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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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Commissioner

Arizona Corporation Commission

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF SULPHUR SPRINGS VALLEY)
ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. FOR THE)
2015 NET METERING TARIFF WITH)
UPDATED AVOIDED COST.)

DOCKET NO. E-01575A-15-0236

DECISION NO. 75225

ORDER

Open Meeting
August 18 and 19, 2015
Phoenix, Arizona

BY THE COMMISSION:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("SSVEC") is certificated to provide electric service as a public service corporation in the State of Arizona.
2. On July 1, 2015, SSVEC filed an application for approval to update the avoided cost that is contained in its Net Metering Tariff.
3. SSVEC's Net Metering Tariff was approved by the Commission in Decision No. 71463 (January 26, 2010) and most recently revised with updated avoided costs in Decision No. 74704 (August 26, 2014).
4. Net Metering allows electric utility customers to be compensated for generating their own energy from renewable resources, fuel cells, or Combined Heat and Power. If the customer's energy production exceeds the energy supplied by SSVEC during a billing period, the customer's bill for subsequent billing periods is credited for the excess generation. That is, the excess kWh generated during the billing period is used to reduce the kWh billed by SSVEC during subsequent billing periods.

1 rate increase as contemplated by A.R.S. Section 40-250.

2 4. The Commission, having reviewed the application and Staff's Memorandum dated July
3 30, 2015, concludes that it is in the public interest to approve the updated Net Metering Tariff avoided
4 cost, as discussed herein.

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ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc.'s annual average avoided cost for its Net Metering Tariff shall be set at \$0.0258 per kWh, effective September 1, 2015.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc. shall file, with Docket Control, a revised Net Metering Tariff in compliance with the Decision in this case within 15 days of the effective date of the Decision.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Decision shall become effective immediately.

BY THE ORDER OF THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

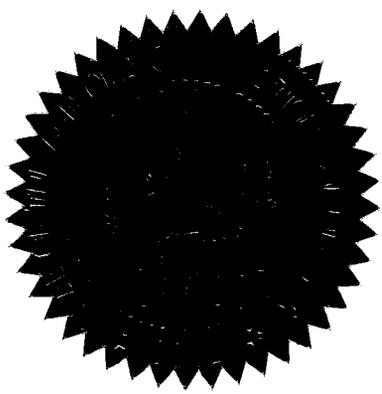

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Jodi Jerich, Executive Director of the Arizona Corporation Commission, have hereunto, set my hand and caused the official seal of this Commission to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Phoenix, this 20th day of August, 2015.


JODI JERICH
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

DISSENT: _____

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