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- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

In the Matter of the Application of ROCKY MOUNTAIN POWER for Authority to Increase Its Retail Electric Utility Service Rates and Approval of its Proposed Electric Service Schedules & Electric Service Regulations

Docket No. 09-035-23

**PETITION TO INTERVENE OF
THE UTAH FARM BUREAU
FEDERATION**

The Utah Farm Bureau Federation (“Farm Bureau”) respectfully petitions the Commission for leave to intervene in the above-captioned matter, such intervention to be as the Farm Bureau’s interests may appear. In support of its Petition, this Petitioner states:

1. The Farm Bureau is a non partisan Utah non-profit corporation, organized, *inter alia*, to advance and improve the economic, educational, political and social interests of agriculture and the general welfare of this state and nation. Members of the Farm Bureau include irrigation farmers who use electric power furnished by PacificCorp in their irrigation pumping operations and for residential and other farming uses.

2. The interests of irrigation pumpers are, or may be, substantially affected by this proceeding in that Rocky Mountain Power has proposed a substantial rate increase for those who use electric power for irrigation and farming uses.

3. The interests of justice will be furthered, and the orderly and proper conduct of this proceeding will not be materially impaired, by allowing this intervention.

4. Petitioner has not fully determined the specific positions that it will advocate if intervention is allowed. The focus of its concerns will be protecting the interests of rural agricultural customers of Rocky Mountain Power within the State of Utah.

5. The Farm Bureau requests that all pleadings, correspondence, discovery, and other documents be served on the following:

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DATED this 1st day of January, 2018.

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that I caused to be emailed a true and correct copy of the foregoing PETITION TO INTERVENE OF THE UTAH FARM BUREAU FEDERATION this 1st day of January, 2018, to the following:.

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