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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

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IN THE MATTER OF THE FORMAL  
COMPLAINT AGAINST QUESTAR GAS  
COMPANY REGARDING NOMINATION  
PROCEDURES AND PRACTICES FOR  
TRANSPORTATION SERVICE  
CUSTOMERS

Docket No. 14-057-19  
JOINT MOTION FOR DISMISSAL

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Pursuant to Utah Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(2), CIMA ENERGY LTD., Summit Energy, LLC, Continuum Energy Services, LLC (previously known as Seminole Energy Services, L.L.C.), Utility Cost Management Consultants, the Utah Association of Energy Users, ATK Propulsion Systems, American Pacific Corporation, Hexcel Corporation, Intermountain Healthcare, May Foundry & Machine Company, and US Magnesium LLC, (collectively Complainants); and Questar Gas Company (Questar Gas)<sup>1</sup>, by and through their legal counsel of record, stipulate and agree that all claims asserted and requests for agency action made in the

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<sup>1</sup> All of the aforementioned parties shall be referred to herein individually as “Party” and collectively as “Parties.”

Complaint, Request for Declaratory and Injunctive Relief, and Request for Agency Action (Complaint) filed in the above-referenced docket have been settled and should be dismissed in accordance with the terms of this Motion. The dismissal should be effective on the day that the Entity Level confirmation procedures take effect as a result of the Questar Pipeline Notice, as described below.

On May 13, 2014, Questar Pipeline Company (Questar Pipeline) notified its shippers that effective July 1, 2014, it would begin requiring electronic confirmations utilizing an “Entity and Contract” level confirmation process. Entity and Contract level confirmations require Questar Pipeline’s shippers to provide Questar Pipeline with nominated volumes for each downstream TS Customer contract on Questar Gas. Questar Pipeline provides this information to Questar Gas and Questar Gas confirms the nominations for each of its TS Customers. Questar Gas communicates the confirmed nominations to Questar Pipeline.

Questar Pipeline has indicated that it will require and perform “Entity Level” confirmation procedures, as described below, for all shippers at its interconnects with Questar Gas. To the understanding of the Parties, with the Entity Level confirmation procedures, a shipper requesting service on Questar Pipeline (Service Requester) will be required to provide to Questar Pipeline, and Questar Pipeline will provide to Questar Gas, only one confirmation quantity for each Service Requester and downstream entity pairing. A Questar Gas TS Customer or its agent can be an “Entity.” Each such Entity will be required to provide Questar Gas with nominations for every TS Customer contract. Questar Gas will compare those volumes nominated and allocate them, when necessary, utilizing the Entity’s upstream nomination

priority ranking specified in the Questar Gas nomination, for all TS Customer contracts associated with that Entity.

It is the Parties' understanding that Questar Pipeline will use a similar process at the Questar Pipeline/Questar Gas interconnects to make corresponding confirmation reductions when necessary at the Entity level. Upon execution of this Settlement Agreement, Questar Pipeline is expected to issue a notice allowing Entity Level confirmation procedures as described above at its interconnects with Questar Gas beginning on November 1, 2014 (Notice). Adoption of Entity Level nomination procedures as described herein is a condition to dismissal of the Complaint, as described below. The Parties agree that the Entity Level confirmation procedure as described herein expected to be implemented by Questar Pipeline's Notice will resolve the matters raised in the Complaint to the satisfaction of the Complainants, so long as the Entity Level confirmation procedure as described herein takes effect by November 1, 2014, and thereafter remains in effect. The Parties therefore move for dismissal of the Complaint with prejudice effective as of November 1, 2014, the effective date of the Notice, but conditioned upon Questar Pipeline implementing and retaining the Entity Level confirmation procedure as described herein at Questar Pipeline's interconnects with Questar Gas. If Questar Pipeline ever modifies or eliminates, or provides notice of its intent to modify or eliminate, the Entity Level confirmation procedure as described herein at its interconnects with Questar Gas, the dismissal will be without prejudice and Complainants may again raise any or all of the issues and claims asserted in the Complaint.

Counsel for the Parties have communicated with representatives of the Division of Public Utilities (Division), the Officer of Consumer Services (Office) and Shell Energy North America

(US), L.P. (Shell), and the Parties are authorized to represent that the Division, the Office and Shell do not oppose the dismissal of this matter.

Therefore, the Parties hereby move this Court for dismissal of all claims and requests for agency action asserted in the Complaint in the above-entitled action as specified above. Each party agrees to bear its own costs and fees in this action.

Dated this \_\_\_\_ day of October, 2014.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that on this \_\_\_\_ day of October, 2014, a true and correct copy of the foregoing **JOINT MOTION FOR DISMISSAL WITH PREJUDICE** was served by email as follows:

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