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All parties interested in the PUC Appointment of Texas Energy Reliability Council members

FROM: Thomas Gleeson, Executive Director

DATE: October 14, 2021

RE: Appointments to the Texas Energy Reliability Counsel, Project 52557

On September 23, 2021, the commission voted to delegate authority to me to appoint the first PUC-appointed members of the Texas Energy Reliability Council. As of October 11, 2021, we have received expressions of interest from 12 individuals for the eight positions we must fill. Based on the qualifications of the individuals who expressed interest, I am making the following appointments:

• I appoint Lori Simpson to represent entities that provide dispatchable electric energy to the power grid in this state.
• I appoint Elizabeth Barton Jones to represent transmission and distribution utilities.
• I appoint Catherine J. Webking to represent retail electric providers.
• I appoint Tom J. Hancock to represent municipally owned utilities.
• I appoint Clif Lange to represent electric cooperatives.
• I appoint Thomas McAndrew, Charlie Hemmeline, and Pat Wood, III to the three positions representing energy sectors not otherwise represented on the council.