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**BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION**

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IN THE MATTER OF SULPHUR SPRINGS )  
VALLEY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, )  
INC.'S APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL TO )  
UPDATE ITS NET METERING TARIFF )  
AVOIDED COST )

DOCKET NO. E-01575A-10-0298

DECISION NO. 72552

ORDER

Open Meeting  
August 16 and 17, 2011  
Phoenix, Arizona

BY THE COMMISSION:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("SSVEC") is certificated to provide electric service as a public service corporation in the State of Arizona.

2. On June 29, 2011, SSVEC filed an application for approval to update the avoided cost that is contained in its Net Metering Tariff. SSVEC's Net Metering Tariff was approved by the Commission in Decision No. 71463 (January 26, 2010 and revised in Decision No. 71864 (September 1, 2010)).

3. Net Metering allows electric utility customers to be compensated for generating their own energy from renewable resources, fuel cells, or Combined Heat and Power. If the customer's energy production exceeds the energy supplied by SSVEC during a billing period, the customer's bill for subsequent billing periods is credited for the excess generation. That is, the excess kWh generated during the billing period is used to reduce the kWh billed by SSVEC during subsequent billing periods.





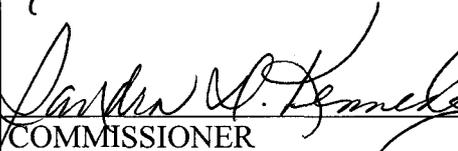
1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc. shall  
2 file, with Docket Control, a revised Net Metering Tariff in compliance with the Decision in this  
3 case within 15 days of the effective date of the Decision.

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

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6 **BY THE ORDER OF THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION**

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14 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I ERNEST G. JOHNSON,  
15 Executive Director of the Arizona Corporation Commission,  
16 have hereunto, set my hand and caused the official seal of  
17 this Commission to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of  
18 Phoenix, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2011.

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20 ERNEST G. JOHNSON  
21 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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

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