

BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO PUBLIC REGULATION COMMISSION

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW MEXICO)
FOR APPROVAL OF ELECTRIC ENERGY)
EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS AND PROGRAM)
COST TARIFF RIDER PURSUANT TO THE)
NEW MEXICO PUBLIC UTILITY AND)
EFFICIENT USE OF ENERGY ACTS)
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) **Case No. 14-00310-UT**
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**PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF)
NEW MEXICO,)
Applicant.)**
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COALITION FOR CLEAN AFFORDABLE ENERGY
STATEMENT OF OPPOSITION

COMES NOW the Coalition for Clean Affordable Energy ("CCAIE") by and through its attorney, Charles F. Noble, and pursuant to 1.2.2.20.B(2) NMAC hereby submits this Statement of Opposition to the Stipulation filed in this case.

CCAIE opposes the Stipulation filed on January 30, 2015 in this proceeding. CCAIE has concerns that the proposed programs agreed to in the Stipulation do not adequately reduce energy usage on PNM's system, and can be better designed to accomplish their goals of energy reduction and reduced costs to ratepayers over time. CCAIE will provide testimony making recommendations to change certain features of the Stipulated Programs, Budgets and Savings, as summarized in Paragraph 7 of the Stipulation. CCAIE's goal is to assure that the dollars spent by PNM for energy efficiency have the largest and most beneficial effect possible, and will make recommendations to the programs to accomplish that result.

Respectfully submitted,

COALITION FOR CLEAN AFFORDABLE ENERGY

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