct testimony and the discovery responses originally sponsored by Mr. Ihorn in this docket. Mr. Ihorn did not file rebuttal testimony. The rebuttal issues relating to Mr. Ihorn's testimony were addressed in Ms. Prieto's rebuttal testimony. Testimony containing Ms. Prieto's background and qualifications was submitted with her direct testimony in this docket. Ms. Prieto will be available for cross examination on her direct testimony, her rebuttal testimony, and the direct testimony originally submitted by Mr. Ihorn.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served by email on all parties of record in this proceeding on December 7, 2021.

Bret J. Slogum