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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF NAVOPACHE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC., AN ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE NONPROFIT MEMBERSHIP CORPORATION, FOR A DETERMINATION OF THE FAIR VALUE OF ITS PROPERTY FOR RATEMAKING PURPOSES, TO FIX A JUST AND REASONABLE RETURN THEREON AND TO APPROVE RATES DESIGNED TO DEVELOP SUCH RETURN.

DOCKET NO. E-01787A-11-0186

REQUEST TO ALLOW TELEPHONIC APPEARANCES OF WITNESSES AT HEARING

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Navopache Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("NEC" or "Cooperative") by and through undersigned counsel, requests permission to allow Ms. Rebecca Payne and Mr. David Hedrick, two of NEC's three witnesses, appear telephonically if their appearance is necessary at the hearing on this matter scheduled to commence April 26, 2012 at 10:00 a.m.

Based upon the pre-filed testimony submitted to date, there appears to be no substantive contested issues remaining to be decided at hearing. Two of NEC's witnesses are outside consultants employed by Guernsey & Associates and reside in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. It is unlikely that any party will have significant, if any, cross of these witnesses.

NEC has discussed Ms. Payne and Mr. Hedrick appearing solely telephonically, with legal counsel for both Staff and IBEW Local 387. Both counsel have authorized me to represent to the Commission that they have no objection to NEC's request.

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WHEREFORE, Navopache Electric Cooperative, Inc. respectfully requests Ms. Payne and Mr. Hedrick be allowed to appear at hearing telephonically.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 17th day of April, 2012.

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