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PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF TEXAS

ORDER REQUESTING LISTS OF ISSUES

Entergy Texas, Inc. and East Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc. (ETEC) jointly filed a report and application under Public Utility Regulatory Act (PURA)¹ §§ 14.101, 37.053, 37.056, 37.058, 37.154, and 39.452(j). Entergy Texas and ETEC are requesting that the Commission approve an amendment to Entergy Texas's certificate of convenience and necessity to acquire the Hardin County Peaking Facility and associated assets and common facilities, determine that the full acquisition cost of the Hardin Facility is in the public interest, determine that the full acquisition cost of the Hardin Facility is recoverable as invested capital for ratemaking purposes, and authorize Entergy Texas to transfer a partial interest in the Montgomery County Power Station to ETEC.

The Commission will issue a preliminary order that will contain a list of the issues to be addressed in this docket, as well as any necessary statement of Commission policy, precedent, or position on any threshold legal or policy issues relevant to this proceeding. To assist the Commission in drafting that order, Entergy Texas and ETEC must, and Commission Staff and any other interested party may, file in this docket a list of issues to be addressed in the docket by May 20, 2020. This pleading may also identify any issues that should not be addressed in the docket and identify any threshold legal and policy issues that should be briefed for purposes of a preliminary order. Specific explanations shall support any issues not to be addressed or threshold issues identified in the pleading. Parties shall not file responses to any pleading submitted in response to this Order, unless specifically requested.

Public Utility Regulatory Act, Tex. Util. Code § 11.001–66.016.

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The Commission's preliminary order will provide a list of issues and areas that must be addressed in this proceeding and any necessary statement of Commission policy, precedent, or position on threshold issues, or combination thereof, relevant to this proceeding. The Commission will consider and possibly adopt a preliminary order in this docket at the open meeting currently

Signed at Austin, Texas the 14th day of May 2020.

Electronically signed by Stephen Journeay STEPHEN JOURNEAY COMMISSION COUNSEL

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scheduled to convene on May 29, 2020.