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## Action Request Response

**To:** Public Service Commission of Utah

**From:** Utah Division of Public Utilities

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**Date:** August 27, 2020

**Re:** **Docket No. 16-035-27**, 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. *Second Courtesy Notice of Resource Procurement*. **No Action Required.**

### Recommendation (No Action)

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

### Background

On August 13, 2020, Rocky Mountain Power (Utility) filed a Second Courtesy Notice with the Commission indicating that it had acquired a resource on behalf of Facebook pursuant to the contract filed in this docket. On August 13, 2020, the Commission issued an Action Request to the Division requesting that the Division review this notice and make recommendations with a due date of September 14, 2020. This memorandum constitutes the Division’s response to this Action Request.

## **Discussion**

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.

## **Conclusion**

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