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**BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
AJO IMPROVEMENT COMPANY FOR  
APPROVAL OF AN EXTENSION OF ITS  
CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL  
COMPATIBILITY TO BUILD A TRANSMISSION  
LINE FROM GILA BEND TO AJO

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**NOTICE OF FILING  
REGARDING AJO  
IMPROVEMENT COMPANY  
TEN-YEAR PLAN FOR 2012**

Pursuant to the provision of A.R.S. § 40-360.02(A.), Ajo Improvement Company ("AIC") hereby gives notice of the filing of the attached correspondence (Attachment A) regarding the AIC Ten-Year Plan for the year 2012.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 18<sup>th</sup> day of January 2012.

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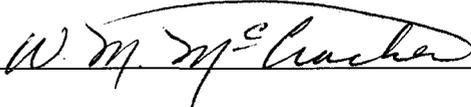
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ATTACHMENT A

*AJO IMPROVEMENT COMPANY*

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January 12, 2012

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*Re: Docket No. E-00000D-09-0020*  
*Docket No. L-00000G-97-0089*  
Ajo Improvement Company Ten-Year Plan for 2012

To Whom It May Concern:

In connection with the extension of the Certificate of Environmental Compatibility ("CEC") issued to Ajo Improvement Company ("AIC") (Docket No. L-00000G-97-0089) in Decision No. 70957 on April 7, 2009 ("Decision"), AIC is submitting this letter pursuant to the provisions of A.R.S. 40-360.02(A) to update the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") concerning the construction of its transmission line ("Project").

At the outset, it should again be stated that AIC has not yet commenced construction of the Project due to the continuation of the economic factors related to the electric load that would be served by the project. AIC continues to monitor market conditions and economic forecasts in order to determine when such conditions will warrant the construction of the project.

There has been no change in the Ajo Improvement Company Ten-Year Plan Power Flow and Stability Analysis ("Plan") which was filed with the Commission on January 7, 2009. AIC will update the Commission on an annual basis of any changes in the Plan.

If you have any Questions concerning the information set forth above, or need additional information, please let me know.

Respectfully,



Roy Archer  
Operations Manager  
Ajo Improvement Company