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RE: Joint Motion to Extend Arizona Public Service Company's ("APS") Experimental Rate Rider Schedule AG-1. Docket No. E-01345A-11-0224

CC: Ms. Barbara Lockwood, Arizona Public Service

Dear Messrs. Wakefield, Crockett, Robertson, Boehm, Metli and Mumaw,

I have reviewed the filings each of you submitted on behalf of your clients regarding the above-referenced motion to extend Schedule AG-1. I noted that APS, in its filing, offered to submit for Commission consideration a "study and supporting testimony on or before June 1, 2015" regarding the merits of extending Schedule AG-1 beyond July 1, 2016.

I look forward to reviewing this study and ask APS to confirm its commitment to file the study as it has proposed.

Furthermore, I believe the study would be most helpful to the Commission if, in addition to discussing the pros and cons of extending the AG-1 rate in its present form, the parties could also discuss whether mutually agreeable changes could be made to Schedule AG-1 that would allow a modified AG-1 rate to extend beyond July 1, 2016 with the support of all interested parties.

For this reason, I would request that APS and the joint movants meet and confer for the purpose of discussing whether a modified AG-1 rate could extend beyond July 1, 2016 with the support of all interested parties. I would further request that APS report the results of these discussions in its June 1, 2015 filing.

In addition, I would invite any of the other interested parties, should they so choose, to submit their own studies on this topic.

I look forward to reviewing this information as part of my ongoing review of these important issues. I thank you in advance for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,

Doug Little
Commissioner
Arizona Corporation Commission

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