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IN THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY  
WESTERN AREA POWER ADMINISTRATION  
PHOENIX, ARIZONA

ANCILLARY SERVICES AND NETWORK INTEGRATED TRANSMISSION  
PUBLIC COMMENT FORUM

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Be it remembered that heretofore on April 6, 2011,  
commencing at 1:12 p.m., at the offices of the Western Area  
Power Administration, Phoenix, Arizona, the following  
proceedings were had, to wit:

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BY MR. DOUG HARNESS	3

COMMENTS BY:  
(No comments were made)

1 MR. HARNESS: Okay. Folks, why don't we go ahead  
2 and begin, if we could, please. Good afternoon and welcome  
3 to today's Public Comment Forum. My name is Doug Harness,  
4 and I'm an attorney with Western Area Power Administration  
5 from our corporate services office in Lakewood, Colorado.

6 The purpose of this Forum is to give interested  
7 parties the opportunity to make oral presentations and/or to  
8 submit written comments for the record on the proposed rate  
9 methodologies for the Western Area Lower Colorado or WALC  
10 Balancing Authority Ancillary Service including generator  
11 and imbalance service, as well as for Network Integration  
12 Transmission Service on the Parker-Davis Project Intertie  
13 Project. Western proposes to make these rates effective on  
14 October 1, 2011.

15 Written comments on the proposed methodologies may  
16 be submitted and that is received by Western until May 16th,  
17 2011 at the end of the comment period. These comments  
18 should be sent to Mr. Darrick Moe, Regional Manager of  
19 Western's Desert Southwest Regional Office.

20 A verbatim transcript of today's Forum is being  
21 prepared by or court reporter. Everything said while we are  
22 in session today, together with all exhibits, will be part  
23 of the official record. Copies of today's transcript will  
24 be available to anyone who would like a copy upon payment of  
25 the required fee to the court report. Copies of the

1 transcript and the complete record of this public process  
2 will also be available for review here at the Phoenix office  
3 and at Western's headquarters in Lakewood, Colorado.

4 All presentations given today should be relevant  
5 to the proposed methodologies and as the moderator, I  
6 reserve the right to disallow any comments which are not  
7 relevant to the subject of today's Forum.

8 Any relevant materials to be introduced in the  
9 record should be given to the court reporter and she'll  
10 assign it an exhibit number. After the close of the comment  
11 period, all comments, exhibits and other information  
12 received will be reviewed and considered. Western will then  
13 issue a notice in the Federal Register. Comments made  
14 during this public process will be discussed in this notice.

15 We don't have a sign-up sheet today, so what we'll  
16 do is I'll just open the floor here in a minute for any  
17 comments. I would ask that after you've been recognized, if  
18 you would please state your name and that of any  
19 organization that you represent, and if you would, please,  
20 spell your name for the convenience of our court reporter.

21 In addition, if you have an extra copy of your  
22 presentation, please give it to the court reporter.

23 Finally, we have no formal presentation today.  
24 The sole purpose of this Forum is to listen to any comments  
25 you might have regarding the proposed rates. So with that,

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1 we will open the floor for comments.

2 (Pause.)

3 MR. HARNESS: Don't all try to speak at the same  
4 time, folks. Would anybody like to make any comments?

5 Okay, Jack's coming out there back in the corner.  
6 Okay. Well, last chance. Okay.

7 (Pause.)

8 MR. HARNESS: Well, with that, I guess in noting  
9 that no one indicated that they would like to comment, we'll  
10 wrap this up. But before we do, certainly we'd like to  
11 thank you all for coming today and your interest in this.

12 I would also ask that if you haven't already done  
13 so, if you could please sign the attendance roster, which  
14 was out by the doors as you came into this room. Also,  
15 please remember that any written comments are due by the  
16 16th of May.

17 So, again, thank you for your attendance, and  
18 we'll go off the record. Thank you.

19 (Whereupon, the proceedings terminated at  
20 1:14 p.m.)

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