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March 22, 2023

Mr. Kelly B. Mendenhall
Dominion Energy Utah
333 S State Street
Salt Lake City, UT 84145

Re: *Dominion Energy Utah's Application for Approval of the 2022 Year Budget for Energy Efficiency Programs and Market Transformation Initiative*, Docket No. 21-057-25; *Dominion Energy Utah's Energy Efficiency Reports, 2022*, Docket No. 22-057-01; and *Dominion Energy Utah's Energy Efficiency Reports, 2023*, Docket No. 23-057-05

Dear Mr. Mendenhall:

The Public Service Commission (PSC) reviewed Dominion Energy Utah's (DEU) February 14, 2023 filing of its Energy Efficiency Report for the Year Ending December 31, 2022 ("Report").¹ The Report provides 2022 4th quarter and full year totals for DEU's energy efficiency (EE) programs, including program participation, costs, and natural gas savings.

DPU submitted comments on March 16, 2023. DPU recommends the PSC acknowledge that DEU's Report complies with its reporting requirements.² DPU states that DEU administers eight energy efficiency programs including the Low-Income, Market Transformation Initiative (MTI), and six programs under the ThermWise® protocol. According to the Report, DEU spent 82.4% of the 2022 total annual budget. Additionally, the Report indicates participation in the eight programs fell from 311,370 in 2021 to 281,429 in 2022 and the number of participants receiving rebates decreased from 57,768 in 2021 to 53,429 in 2022. However, the Report also indicates the 2022

¹ DEU is required to file an energy efficiency report with the Division of Public Utilities (DPU) pursuant to DEU's commitments in its January 6, 2011 comments filed in Docket No. 10-057-15.

² See *Application for Approval of the 2011 Year Budget for Energy Efficiency Programs and Market Transformation Initiative*; Docket No. 10-057-15. In its January 6, 2011 comments, DEU agreed to, among other things, provide the Office of Consumer Services and DPU with quarterly reports setting forth data relating to program participation, Dth savings, actual spending, and budgets.

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deemed energy savings of the EE programs increased from 826,644 to 843,751 Dth. Additionally, DPU acknowledges the overall success of DEU's EE programs.

Based on the PSC's review of DEU's Report and DPU's comments and recommendation, the PSC acknowledges that DEU's Report complies with reporting requirements.

Sincerely,

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg

PSC Secretary

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