

1       **Q.     PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, BUSINESS ADDRESS, AND**  
2       **OCCUPATION.**

3       A.     My name is Steve W. Chriss. My business address is 2001 SE 10th St.,  
4       Bentonville, AR 72716-0550. I am Manager, State Rate Proceedings, for  
5       Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.

6       **Q.     ON WHOSE BEHALF ARE YOU TESTIFYING IN THIS CAUSE?**

7       A.     I am testifying on behalf of Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. and Sam's West, Inc.  
8       (collectively "Wal-Mart").

9       **Q.     ARE YOU THE SAME STEVE W. CHRISS WHO TESTIFIED EARLIER**  
10      **IN THIS DOCKET?**

11      A.     Yes. My Witness Qualifications Statement is found on Exhibit SWC-1 in  
12      my initial direct testimony.

13      **Q.     WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR TESTIMONY?**

14      A.     The purpose of my testimony is to address Rocky Mountain Power's  
15      ("RMP") rate design proposal for Schedule 6, responding specifically to  
16      the testimony of RMP witness William R. Griffith. The fact that an issue is  
17      not addressed should not be construed as an endorsement of Rocky  
18      Mountain Power's ("RMP") position or the position of any other party.

19      **Q.     WHAT IS YOUR RECOMMENDATION TO THE COMMISSION?**

20      A.     My recommendation to the Commission is to approve the proposed rate  
21      design for Schedule 6.

1       **Q.    WHAT IS YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF THE COMPANY'S RATE**  
2       **DESIGN PROPOSAL FOR SCHEDULE 6?**

3       A.    For Schedule 6, the Company proposes a uniform percentage increase to  
4       the demand and energy charges.  Additionally, the Company proposes to  
5       increase the Customer Service Charge from \$27 to \$45 per month.  See  
6       Direct Testimony of William R. Griffith, page 8, lines 153 to 157.

7       **Q.    FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS DOCKET, ARE THESE REASONABLE**  
8       **CHANGES TO SCHEDULE 6?**

9       A.    Yes.  For the purposes of this docket, these changes are reasonable and  
10       should be approved by the Commission.

11       **Q.    DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR TESTIMONY?**

12       A.    Yes.