

BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO PUBLIC REGULATION COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING OF ADVICE NOTICE)
NO. 69 BY SOCORRO ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.)
) Case No. 18-00383-UT
SOCORRO ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.,)
APPLICANT.)

PREHEARING ORDER

This hearing examiner, Christopher P. Ryan, was appointed as the presiding officer of this matter by the New Mexico Public Regulation Commission on April 8, 2022.

A prehearing conference will be conducted on Wednesday April 20, 2022, at 2:30 pm. This date is selected to permit the hearing examiner time to review the extensive record in this case and prepare as necessary. At the prehearing, the parties should be prepared to address the following matters.

- The date for a public hearing.
- Whether there need be any modification or specification concerning discovery procedures and discovery timelines.
- What are the issues in this case for which evidence must be submitted, and do they include the following?
 - Whether regulatory liabilities should be created for customer classes who have been charged rates exceeding those the Commission approved by final order issued September 11, 2019.
 - Whether customers in the large-commercial and load-management-service classes should have accrued savings since SEC declined to comply with the Commission’s final order.
 - Whether SEC might have to pay customer refunds? What customers and how much?
 - How should the Commission’s cease and desist order be enforced?

- Any other issues?

To the extent addressing any of the matters identified above requires the parties to confer, they should do so.

The hearing examiner may formulate additional questions as he reviews the record. If necessary, he will issue a notice about topics that he will expect the parties to be prepared to address.

To the extent any party believes issues not expressly identified here should be discussed, they may file a notice entitled “Notice Concerning Matters that Should be Addressed at the Prehearing.” It is unnecessary for any party to file such a document unless they wish to do so. Extensive writing on a subject will not be useful. The point of permitting parties to file these notices is to make the prehearing productive.

DATED April 13, 2022

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Christopher P. Ryan
Hearing Examiner

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I CERTIFY that on the indicated below I sent via e-mail to the parties listed here a true and correct copy of the order above.

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