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**APPLICATION OF
 SULPHUR SPRINGS VALLEY ELECTRIC
 COOPERATIVE, INC., FOR LEAVE TO
 INTERVENE**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
 OF UNS ELECTRIC, INC. FOR THE
 ESTABLISHMENT OF JUST AND
 REASONABLE RATES AND CHARGES
 DESIGNED TO REALIZE A REASON-
 ABLE RATE OF RETURN ON THE FAIR
 VALUE OF THE PROPERTIES OF UNS
 ELECTRIC, INC. DEVOTED TO ITS
 OPERATIONS THROUGHOUT THE
 STATE OF ARIZONA, AND FOR
 RELATED APPROVALS.

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Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("SSVEC" or the "Cooperative"), through counsel undersigned, and pursuant to Arizona Administrative Code R14-3-105, hereby moves the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") for an order allowing SSVEC to intervene in the above-captioned rate case filed by UNS Electric, Inc. ("UNS"). In support of its application, SSVEC states as follows:

1. SSVEC is a member-owned non-profit cooperative providing electric service to approximately 51,000 customers in parts of the Arizona counties of Cochise, Santa Cruz, Pima and Graham.

2. In its rate application, UNS seeks *inter alia* to change its net metering rider to modify how new net metered customers receive credit for excess energy that is generated by their distributed generation systems and delivered to UNS. The decisions that the Commission makes with regard to net metering and other issues in this case will very likely have an effect on SSVEC, which has its own rate case pending before the Commission. Thus, SSVEC and its member-owners will be directly and substantially affected by this proceeding.

3. SSVEC's participation in this proceeding will not unduly broaden the issues presented.

1 4. No other party can represent SSVEC's interests in this proceeding.

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20 WHEREFORE, SSVEC respectfully requests that the Commission grant its Application
21 for Leave to Intervene.

22 RESPECTFULLY submitted this 8th day of October, 2015.

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