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RE: Docket No. L-00000B-15-0059-00170

Dear Commissioners:

We represent the Ocotillo Community Association ("OCA"). The OCA is a master planned community in Chandler, Arizona, bounded by Queen Creek Road on the north, Arizona Avenue on the east, Chandler Heights Road on the south and Price Road on the east. The OCA is comprised of approximately 3,400 single family homes plus more than 60 apartment and commercial properties. The OCA represents the interests of more than 10,000 residents.

We are writing on behalf of the OCA to express support for the Certificate of Environmental Compatibility (the "Certificate") issued by the Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee (the "Committee") on April 3, 2015 to the Salt River Project Agricultural Improvement and Power District ("SRP") in the above-referenced matter. The OCA has actively monitored and participated in the process instituted by SRP in 2012 to inform the public of possible transmission line routes for the Price Road Corridor 230kV Project. Numerous public meetings were held where the OCA and its constituents voiced their opposition to transmission line routes through densely populated areas along Ocotillo Road and Queen Creek Road that would have had a profoundly negative affect on the Ocotillo Community. The OCA was encouraged by and supportive of SRP's efforts to identify alternate routes on the Gila River Indian Community ("GRIC") and supports the routes approved by the Committee in the Certificate.

The OCA is aware that certain groups of interested parties intend to oppose the transmission line route selected by the Committee and either have requested or will request the Commission to require SRP to bury the transmission lines and to include Ocotillo Road as a possible location for the buried transmission lines. The OCA strongly opposes any transmission

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line route along Ocotillo Road whether buried or not. In the OCA's view, the Committee has properly considered and weighed the factors identified in Arizona Revised Statutes § 40-360.06(A) for issuance of the Certificate to SRP for the transmission line on GRIC land. Accordingly, the OCA respectfully requests that the Commission approve the Certificate issued by the Committee. The OCA appreciates the Commission's consideration of these comments.

Sincerely,

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