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INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

Q: Please state your name and business address.

A: My name is Larry Allen and my business address is Washington Navy Yard, 1322
Patterson Avenue SE, Suite 1000, Washington D.C. 20374-5065.

Q: On whose behalf are you testifying?

A: I am testifying on behalf of the Federal Executive Agencies (FEA).

Q: Mr. Allen, by whom are you employed and in what capacity?

A. I am employed as a Public Utilities Specialist by the Department of the Navy (DON). I
became employed by the DON in 2008.

Q: What is the purpose of your testimony in this proceeding?

A: I am testifying in support of the Multiparty Settlement Stipulation and Agreement
(Settlement) filed in this docket. The FEA supports the Settlement as a reasonable
compromise of competing interests with respect to the matters addressed therein. The
Settlement should not be interpreted to suggest that I or the FEA consider any individual

element of the Settlement to be reasonable on a precedential or stand-alone basis. The Settlement is acceptable to FEA because it results in no change in overall electric rates and provides for the deferral of AMI related costs allowing the parties sufficient time to adequately assess and address issues in PSE's next general rate case. For the foregoing reasons, the Settlement constitutes a reasonable compromise agreement from the FEA's perspective and therefore, FEA supports the Settlement and affirms that the Settlement is consistent with the law and the public interest.

Q: Does this conclude your testimony?

A: Yes.