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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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Commissioner - Chairman
RENZ D. JENNINGS
Commissioner
CARL J. KUNASEK
Commissioner

IN THE MATTER OF TUCSON ELECTRIC
POWER COMPANY'S UNBUNDLED SERVICE
TARIFFS PURSUANT TO A.A.C. R14-2-1606

DOCKET NO. E-01933A-97-0772

DECISION NO. 60577

ORDER

Open Meeting
January 13 and 14, 1998
Phoenix, Arizona

BY THE COMMISSION:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Tucson Electric Power Company (TEP or Company) is certified to provide electric service as a public service corporation in the State of Arizona.

2. On December 31, 1997, TEP filed its unbundled service tariffs pursuant R14-2-1606(C). In this filing, the Company has priced electric service elements such as transmission and distribution separately.

3. Effective December 26, 1996, the Commission adopted rules governing the parameters of retail electric competition. Pursuant to R14-2-1606(C), each incumbent utility must file Unbundled Service Tariffs to provide the following services to all eligible purchasers on a nondiscriminatory basis: Distribution service; Meter and meter reading service; Billing and collection service; Open access transmission service; Ancillary services; Information services; and Other ancillary services necessary for safe and reliable system operation.

4. Due to the size and magnitude of the filing, Staff is recommending the Commission suspend the filing for a period of one hundred and twenty days.

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CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

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2 1. TEP is an Arizona public service corporation within the meaning of Article XV,
3 Section 2, of the Arizona Constitution.

4 2. The Commission has jurisdiction over TEP and over the subject matter of the
5 application.

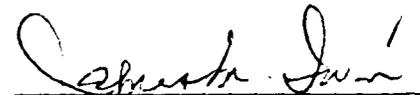
6 3. The Commission, having reviewed the tariff pages (copies of which are
7 contained in the Commission tariff files) and Staff's Memorandum dated January 2, 1998,
8 concludes that it is in the public interest to suspend the filing for a period of one hundred
9 twenty days.

ORDER

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11 THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED that the filing be and hereby is suspended until and
12 including May 29, 1998.

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

BY ORDER OF THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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17 COMMISSIONER - CHAIRMAN

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23 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, JACK ROSE, Executive
24 Secretary of the Arizona Corporation Commission, have
25 hereunto, set my hand and caused the official seal of this
26 Commission to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of
27 Phoenix, this 14th day of January 1998.

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29 JACK ROSE
30 Executive Secretary

31 DISSENT _____

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