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ACTION REQUEST RESPONSE

To: Public Service Commission

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Date: June 3, 2014

Subject: Action Request in Docket 14-031-T01, Mt Wheeler Power Co. Inc.

ISSUE:

On May 27, 2014, Mt. Wheeler Power Co. Inc. (Mt. Wheeler) submitted to the Utah Public Service Commission (Commission) for acknowledgement and approval, an additional tariff rate. This new rate is entitled Large General Service-Net Metering (LGS-NM). This is the Division's response to the Action Request addressing that request.

RECOMMEND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

The Division recommends the Commission acknowledge Mt. Wheeler's LGS-NM tariff rate and make it effective May 13, 2014.

DISCUSSION:

Mt. Wheeler's LGS-NM is a rate addressing large net metering customers that derive their energy using a renewable source such as: "a fuel cell or driven by renewable energy derived from wind, sun, or water and must be located on the Customer's premises." This new tariff rate is designed to have the LGS-NM customer provide service that can be seamlessly integrated into



Mt. Wheeler's grid and assigns the costs and risks for the large net metering investments and infrastructure to be borne by the entity requesting the service and not by the other customers.

The Division recommends the Commission acknowledge and approve Mt. Wheeler's LGS-NM tariff rate with an effective date of May 13, 3014 and make it available for public inspection.

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