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APPLICATION OF EL PASO	§	BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE
ELECTRIC COMPANY TO	§	OF
CHANGE RATES	§	ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

JOINT REPORT REGARDING STATUS OF SETTLEMENT NEGOTIATIONS

TO THE HONORABLE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES:

Pursuant to SOAH Order No. 15, the parties to this case hereby file this their joint report regarding the status of their negotiations towards potential resolution of the application filed by El Paso Electric Company (“EPE”) that is the subject of this docket.¹

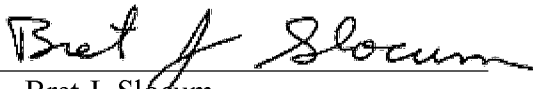
EPE, the intervenors, and the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas have continued to working diligently toward resolution of the remaining rate-design issues. These parties plan to continue engaging in settlement negotiations moving forward and, therefore, request that the abatement be continued.

The parties propose that they will file another status report by May 4, 2022. EPE is authorized to represent that all parties to the case agree with, or are unopposed to, this status report.

¹ Order No. 15 directed that a status report be filed by April 5, 2022. The one-day delay of filing this report was not intentional, and the undersigned apologizes for the delay and any inconvenience it may have caused.

Respectfully submitted,


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

A copy of the foregoing Joint Report on Status of Settlement Negotiations has been served on all counsel of record on this 20th day of April, 2022.


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