- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -_____) In the Matter of the Application of Rocky) DOCKET NO. 12-035-100 Mountain Power for Approval of Changes to) Renewable Avoided Cost Methodology for) Qualifying Facilities Projects Larger than SCHEDULING ORDER) Three Megawatts AND NOTICE OF HEARINGS))

ISSUED: November 13, 2012

By The Commission:

On Thursday, November 8, 2012, the Commission held a duly noticed

scheduling conference on Rocky Mountain Power's October 9, 2012, Motion to Stay, and on

the other issues raised in the above-entitled matter. Based on the discussion at the conference,

the schedule presented in the table, below, is established for each phase of this proceeding.

SCHEDULE

Phase	Item	Deadline/Date/Time/Location
Motion to Stay	Applicant files direct testimony	Friday, November 16, 2012
Motion to Stay	Parties other than Applicant file direct testimony	Friday, November 30, 2012
Motion to Stay	Parties file rebuttal testimony	Friday, December 7, 2012
Motion to Stay	Parties file sur-rebuttal testimony	Tuesday, December 11, 2012
Motion to Stay	Hearing	Wednesday, December 12, 2012, 9:00 a.m., Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Bldg., 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah

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All Other Issues	Applicant files direct testimony	Thursday, January 31, 2013
All Other Issues	Parties other than Applicant file direct testimony and deadline for filing petitions to intervene	Friday, March 29, 2013
All Other Issues	Parties file rebuttal testimony	Wednesday, May 15, 2013
All Other Issues	Parties file sur-rebuttal testimony	Thursday, May 30, 2013
All Other Issues	Hearing	Wednesday, June 5 and Thursday, June 6, 2013, 9:00 a.m., Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Bldg., 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah

Parties shall file testimony with the Commission in accordance with the foregoing schedule and shall follow the procedures set forth at "PSC Filing Requirements" under the "MISC" tab on the Utah Public Service Commission website homepage. Additionally, written testimony and other exhibits offered into evidence shall conform to Utah Administrative Code R746-100-10(F)(2). In particular, they shall adequately explain: "Explicit and detailed sources of the information contained in the exhibit; methods used in statistical compilations, including explanations and justifications; assumptions, estimates and judgments, together with the bases, justifications and results; formulas or algorithms used for calculations, together with explanations of inputs or variables used in the calculations." Parties shall serve copies of all filings on other parties by electronic mail <u>at or before</u> the time an electronic copy of the document is required to be filed with the Commission.

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DISCOVERY

Responses to discovery requests served within the following phases and time frames shall be provided within the designated number of days:

Motion to Stay Phase: Until December 12, 2012, within 7 calendar days.

<u>All Other Issues Phase:</u> Until May 15, 2013, within 14 calendar days. Until May 30, 2013, within 7 calendar days.

Parties shall serve discovery requests and responses on applicable parties by electronic mail. In the event a document filed with the Commission or produced in response to a discovery request cannot reasonably be transmitted by electronic mail, the party filing the document shall file an electronic copy of the document on CD (or, if an electronic copy is not available, a paper copy) with the Commission by hand delivery and shall serve an electronic copy of the document on CD (or, if an electronic copy is not available, a paper copy) on each applicable party by hand delivery if the party being served is in the same metropolitan area as the serving party, or by overnight courier if the party being served is located in a different metropolitan area from the serving party.

Individuals wishing to participate in any hearing by telephone should contact the Public Service Commission two days in advance by calling (801) 530-6716 or (toll-free) 1-866-PSC-UTAH (1-866-772-8824). Participants attending by telephone should then call the Public Service Commission, using one of these same telephone numbers, five minutes prior to the hearing to ensure participation.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, individuals needing special accommodations (including auxiliary communicative aids and services) during any

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proceeding should notify the Commission at 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111,

(801) 530-6716 or (toll-free) 1-866-PSC-UTAH (1-866-772-8824), at least three working days

prior to the hearing.

DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah this 13th day of November, 2012.

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg Commission Secretary D#238491

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 13th day of November, 2012, a true and correct copy of the foregoing Scheduling Order and Notice of Hearings was served upon the following as indicated below:

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