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ACTION REQUEST RESPONSE

TO: Public Service Commission of Utah

FROM: Division of Public Utilities:
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DATE: September 16, 2019

DOCKET: **Docket No. 16-035-27, Rocky Mountain Power's *Courtesy Notice of Resource Procurement* re: In the Matter of the Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Approval of a Renewable Energy Services Contract between Rocky Mountain Power and Facebook, Inc. Pursuant to Tariff Electric Service Schedule 34.**

RECOMMENDATION (No Action)

The Division of Public Utilities (“Division”) recommends that the Commission take no action related to Rocky Mountain Power's *Courtesy Notice of Resource Procurement* (Notice).

DISCUSSION

On September 9, 2019, Rocky Mountain Power (Utility) filed a Notice with the Commission that it had acquired a resource on behalf of Facebook pursuant to the contract filed in this docket. On September 9, 2019, the Commission issued an Action Request to the Division requesting that the

Division review this notice and make recommendations with a due date of October 9, 2019. This memorandum constitutes the Division's response to this Action Request.

In previous proceedings before the Commission in this docket, the Utility had agreed to file certain information with the Commission pursuant to an agreement with the Office of Consumer Services (Office), which became part of the Commission's Order approving the Facebook contract. While the resource acquisition cited in the Notice does not require a Commission filing under the Commission's Order, the Utility filed the Notice of the acquisition with the Commission as a courtesy.

The Division has reviewed the filing and also has contacted a representative of the Office who agrees with the Division that this was simply a courtesy filing. Consequently, there is no further action required by the Commission regarding this filing.

cc: Michele Beck, Committee of Consumer Services
Jana Saba, Rocky Mountain Power