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INTERVENTION

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IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPETITION IN THE DOCKET NO. U-0000-94-165
PROVISION OF THE ELECTRIC SERVICES
THROUGHOUT THE STATE OF ARIZONA

REQUEST TO INTERVENE BY
THE ARIZONA CONSUMERS
COUNCIL

Defendant

Procedural Order dated December 1, 1997, established a February 9, 1998, evidentiary hearing on issues related to stranded costs. Procedural Order dated December 11, 1997, required other entities desiring to participate in the evidentiary proceeding to file a Request to intervene no later than December 22, 1997. Due to principal parties of the Arizona Consumers Council being in serious ill health and out of the country, we unfortunately missed this deadline. We request the ability to intervene representing consumers, especially residential and rural consumers, in the state of Arizona regarding stranded costs. The Arizona Consumers Council has no intention to expand the issues in these hearings. The Arizona Consumers Council has a record of representing the interest of residential consumers who have substantive interests in these important matters. It is our desire to participate as intervenors in order to protect the interests of residential consumers. The Arizona Consumers Council hereby requests to intervene in the separate evidentiary hearing established by the Procedural Order dated December 1, 1997.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 2nd day of January 1998.

Phyllis Rowe, President
Arizona Consumers Council