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PROJECT NO. 53385

**AFFIDAVIT OF GENERAL MANAGER OF
KARNES ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.**

PURSUANT TO 16 TEXAS ADMINISTRATIVE CODE § 25.53

STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF KARNES §

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, Brad Bierstedt, 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:

“I am the General Manager of Karnes Electric Cooperative, Inc. (KEC), which is a Texas electric cooperative corporation.

KEC operates an electric distribution utility system in the State of Texas and the Electric Reliability Council of Texas power region.

The Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) developed to comply with the updated 16 TAC §25.53. Electric Service Emergency Operations Plan Rule, has been distributed to KEC Managers and Operations personnel;

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

In accordance with the updated 16 TAC §25.53. Electric Service Emergency Operations Plan Rule, a drill (tabletop exercise) for KEC Operations personnel will be conducted as required;

KEC will notify Commission Emergency Management Personnel and regional TDEM representative(s) prior to the drill;

KEC has distributed the EOP to local Jurisdictions, including regional TDEM personnel and all Counties in the KEC service area;

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

KEC’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.



{Signature of Officer of the Cooperative}

General Manager

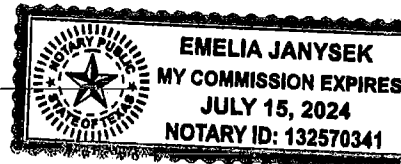
Karnes Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Sworn and subscribed before me on this 21st day of February, 2023.



Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

Notary Seal



(Must be notarized by a notary public in and for the State of Texas)

PROJECT NO. 53385

FILING OF ATTESTATION AFFIRMING EOP CHANGES

AFFIDAVIT OF COOPERATIVE OFFICER FOR

KARNES ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

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

STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF KARNES §

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, Brad Bierstedt, 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:

Karnes Electric Cooperative, Inc. (KEC) operates a distribution utility system in the State of Texas and the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) region and control system;

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

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

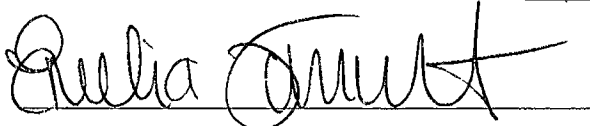


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General Manager

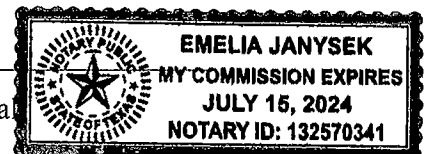
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EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN	§	BEFORE THE
PLEADING REGARDING CHANGES TO	§	
THE LIST OF EMERGENCY	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
CONTACTS	§	
	§	OF TEXAS

**KARNES ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN
STATEMENT**

COMES NOW, the Karnes Electric Cooperative, Inc. (KEC) 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

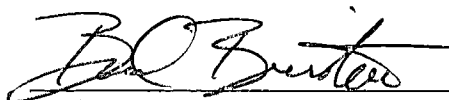
The name, address, and telephone number of KEC's authorized representative is:

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II. NOTICE OF CHANGES TO EMERGENCY CONTACTS

Karnes Electric Cooperative, Inc. (KEC) hereby gives notice that, effective February 21, 2023, KEC has not made changes to the Emergency Contacts included in KEC'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 during April 2022. Pursuant to §25.53(c)(4)(A), KEC has reviewed the Cooperative's Emergency Operations Plan and has not made any changes that materially affects how KEC would respond to an emergency, as attested to in the accompanying filing.

Respectfully submitted,



Authorized Representative
Karnes Electric Cooperative, Inc.