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Memorandum

To: L. Massaro

Commission Clerk

From: D. R. Stearns 

Rate Analyst, Division of Public Utilities & Carriers

Date: 12/11/2009

Re: Pascoag Utility District Transition, Transmission, and Standard Offer Charges, RIPUC
Docket 4129 – CLARIFICATION OF PREVIOUS MEMO

On December 7, 2009 the Division filed with the Commission a memo regarding this docket.

The final bullet item on page 3 of that memo states:

- “Additionally, the Commission should instruct Pascoag to continue the practice of monitoring purchased power revenue and expense, and to file semi-annual status reports with the Commission, with actual account balances as of the most recent month available, and a projection of the level of under recovery or over recovery for each account as of December 31, 2010.”

It has come to the attention of the Division that the Commission’s Report and Order number 19583, in Docket 4006, Pascoag’s annual reconciliation of its Standard Offer, Transmission and Transition rates for 2009 states, in part:

“Based on the strength of Pascoag’s financial management, the Commission finds it unnecessary to continue the requirement that Pascoag file mid-year status reports with the Commission. Pascoag shall file monthly status reports with the Division reflecting over and/or under collections.”

The Division recommends that the Company’s practice of filing semi-annual reports remain discontinued during 2010 as well, and that Pascoag continues supplying monthly reports with the Division.

Cc: Thomas Ahern,

Administrator, Division of Public Utilities and Carriers