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- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

In the Matter of the Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Authority to Increase its Retail Electric Utility Service Rates in Utah and for Approval of its Proposed Electric Service Schedules and Electric Service Regulations, Consisting of a General Rate Increase of Approximately \$161.2 Million Per Year, and for Approval of a New Large Load Surcharge

DOCKET NO. 07-035-93

Petition to Intervene of Interwest Energy
Alliance

Interwest Energy Alliance, ("Interwest") by and through counsel, hereby petitions the Public Service Commission of Utah ("Commission") for intervention in the above-entitled matter pursuant to Utah Code Ann. § 63-46b-9 and Utah Admin. R746-100-7.

The grounds for this petition are as follows:

1. Interwest is a Colorado-based trade association representing major companies in the renewable energy and energy efficiency industries throughout the United States. In its Application, one of the drivers for Rocky Mountain Power's ("Rocky Mountain") proposed rate increase which the parties and the Commission will analyze in this proceeding is the addition of new renewable energy generation resources. This important issue is one in which Interwest has interest and expertise. In addition, Interwest's members are or will be developing renewable resources in Utah and could provide to Rocky Mountain renewable energy for the benefit of Utah's electric customers and Utah's environment. Interwest and Interwest's members, therefore, have a significant interest in the

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above-captioned matter and their legal interests may be substantially affected by the outcome. Interwest could also provide information that would aid the Commission in making some of the decisions it must make in this proceeding.

2. Interwest's intervention and participation in this matter will not materially impair the prompt and orderly conduct of this proceeding. Interwest requests that copies of all notices and filings in this docket be served on:

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Interwest requests electronic filings whenever possible.

NOW THEREFORE, Interwest respectfully requests that the Commission enter an Order granting Interwest's petition to intervene in this docket allowing Interwest to participate to the full extent allowed by law.

Dated this 1st day of February, 2008.

Callister Nebeker & McCullough

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that I emailed a true and correct copy of the foregoing Petition to Intervene of Interwest Energy Alliance on February 1, 2008 to the following:

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