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APPLICATION OF AEP TEXAS INC.	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
FOR APPROVAL OF A WHOLESALE	§	
DISTRIBUTION SERVICE	§	OF TEXAS
DISTRIBUTED GENERATION ENERGY	§	
STORAGE TARIFF	§	

**ORDER NO. 6
GRANTING MOTION TO INTERVENE**

This Order addresses SMT McAllen LLC's March 28, 2022 motion to intervene in this proceeding. SMT McAllen states that it is developing a battery energy storage project within AEP Texas Inc.'s service territory, which will be interconnected at distribution voltage. SMT McAllen has applied for interconnection with AEP Texas and is currently in the interconnection study process. For this reason, SMT Allen has presented a justiciable interest that may be affected by the outcome of this proceeding. No party filed an objection to SMT Allen's motion to intervene. Accordingly, the administrative law judge grants SMT Allen's motion to intervene.

For service of pleadings, the service list in this proceeding is available from the Public Utility Commission of Texas by emailing Docket Management at CADMOOrders@puc.texas.gov and requesting a copy of the service list in Docket No. 53267. **Service of pleadings is typically governed by 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 22.74. However, the Commission has issued a Second Order Suspending Rules,¹ which has suspended certain service requirements found in 16 TAC § 22.74. Accordingly, a filing party must provide notice by e-mail of any pleading or document filed. It will be incumbent upon all other parties to obtain a copy of the pleading or document by accessing the Interchange.**

All parties must provide their current address, **e-mail address**, telephone and fax numbers, if available, to all other parties and the Commission by filing and serving all parties with such information. Each party must provide the Commission and all parties with updated address, **e-mail address**, telephone, and fax information if such information changes. **The e-mail addresses**, telephone and fax numbers will be placed on the service list for the convenience of the parties.

¹ *Issues Related to the State of Disaster for the Coronavirus Disease*, Docket No. 50664, Second Order Suspending Rules (July 16, 2020).

Parties are responsible for updating their own service lists to reflect changed information and the addition of any other parties.

Filing of pleadings is typically governed by 16 TAC § 22.71. However, the Commission's Second Order Suspending Rules suspended certain filing requirements found in 16 TAC § 22.71. As long as the Second Order Suspending Rules remains in effect, all parties must file any pleading or document with the Commission solely through the Interchange on the Commission's website (<https://interchange.puc.texas.gov/filer>) and provide notice, by e-mail, to all other parties that the pleading or document has been filed with the Commission, unless otherwise ordered by the presiding officer. It will be incumbent upon all other parties to obtain a copy of the pleading or document by accessing the Interchange.

Signed at Austin, Texas the 5th day of April 2022.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Katie Moore Marx", written in a cursive style.

**KATIE MOORE MARX
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE**