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## MEMORANDUM

To: Utah Public Service Commission

From: Utah Division of Public Utilities

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Date: January 30, 2014

Subject: **Request to extend the deadline for the Preliminary EBA Evaluation Report**

### INTRODUCTION

The Utah Division of Public Utilities (Division) requests the Utah Public Service Commission (Commission) extend the current April 30, 2014 deadline for the Preliminary EBA Evaluation Report (Report) to May 22, 2014.

### BACKGROUND

On March 2, 2011 the Commission issued an order (Order) in Docket 09-035-15. Page 79 of the Order states the following:

*We direct the Division to file a written preliminary evaluation of the pilot program per item 4, including the identification of issues or concerns with the program, within four months after the conclusion of the second calendar year of the pilot.*

The Division interprets the “second calendar year” to be calendar year 2013. As such, the Division is currently required to file the Report no later than April 30, 2014.

## **ISSUE AND CONCLUSION**

The Commission's scheduling order in the current Rocky Mountain Power rate case (Docket No. 13-035-184) requires direct testimony to be filed on May 1, 2014. This direct testimony date is one day after the current deadline for the Division's Report. Due to the work load in preparing direct testimony in the rate case as well as other assignments, the Division requests the due date for the Division's report be moved to May 22, 2014.

CC David Taylor, Rocky Mountain Power  
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