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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY, IN CONFORMANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF A.R.S. § 40-360 ET SEQ., FOR A

CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AUTHORIZING THE WILDCAT AND CYCLONE TRANSMISSION

LINE PROJECT, WHICH INCLUDES THE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW 230-KILOVOLT SINGLE CIRCUIT TRANSMISSION LINES,

WITH THE INTERCONNECTION

ORIGINATING AT THE EXISTING APS PALM

WITHIN MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA.

VALLEY-RUDD 230-KV TRANSMISSION LINE 10 (RUDD TRANSMISSION LINE), PROCEEDING

TO THE TS15 SUBSTATION, NE QUARTER OF 11 THE SW QUARTER OF SECTION 21 OF

TOWNSHIP 1 NORTH, RANGE 1 WEST, AND 12 CONTINUING SOUTH TERMINATING AT THE RUDD TRANSMISSION LINE LOCATED

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NOTICE OF FLING SAMPLE FORMS OF ORDERS FOR CASE NO. 183

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The Arizona Corporation Commission's (Commission) Legal Division hereby provides sample forms of orders for the Commission's convenience when considering the above-captioned matter. Sample Order No. 1 is in a format suitable for Commission approval of the Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee's (Siting Committee) Certificate of Environmental Compatibility (CEC) decision. Sample Order No. 2 is in a format to allow Commission modifications to the Siting Committee's CEC decision. Sample Order No. 3 is in a format suitable for Commission denial of the Siting Committee's CEC decision.

This matter has not yet been scheduled for consideration by the Commission at an Open Meeting. However, the Commission may schedule this matter for consideration at an Open Meeting scheduled for November 5, 2019.

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Parties are advised to regularly check the Commission's web page for Open Meeting agendas at https://www.azcc.gov/calendar.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 2nd day of October, 2019.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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BEFORE THE ARIZONA POWER PLANT AND TRANSMISSION LINE SITING COMMITTEE

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2	THE THE SMISSION EN	E SITING COMMITTEE	
3	IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY, IN	DOCKET NO. L-00000D-19-0196-00183	
4	CONFORMANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF A.R.S. § 40-360 ET SEQ., FOR A	CASE NO. 183	
5	CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AUTHORIZING THE	DECISION NO	
6	WILDCAT AND CYCLONE TRANSMISSION LINE PROJECT, WHICH INCLUDES THE		
7	CONSTRUCTION OF NEW 230-KILOVOLT SINGLE CIRCUIT TRANSMISSION LINES,		
8	WITH THE INTERCONNECTION ORIGINATING AT THE EXISTING APS PALM	SAMPLE ORDER NO. 1	
9	VALLEY-RUDD 230-KV TRANSMISSION LINE (RUDD TRANSMISSION LINE), PROCEEDING	(Sample Form of Order for the Convenience of the Commission to Use if the Commission	
10	TO THE TS15 SUBSTATION, NE QUARTER OF THE SW QUARTER OF SECTION 21 OF	Determines it is in the Public Interest to Grant the Project a CEC as Issued by the	
11	TOWNSHIP 1 NORTH, RANGE 1 WEST, AND CONTINUING SOUTH TERMINATING AT THE	Siting Committee's Decision.)	
12	RUDD TRANSMISSION LINE LOCATED WITHIN MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA.		
13	WITHIN MARICOLA COUNT 1, ARIZONA.		
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15	Open Meeting November 5 and 6, 2019		
16	Phoenix, Arizona		
17	BY THE COMMISSION:		
18	Pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360, et seq., after due consideration of all relevant matters, the		
19	Arizona Corporation Commission (Commission) finds and concludes that the Certificate of		
20	Environmental Compatibility (CEC) issued by the Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting		
21	Committee (Siting Committee) is hereby approved as granted by this Order.		
22	The Commission, in reaching its decision,	has balanced all relevant matters in the broad	
23	public interest, including the need for an adequate, e	economical, and reliable supply of electric power	
24	with the desire to minimize the effect thereof on the	environment and ecology of this state, and finds	
25	that granting the Project a CEC is in the public interest.		
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The Commission further finds and concludes that in balancing the broad public interest in this matter:

- 1. The Project is in the public interest because it aids the state in meeting the need for an adequate, economical, and reliable supply of electric power.
- In balancing the need for the Project with its effect on the environment and ecology of the state, the conditions placed on the CEC effectively minimize its impact on the environment and ecology of the state.
- 3. The conditions placed on the CEC resolve matters concerning the need for the Project and its impact on the environment and ecology of the state raised during the course of proceedings and, as such, serve as the findings on the matters raised.
- 4. In light of these conditions, the balancing in the broad public interest results in favor of granting the CEC.

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Decision No.

1 THE CEC ISSUED BY THE SITING COMMITTEE IS 2 INCORPORATED HEREIN AND IS APPROVED BY ORDER OF 3 THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION 4 5 6 CHAIRMAN BURNS COMMISSIONER DUNN 7 8 COMMISSIONER TOBIN COMMISSIONER KENNEDY COMMISSIONER OLSON 10 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, MATTHEW J. NEUBERT, Executive Director of the Arizona Corporation Commission, 11 have hereunto, set my hand and caused the official seal of this 12 Commission to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Phoenix, day of ______, this 13 2019. 14 15 16 MATTHEW J. NEUBERT 17 **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR** 18 DISSENT: 19 20 DISSENT: 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

BEFORE THE ARIZONA POWER PLANT AND TRANSMISSION LINE SITING COMMITTEE

2 IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF 3 ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY, IN CONFORMANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS 4 OF A.R.S. § 40-360 ET SEQ., FOR A CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AUTHORIZING THE WILDCAT AND CYCLONE TRANSMISSION LINE PROJECT, WHICH INCLUDES THE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW 230-KILOVOLT SINGLE CIRCUIT TRANSMISSION LINES, WITH THE INTERCONNECTION ORIGINATING AT THE EXISTING APS PALM VALLEY-RUDD 230-KV TRANSMISSION LINE (RUDD TRANSMISSION LINE), PROCEEDING TO THE TS15 SUBSTATION, NE QUARTER OF 10 THE SW QUARTER OF SECTION 21 OF TOWNSHIP 1 NORTH, RANGE 1 WEST, AND 11 CONTINUING SOUTH TERMINATING AT THE RUDD TRANSMISSION LINE LOCATED 12 WITHIN MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA. 13 14 Open Meeting November 5 and 6, 2019 15 Phoenix, Arizona 16

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SAMPLE ORDER NO. 2

(Sample Form of Order for the Convenience of the Commission to Use if the Commission Determines it is in the Public Interest to Grant the Project a CEC but also Determines that the Public Interest Requires that the Commission Modify the CEC as Issued by the Siting Committee's Decision.)

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BY THE COMMISSION:

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360, *et seq.*, after due consideration of all relevant matters, the Arizona Corporation Commission (Commission) finds and concludes that the Certificate of Environmental Compatibility (CEC) issued by the Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee (Siting Committee) is hereby approved as modified by this Order.

The Commission, in reaching its decision, has balanced all relevant matters in the broad public interest, including the need for an adequate, economical, and reliable supply of electric power with the desire to minimize the effect thereof on the environment and ecology of this state, and finds that the CEC for the above-captioned application for siting approval is in the public interest as modified by the Order.

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The Commission modifies the CEC to add the following conditions:

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The Project is in the public interest because it aids the state in meeting the need for an 1. adequate, economical, and reliable supply of electric power.

- In balancing the need for the Project with its effect on the environment and ecology of 2. the state, the conditions placed on the CEC as modified by the Commission effectively minimize its impact on the environment and ecology of the state.
- 3. The conditions placed on the CEC as modified by the Commission resolve matters concerning the need for the Project and its impacts on the environment and ecology of the state raised during the course of proceedings and, as such, serve as the findings on the matters raised.
- 4. In light of these conditions, the balancing in the broad public interest results in favor of granting the CEC as modified by the Commission.

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9	COMMISSIONER TOBIN COMMISSIONER KENNEDY COMMISSIONER OLSON		
10	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, MATTHEW J. NEUBERT,		
11	Executive Director of the Arizona Corporation Commission, have hereunto, set my hand and caused the official seal of this		
12	Commission to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Phoenix,		
13	thisday of, 2019.		
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DECISION NO.

SAMPLE ORDER NO. 3

(Sample Form of Order for the Convenience of the Commission to Use if the Commission Determines it is in the Public Interest to Deny the Project the CEC Issued by the Siting Committee's Decision.)

BY THE COMMISSION:

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360, et seq., after due consideration of all relevant matters, the Arizona Corporation Commission (Commission) finds and concludes that the above-captioned Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility (CEC) for siting approval is not in the public interest and therefore the CEC issued by the Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee (Siting Committee) is hereby denied by this Order.

The Commission, in reaching its decision, has balanced all relevant matters in the broad public interest, including the need for an adequate, economical, and reliable supply of electric power with the desire to minimize the effect thereof on the environment and ecology of this state, and finds that granting the Project a CEC is not in the public interest.

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The Commission finds and concludes that in balancing the broad public interest in this matter:

- 1. The evidence in the record is not sufficient to weigh the balancing of the public interest in favor of granting a CEC in this matter when all the factors set forth in A.R.S. § 40-360.06 are considered along with the need for an adequate, economical, and reliable supply of electric power.
- 2. The conditions placed upon the CEC are not sufficient to weigh the balancing of the public interest in favor of granting a CEC in this matter when all the factors set forth in A.R.S. § 40-360.06 are considered along with the need for an adequate, economical, and reliable supply of electric power.
- 3. The record compels balancing the competing public interests in favor of protection of the environment and ecology of the State of Arizona by denying Applicant a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility.
- The CEC issued by the Siting Committee should not be confirmed and approved by the Commission.
- The Commission's findings one through four above serve as the Commission's findings of fact and conclusions of law in reaching its decision.

Therefore, the Commission further finds and concludes that the CEC issued by the Siting Committee is hereby denied by this Order; and, the above-captioned Application for a CEC is hereby denied by this Order.

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