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Bob Lively  
Rocky Mountain Power  
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Re: Docket No. 15-035-56, "In the Matter of Rocky Mountain Power's 2015 Avoided Cost Input Changes Quarterly Compliance Filing"

Dear Mr. Lively,

On April 21, 2016, the Division submitted an Action Request Response in this docket, recommending the Commission acknowledge Rocky Mountain Power's quarterly compliance filing concerning avoided cost input changes as complying with Commission Orders. In Commission correspondence dated July 9, 2015, and again on December 23, 2015, the Commission explained:

With the approval of the Stipulation [approved by the Commission on June 9, 2015, in Docket No. 14-035-140, *In the Matter of the Review of Electric Service Schedule No. 38, Qualifying Facilities Procedures, and Other Related Procedural Issues*] and the procedures for challenging modeling assumptions now in place, the Commission does not intend to make affirmative acknowledgements for future uncontested quarterly compliance filings. Rather, unless the Commission is requested to address a challenged designation or assumption within the time period provided for in the Stipulation, the Commission assumes the Company will incorporate new or updated assumptions into avoided cost pricing without the need for further action by the Commission.

Consistent with this correspondence and having received no challenge or objection to the contents of Rocky Mountain Power's filing, it is unnecessary for the Commission to issue an acknowledgment of compliance.

Sincerely,

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg  
Commission Secretary  
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