

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF  
THE CITY OF Anderson, TEXAS  
DENYING THE APPLICATION OF ENTERGY GULF STATES, INC.,  
FOR APPROVAL OF ITS TRANSITION TO COMPETITION PLAN AND  
THE TARIFFS IMPLEMENTING THE PLAN

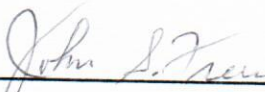
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2. On December 12th, 1996, the City held a hearing in which Entergy Texas addressed the City Council regarding the application. In addition, the Anderson City Council has reviewed the application.
3. The transition to competition plan is a proposal to bring, in an orderly fashion, the benefits of competition in the electric utility industry to Texas retail customers. As such, the plan affects all customers throughout the Texas service territory. Thus, the plan should be considered on a Texas service territory basis.
4. The proposed base rate tariffs depend on the transition to competition plan. Therefore, the proposed tariffs should be considered on a Texas service territory wide basis.

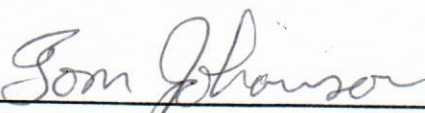
Consequently, based on these findings of fact,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Anderson that the application is denied in order to allow for an appeal that will result in a decision applicable throughout the Company's Texas service territory.

Dated: Dec. 12, 1996

  
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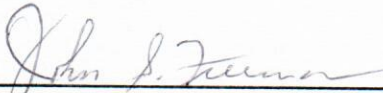
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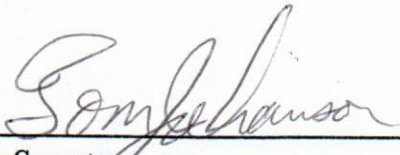
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