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Comm. B. T. Stewart, Chairman
Public Service Commission of Utah
Heber M. Wells Building
160 East 300 South
Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

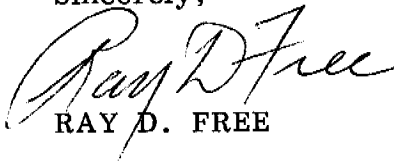
Dear Commissioner Stewart:

It appears the proposed merger of Utah Power and Light would be highly beneficial to the State of Utah, to the public as a whole and to the shareholders of Utah Power and Light.

The indications are that such a merger would be a great asset to the financial structure of the local entity and could improve the rate structure to Utah Power and Light customers. This would be highly helpful to the development of the industrial sector of the community.

I believe a favorable response to this question will be a real asset to the State of Utah.

Sincerely,


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