

**PUBLIC NOTICE OF HEARING ON CERTAIN
ISSUES IN THE 2013 RENEWABLE ENERGY
RULES COMPLIANCE FILINGS OF ARIZONA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY, TUCSON ELECTRIC
POWER COMPANY, AND UNS ELECTRIC, INC.
(DOCKET NOS. E-01345A-10-0394 ET AL.)**

On January 31, 2013, the Arizona Corporation Commission (“Commission”) issued Decisions on the applications that Arizona Public Service Company (“APS”), Tucson Electric Power Company (“TEP”), and UNS Electric, Inc. (“UNS”) (collectively, “Utilities”) filed in Docket Nos. E-01345A-10-0394 et al. in order to satisfy their annual compliance requirements under Arizona Administrative Code R14-2-1801 et al. (“Renewable Energy Rules”). The Commission’s Decisions on the 2013 Renewable Energy Rules compliance filings deferred two issues to a hearing, so that the Commission can take evidence and hear legal arguments on certain issues. Those issues concern: 1) whether the Utilities should be allowed, in the absence of payment of incentives, to use a “track and record” means of securing compliance with their Distributed Renewable Energy Requirements under the Renewable Energy Rules; and 2) whether the Utilities should be allowed, in their calculation of Renewable Energy Rules requirements, to exclude retail sales to their largest customers (with 3 megawatts or greater in demand) from their overall retail sales calculations under Arizona Administrative Code R14-2-1804.

The Commission will consider testimony and evidence on the two issues at a joint evidentiary hearing involving the Utilities and interested parties. Parties to the proceeding will be required to file any witness testimony and exhibits prior to the hearing. Witnesses presenting evidence will be required to be present at the hearing for cross-examination on testimony and exhibits. Parties will also be required to prepare and file legal briefs following the hearing to provide legal support for their positions. The Commission is not bound by the proposals made by any party to this proceeding.

How You Can View or Obtain a Copy of Documents

Copies of the Utilities’ applications and subsequent filings are available on the Internet via UNS’s website (www.uesaz.com) and at following locations: the Mohave County Library District Lake Havasu City branch at 1770 N. McCulloch Blvd, Lake Havasu City, AZ 86403; the Mohave County Library District Kingman branch, 3269 N. Burbank Street, Kingman, AZ 86402; the Nogales-Santa Cruz County Public Library Nogales-Rochlin Library, 518 North Grand Ave., Nogales, Arizona 85621; the Commission’s Docket Control Center at 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, Arizona, for public inspection during regular business hours; and on the Internet via the Commission’s website www.azcc.gov using the e-Docket function, located at the bottom of the web page, and referencing Docket Nos. E-01345A-10-0394 et al.

Arizona Corporation Commission Public Hearing Information

The Commission will hold a hearing on this matter beginning **June 3, 2013, at 10:00 a.m.**, at the Commission’s offices, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona. Public comments will be taken on the first day of the hearing.

Interested parties may participate in this matter through (1) filing for intervention and becoming a formal party to the proceeding; or (2) through written or oral public comment. **Written public comments may be submitted at any time by mailing a letter referencing Docket Nos. E-01345A-10-0394 et al.** to: Arizona Corporation Commission, Consumer Services Section, 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, AZ 85007. If you require assistance, you may contact the Consumer Services Section at 602.542.4251 or 1.800.222.7000.

If you do not intervene in this proceeding, you will receive no further notice of the proceedings in these dockets. **However, all documents filed in this docket are available online** (usually within 24 hours after docketing) at the Commission's website www.azcc.gov using the e-Docket function, located at the bottom of the web page and referencing Docket Nos. E-01345A-10-0394 et al. RSS feeds are also available through e-Docket.

About Intervention

You do not need to intervene if you want to appear at the hearing and provide public comment on the issues, or if you want to file written comments in the record of the case.

Any person or entity entitled by law to intervene and having a direct substantial interest in the matter will be permitted to intervene. The granting of intervention entitles a party to present sworn evidence at hearing and to cross-examine other witnesses. **If you wish to intervene, you must file original and 13 copies of a written motion to intervene with the Commission's Docket Control Center no later than April 15, 2013, and send a copy of the motion to all parties of record.**

Contact information for the parties of record is located on the "Service List" tab for Docket No. E-01345A-10-0394 et al. using the Commission's e-Docket function. Your motion to intervene must contain the following:

1. Your name, address, and telephone number, and the name, address, and telephone number of any party upon whom service of documents is to be made, if not yourself;
2. A short statement of your interest in the proceeding (e.g., a customer, a shareholder, etc.); and
3. A statement certifying that you have mailed a copy of the motion to intervene to all parties of record in the case.

The granting of motions to intervene is governed by A.A.C. R14-3-105, except that all motions to intervene must be filed on or before April 15, 2013. For a sample intervention request form, go to <http://www.azcc.gov/divisions/utilities/FORMS/interven.pdf>. All parties must comply with Arizona Supreme Court Rules 31 and 38 and A.R.S. § 40-243 with respect to the practice of law.

If you do intervene, and you wish to present direct testimony and associated exhibits at the hearing, you must, on or before April 24, 2013: (1) reduce your witness direct testimony and associated exhibits to writing, (2) file the original and 13 copies of your testimony and exhibits with the Commission's Docket Control Center by 4:00 p.m., and (3) mail a copy to each party of record.

ADA/Equal Access Information

The Commission does not discriminate on the basis of disability in admission to its public meetings. Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation such as a sign language interpreter, as well as request this document in an alternative format, by contacting the ADA Coordinator, Shaylin Bernal, email SAbernal@azcc.gov, voice phone number 602-542-3931. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.