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NOTICE OF VIOLATION BY TEXAS	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
BIG SPRING LP FOR VIOLATIONS OF	§	
16 TAC § 25.55 AND ERCOT NODAL	§	OF TEXAS
PROTOCOLS § 3.21(3), CONCERNING	§	
FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH	§	
WINTER WEATHER EMERGENCY	§	
PREPAREDNESS REPORTING	§	
REQUIREMENTS	§	• ,

ORDER REQUESTING LISTS OF ISSUES

On December 8, 2021, the Executive Director of the Commission filed a formal notice of violation against Texas Big Spring LP for violations of 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 25.55(c)(2) and Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) Nodal Protocols § 3.21(3), concerning Texas Big Spring LP's failure to comply with winter weather emergency preparedness reporting requirements. On the same date, Commission Staff filed a petition to determine the violation and impose an administrative penalty.

The Commission may issue a preliminary order that will contain a list of the issues to be addressed in this docket, as well as any necessary statement of Commission policy, precedent, or position on any threshold legal or policy issues relevant to this proceeding. To assist the Commission in drafting that order, Texas Big Spring LP must, and Commission Staff and any other interested party may, file in this docket a list of issues to be addressed in the docket by **January 24, 2022**. This pleading may also identify any issues that should not be addressed in the docket and identify any threshold legal and policy issues that should be briefed for purposes of a preliminary order. Specific explanations shall support any issues not to be addressed or threshold issues identified in the pleading. Parties shall not file responses to any pleading submitted in response to this Order, unless specifically requested.

If the Commission issues a preliminary order, it will provide a list of issues and areas that must be addressed in this proceeding and any necessary statement of Commission policy, precedent, or position on threshold issues, or combination thereof, relevant to this proceeding. The Commission may consider and possibly adopt a preliminary order in this docket at a future open meeting.

Signed at Austin, Texas the Hay of January 2022.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

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