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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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Arizona Corporation Commission  
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF UNS ELECTRIC, INC. FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF JUST AND REASONABLE RATES AND CHARGES DESIGNED TO REALIZE A REASONABLE 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.

DOCKET NO. E-04204A-15-0142

**PROCEDURAL ORDER**

**BY THE COMMISSION:**

On May 5, 2015, UNS Electric, Inc. (“UNSE” or “Company”) filed an Application with the Arizona Corporation Commission (“Commission”) for a rate increase.

By Procedural Order dated June 22, 2015, the matter was set for hearing to commence on March 1, 2016, and with a schedule for pre-filed written testimony as follows: Staff/Intervenor Direct (except Cost of Service (“COS”) and rates) on November 6, 2015; Staff/Intervenor Direct on COS and Rates on December 9, 2015; UNSE Rebuttal on January 19, 2016; Staff/Intervenor Surrebuttal on February 19, 2016; and Company Rejoinder on February 26, 2016.

On February 18, 2016, Staff filed a Request for an Extension to File Surrebuttal Testimony. Staff states that it is unable to meet the February 19, 2016 deadline for filing Surrebuttal testimony due to other Staff commitments, and Staff therefore requests an extension, until February 23, 2016, to file its testimony. Staff indicates that UNSE has no objections to the extension request. Staff also indicates it has emailed all other parties advising them of the extension request.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Staff’s extension request is hereby granted and the surrebuttal testimony for Staff and all intervenors shall be filed no later than February 23, 2016 at 12:00 p.m.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the filing deadline for UNSE’s rejoinder testimony shall**

1 **be extended accordingly. Rejoinder testimony shall be filed by no later than February 29, 2016**  
2 **at 4:00 p.m.**

3 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all parties must comply with Rules 31 and 38 of the Rules of  
4 the Arizona Supreme Court and A.R.S. § 40-243 with respect to the practice of law and admission *pro*  
5 *hac vice*.


6 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that withdrawal of representation must be made in compliance  
7 with A.A.C. R14-3-104(E) and Rule 1.16 of the Rules of Professional Conduct (under Rule 42 of the  
8 Rules of the Arizona Supreme Court). Representation before the Commission includes appearances at  
9 all hearings and procedural conferences, as well as all Open Meetings for which the matter is scheduled  
10 for discussion, unless counsel has previously been granted permission to withdraw by the  
11 Administrative Law Judge or the Commission.

12 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Ex Parte Rule (A.A.C. R14-3-113 - Unauthorized  
13 Communications) continues to apply to this proceeding and shall remain in effect until the  
14 Commission's Decision in this matter is final and non-appealable.

15 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the time periods specified herein shall not be extended  
16 pursuant to Rule 6(a) or (e) of the Rules of Civil Procedure.

17 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Administrative Law Judge may rescind, alter, amend, or  
18 waive any portion of this Procedural Order either by subsequent Procedural Order or by ruling at  
19 hearing.

20 DATED this 19<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2016.

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24 ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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