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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

CARL J. KUNASEK  
Chairman

JIM IRVIN  
Commissioner

WILLIAM A. MUNDELL  
Commissioner

Arizona Corporation Commission

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IN THE MATTER OF ARIZONA PUBLIC  
SERVICE COMPANY FILING FOR APPROVAL  
OF A NEW SCHEDULE #4, TERMS AND  
CONDITIONS FOR TOTALIZED METERING OF  
MULTIPLE SERVICE ENTRANCE SECTIONS  
AT A SINGLE PREMISE FOR STANDARD  
OFFER AND DIRECT ACCESS SERVICE

DOCKET NO. E-01345A-99-0624

DECISION NO. 62081

ORDER

Open Meeting  
November 16 and 17, 1999  
Phoenix, Arizona

BY THE COMMISSION:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Arizona Public Service Company (APS) is certificated to provide electric service as a public service corporation in the State of Arizona.

2. On October 29, 1999, APS filed its new Schedule # 4 tariff (Terms and Conditions for Totalized Metering of Multiple Service Entrance Sections at a Single Premise for Standard Offer and Direct Access Services).

3. This tariff is a modification to APS' existing Schedule # 4 tariff. The modifications that are being proposed are those that are necessary to accommodate electric competition (direct access service).

4. Prior to this filing, APS submitted a draft copy of the tariff to Staff.

5. Staff solicited comments on the draft from interested parties. Staff has had several electronic communications with APS personnel to discuss these parties' comments and those of Staff.

6. The October 29, 1999, filing by APS has incorporated many of these comments and all proposed changes are shown below:

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- 1 a. The current Schedule has been completely reformatted to significantly improve the  
2 understanding of APS' totalizing policy. The reformatting does not change the  
3 policies or application for totalizing.
- 4 2. In Section A.1 (formerly Sections 1 and 2), added the following language: "(these  
5 conditions must be met to be considered a single premise, as specified in  
6 Company's Schedule #1, Terms and Conditions for Standard Offer and Direct  
7 Access Service, Section 4.1.1)".
- 8 3. In Section A.3 (formerly Section 5), added the following language: "for Direct  
9 Access customers the Customer's Electric Service Provider may provide  
10 electronically totalized demand and energy reads in compliance with Company's  
11 Schedule #10, Terms and Conditions for Direct Access".
- 12 4. In Section A.5 (formerly Section 11), added the following language "totalized  
13 metering will be permitted when Customer complies with all of Company's  
14 requirements for interconnection, pays all costs for any additional special metering  
15 required to accommodate such service from totalized service sections, and takes  
16 service on an applicable rate schedule for interconnected Customer owned  
17 generation".
- 18 5. In the last paragraph of Section C (formerly Section 8), added the following  
19 language: "For Standard Offer Customers the surcharge of 1% shall be based on  
20 their Standard Offer bill. For Direct Access Customers, the surcharge of 1% shall  
21 be based on the otherwise applicable Standard Offer rate (either Rate E-32 or E-  
22 34). After October 1, 1999 Remote Totalizing with charge will not be available to  
23 any Customers not already receiving such service."
- 24 7. Based on these discussions and its review of APS' filing, Staff has recommended that  
25 the new Schedule # 4 tariff be approved.
- 26 8. Based on the review of the filing and Staff's memorandum of November 8, 1999, we find  
27 that approval of this filing is in the public interest.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 23 1. Arizona Public Service Company is an Arizona public service corporation within the  
24 meaning of Article XV, Section 2, of the Arizona Constitution.
- 25 2. The Commission has jurisdiction over Arizona Public Service Company and over the  
26 subject matter of the application.

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ORDER

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that Arizona Public Service Company's filing for approval of a new Schedule # 4 tariff, Terms and Conditions for Totalized Metering of Multiple Service Entrance Sections at a Single Premise for Standard Offer and Direct Access Services be and hereby is approved.

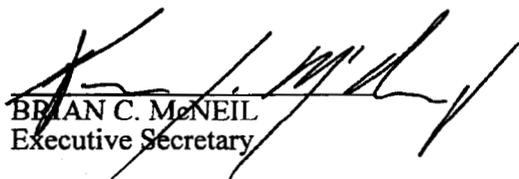
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Company shall file its tariffs within 30 days of the date of this order and in accordance with this decision.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Decision shall become effective immediately.

**BY ORDER OF THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION**

		
CHAIRMAN	COMMISSIONER	COMMISSIONER

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, BRIAN C. McNEIL, Executive Secretary of the Arizona Corporation Commission, have hereunto, set my hand and caused the official seal of this Commission to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Phoenix, this 19<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1999.

  
 BRIAN C. McNEIL  
 Executive Secretary

DISSENT: \_\_\_\_\_

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