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#### PROJECT NO. 53385

## AFFIDAVIT OF GENERAL MANAGER OF DEEP EAST TEXAS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. PURSUANT TO 16 TEXAS ADMINISTRATIVE CODE § 25.53

# STATE OF TEXAS § COUNTY OF SAN AUGUSTINE §

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared, and who, after being duly sworn, stated on his or her oath he or she is entitled to make this Affidavit, and that the statements contained below are true and correct.

I, Bryan Wood, swear or affirm that as an Electric Cooperative operating in the State of Texas, the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) and SPP power regions and control systems, confirms the following:

"I am the General Manager of Deep East Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc. (DETEC), which is a Texas electric cooperative corporation.

DETEC operates an electric distribution utility system in the State of Texas and the Electric Reliability Council of Texas and SPP power regions and control systems.

The Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) developed to comply with the updated 16 TAC §25.53. Electric Service Emergency Operations Plan Rule, has been reviewed and approved by appropriate DETEC Executives and has been distributed to key DETEC Operations and Administration personnel;

DETEC executives, and Operations personnel have received training on the updated EOP;

DETEC has completed all drills as required by 16 TAC §25.53, Electric Service Emergency Operations Plan Rule. DETEC enacted its Hurricane Annex on August 21, 2023, with the development of Tropical Storm Harold in the Gulf of Mexico;

DETEC will notify Commission Emergency Management Personnel and regional TDEM representative(s) prior to any required drill(s);

DETEC has distributed the EOP or an appropriate summary to local Jurisdictions as needed;

DETEC has a Business Continuity Plan related to returning to normal operations after an emergency event or situation;

DETEC's emergency management personnel who are designated to interact

with local, state, and federal emergency management officials during emergency events have received the latest IS-100, IS-200, IS-700, and IS-800 National Incident Management System training.

John Wood  General Manager	_{Signature of CEO/GM of the Cooperative}
Deep East Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc.	
Sworn and subscribed before me on this 29 da	y of, February 2024.
Notary Public in and for the State of Texas	MARSHA KAY SOWELL My Notary ID # 130994986 Expires February 7, 2025

#### PUC PROJECT NO. 53385

EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN	§	BEFORE THE
PLEADING REGARDING CHANGES TO	§	
THE LIST OF EMERGENCY	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
CONTACTS	§	
	§	OF TEXAS

# DEEP EAST TEXAS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN STATEMENT

COMES NOW, the Deep East Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc. (DETEC) pursuant to 16 Tex. Admin. Code (TAC) §25.53 Electric Service Emergency Operations Plans, who files this statement regarding section (3) (B) (i) which requires a pleading that documents any changes to the list of emergency contacts.

#### I. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

The name, address, and telephone number of DETEC's authorized representative is:

Attn: Bryan Wood

Deep East Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc.

General Manager

880 Texas Hwy 21 East San Augustine, Texas 75972 Telephone: 936-229-4000

Facsimile: 936-275-5650 Email: bryanw@deepeast.com

#### II. NOTICE OF CHANGES TO EMERGENCY CONTACTS

Deep East Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc. (DETEC) hereby gives notice that, effective February 29, 2024, DETEC has not made changes to the Emergency Contacts included in DETEC's 2022 Emergency Operations Plan Executive Summary document which was filed with the Commission pursuant to §25.53 Electric Service Emergency Operations Plans in Project 53385 in 2022. Pursuant to §25.53(c)(4)(A), DETEC has reviewed the Cooperative's Emergency Operations Plan and has not made any changes that materially affects how DETEC would respond to an emergency, as attested to in the accompanying filing.

Respectfully submitted,

Authorized Representative

Deep East Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc.

#### PROJECT NO. 53385

## FILING OF ATTESTATION AFFIRMING EOP CHANGES AFFIDAVIT OF COOPERATIVE OFFICER FOR DEEP EAST TEXAS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

### FILED PURSUANT §25.53. ELECTRIC SERVICE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLANS SECTION (3) (B)

STATE OF TEXAS § COUNTY OF SAN AUGUSTINE §

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared, and who, after being duly sworn, stated on his or her oath he or she is entitled to make this Affidavit, and that the statements contained below are true and correct.

I. Bryan Wood, swear or affirm that as an Electric Cooperative operating in the State of Texas and the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) region and control system, confirms the following:

Deep East Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc. (DETEC) operates a distribution utility system in the State of Texas, the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) and SPP power regions and control systems;

The §25.53. Electric Service Emergency Operations Plans Rule is applicable to DETEC.

DETEC has reviewed the DETEC Emergency Operations Plan that was filed with the Commission in 2022 and did not make any changes to its EOP that materially affects how DETEC would respond to an emergency.

{Signature of Officer of the Cooperative} General Manager/CEO Deep East Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc. Sworn and subscribed before me on this 29 day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, February 2024. marshe Koy Sowell MARSHA KAY SOWELL

My Notary ID # 130994986

Expires February 7, 2025

Notary Public in and for the State of Texas