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Jeffrey K. Larsen, Vice President Regulation
Rocky Mountain Power
201 South Main, Suite 2300
Salt Lake City, UT 84111

**Re: In the Matter of the Request of Rocky Mountain Power for Major Event Exclusion for the Weather-Related Events that Occurred on May 10-12, 2014 – Major Event 36
Docket No. 14-035-81**

Dear Mr. Larsen:

On July 1, 2014, the Public Service Commission received Rocky Mountain Power's (Company) Major Event Report filing requesting major event exclusion for the weather-related events which occurred on May 10 through 12, 2014. If the request is approved the Company indicated it will exclude outage information for these events from its network performance reporting and from customer guarantee failure payments.

On July 31, 2014, the Utah Division of Public Utilities (Division) filed a memorandum summarizing its investigation of the event. The Division recommends the Commission approve the Company's application for major event exclusion as the event System Average Interruption Duration Index (SAIDI) value of 9.33 minutes exceeded the SAIDI major event threshold (Tmed) value of 6.60 minutes. In addition, the Division concludes the Company's restoration effort was adequate.

By this letter, the Commission acknowledges receipt of your filing, as well as the Division's recommendation, and approves the May 10 through 12, 2014, weather-related events as a Major Event.

If you have further questions or comments, I can be reached by phone at (801) 530-6716 or email at gwiderburg@utah.gov.

Sincerely,

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg
Commission Secretary
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