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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
TRICO ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC., AN
ARIZONA NONPROFIT CORPORATION,
FOR A DETERMINATION OF THE
CURRENT FAIR VALUE OF ITS UTILITY
PLANT AND PROPERTY AND FOR
INCREASES IN ITS RATES AND CHARGES
FOR UTILITY SERVICE AND FOR
RELATED APPROVALS.

DOCKET NO. E-01461A-15-0363

STAFF'S REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION
OF TIME TO FILE REPLY BRIEFS

The Arizona Corporation Commission ("ACC") Staff respectfully requests a two week extension of time to file Reply Briefs in this matter, or until November 2, 2016. The current deadline for submitting Reply Briefs is next Wednesday, October 19, 2016.

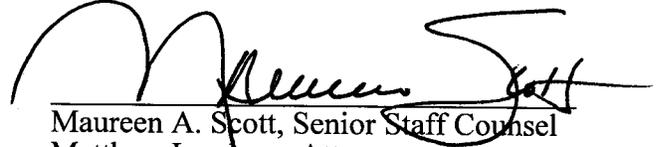
The extension will allow Staff and other parties more time to review and adequately respond to the matters raised in the October 12, 2016 letter to the Docket filed by Commissioner Tobin. The letter raised concerns regarding several of the terms in the Settlement Agreement between Staff and Trico Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("Trico") and their consistency with Decision No. 75697. Commissioner Tobin asked the parties to reexamine Decision No. 75697 before proceeding further.

On October 14, 2016, Staff sent an email to the parties regarding this request. Trico, the Energy Freedom Coalition of America ("EFCA"), Pima County, Robert Hall, Freeport Minerals and Arizonans for Electric Choice and Competition ("AECC") do not oppose the request for a two week extension of time.

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1 Staff does not believe that any party will be prejudiced by this request. Staff believes the
2 extension is appropriate in order to address the matters raised by Commissioner Tobin.

3 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 14th day of October, 2016.

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