

BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION



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COMMISSIONERS

- BOB STUMP - Chairman
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- SUSAN BITTER SMITH

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY, IN CONFORMANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES 40-360 ET SEQ., FOR A CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AUTHORIZING THE OCOTILLO MODERNIZATION PROJECT, WHICH INCLUDES THE INSTALLATION OF FIVE 102 MW GAS TURBINES AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF TWO 230-KILOVOLT GENERATION INTERCONNECTIONS AND OTHER ANCILLARY FACILITIES, ALL LOCATED WITHIN THE BOUNDS OF THE EXISTING OCOTILLO POWER PLANT SITUATED ON PROPERTY OWNED BY ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY AND LOCATED AT 1500 EAST UNIVERSITY DRIVE, TEMPE ARIZONA, IN MARICOPA COUNTY.

CASE NO. 169

Docket No. L-00000D-14-0292-00169

DECISION NO. 74812

Open Meeting
November 5, 2014
Phoenix, Arizona

BY THE COMMISSION:

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360, *et seq*, after due consideration of all relevant matters, the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") finds and concludes that the Certificate of Environmental Compatibility ("CEC") issued by the Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee ("Siting Committee") is hereby approved as granted by this Order.

The Commission, in reaching its decision, has balanced all relevant matters in the broad public interest, including the need for an adequate, economical and reliable supply of electric power with the desire to minimize the effect thereof on the environment and ecology of this state, and finds that granting the Project a CEC is in the public interest.

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The Commission further finds and concludes that in balancing the broad public interest in this matter:

1. The Project is in the public interest because it aids the state in meeting the need for an adequate, economical, and reliable supply of electric power.
2. In balancing the need for the Project with its effect on the environment and ecology of the state, the conditions placed on the CEC effectively minimize its impact on the environment and ecology of the state.
3. The conditions placed on the CEC resolve matters concerning the need for the Project and its impact on the environment and ecology of the state raised during the course of proceedings, and as such, serve as the findings on the matters raised.
4. In light of these conditions, the balancing in the broad public interest results in favor of granting the CEC.

1 THE CEC ISSUED BY THE SITING COMMITTEE IS
2 INCORPORATED HEREIN AND IS APPROVED BY ORDER OF THE
3 ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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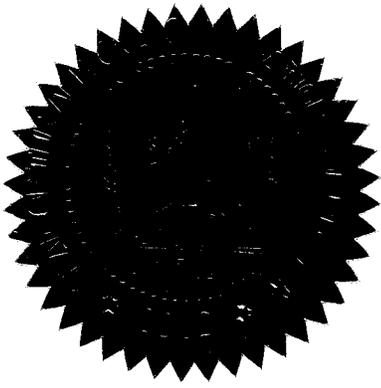
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10 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, JODI JERICH, Executive Director of the Arizona Corporation
11 Commission, have hereunto, set my hand and caused the official seal of this Commission to be
12 affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Phoenix, this 13th day of November, 2014.

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JODI JERICH
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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