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Public Service Commission of Utah Heber M. Wells Building, 4th Floor 160 East 300 South Salt Lake City, UT 84114

Attention: Gary Widerburg Commission Secretary

RE: Docket No. 17-035-13

In the Matter of Rocky Mountain Power's Notice and Request for Extension of Deadlines Related to Schedule 38, Removal from QF Pricing Queue – Sections I.B.9 and I.B.10.e

Dear Mr. Widerburg:

The purpose of this letter is to respond to the comments filed by the Office of Consumer Services and the Division of Public Utilities dated March 17, 2017, in the docket referenced above (together, the "Comments").

Rocky Mountain Power appreciates the Comments acknowledging the need for extensions under Schedule 38. In its Comments, the Office requested additional information related to the request for an extension under Schedule 38's Required Pricing Update in Section I.B.9 which states that pricing must be recalculated if a PPA has not been executed within six (6) months after indicative pricing was provided to the project developer.

The Company requests an extension of 62 days under Section I.B.9 because it would coincide with the request for extension of the PPA execution deadline to April 24, 2017, and it would provide maximum flexibility for the parties to work through the negotiations. Specifically, the Company requests an extension of the Required Pricing Update, Section I.B.9 to April 24, 2017.

Feel free to contact Mr. Bob Lively at (801) 220-4052 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I hereby certify that on this 23rd day of March 2017, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail to the following:

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