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RE: Docket No. 11-999-05, "Rulemaking for Service Reliability and Continuity Requirements for Electric Public Utilities"

Dear Mr. Taylor:

On September 14, 2012, Rocky Mountain Power (Company) filed comments on the proposed Electric Service Reliability rule, R746-313, including a recommendation that a minimum dollar limit or other threshold should be added to R746-313-8(1)(e) pertaining to restoration of service information required in major event reports (Proposed Amendment). The Proposed Amendment was discussed during the Rocky Mountain Power Service Quality workgroup meeting on October 16, 2012, at which time Commission staff requested informal comments from the Division of Public Utilities (Division) and the Office of Consumer Services (Office). In a memorandum filed on December 14, 2012, in the above docket the Division recommended the Commission direct the Company to come forward with a specific written proposal and justification regarding the proposed amendment and then allow interested parties to comment on the Company's proposal. Additionally, in an e-mail dated November 5, 2012, the Office indicated it does not necessarily object to the use of a threshold but would like more information on the level of threshold being considered.

Based upon the Company's September 14, 2012, comments and input from the Division and the Office, the Commission suggests that if the Company would like to pursue proposing an amendment to R746-313-8(1)(e) it should file a specific written proposal and supporting justification with the Commission.

Sincerely,

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg Commission Secretary D#240454