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MEMORANDUM

To: Public Service Commission

From: Division of Public Utilities
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Date: April 20, 2010

Subject: Docket No. 10-2058-T01

ISSUE:

On April 6, 2010, the Ticaboo Electric Service District (District) filed an original set of tariff sheets as well as an amended set of tariff sheets with the Utah Public Service Commission (Commission) in compliance with the PSC order dated November 30, 2009 in Docket No. 09-2508-01 titled, Application of Garfield County, Utah on Behalf of Ticaboo Electric Improvement District for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to Operate as a Public Utility Rendering Electric Power Service. On April 7, 2010 the Commission issued an Action Request to the Division of Public Utilities (Division) to investigate the tariff filing. This is the Division response to that Action Request.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Division has reviewed the tariff sheets, consisting of 46 original tariff sheets, a Resolution No. 2010-4, The Acceptance by the Board of Trustees, Amendment 20100001 to Tariff No. 1 and amended original tariff sheet Nos. 5, 15 and 33. The Division recommends the Commission acknowledge the tariff sheets of the District and make them available for public inspection.

DISCUSSION:

On July 27, 2009, Garfield County, Utah, on behalf of the Ticaboo Electric Improvement District (District), filed an application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity with the Utah Public Service Commission (Commission) authorizing the District to operate a system for the generation, distribution and sale of electricity within the District's boundaries described in the application, as authorized by the Improvement District Act, Utah Code Ann. § 17B-2a-401 et seq. (Supp. 2009).

After a hearing held on November 19, 2009, the Commission issued its order on November 30, 2009, granting Ticaboo Electric Improvement District its application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity which authorizes the District to provide electrical service within the District's boundaries. As part of that order the District is required to file with the Commission and Division its Tariffs and Rules and Regulations as approved by the District, which they did on April 6, 2010.

Included in the filing, along with 46 original tariff sheets were three (3) amended tariff sheets, Nos. 5, 15 and 33 and Resolution No. 2010-4, The Acceptance by the Board of Trustees, Amendment 20100001 to Tariff No.1.

The amended Original Sheet No. 5 delineated the tariff rates of residential customers from commercial customers. The amended Rules and Regulation Original Sheet No.15, §3.5.1 states that all checks over \$2,000 are to be signed by both the Chair and the Treasurer of the District and the amended Rules and Regulation Original Sheet No. 33 §11.1.2 added that the District will hold security deposits for new customers for a minimum of 12 months and removed the requirement that the District pay interest on the security deposits.

After reviewing the filed tariff sheets, the Division recommends the Commission acknowledge the tariff sheets of the Ticaboo Electric Improvement District and make them available for public inspection.

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