## SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

## BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

) Application No. NUSF-108 In the Matter of the Nebraska Progression Order No. 5 Public Service Commission, on its own Motion, to make ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF adjustments to its high-cost distribution mechanism and make TIME revisions to its reporting Entered: January 6, 2020 requirements.

## BY THE HEARING OFFICER:

On January 2, 2020, the Nebraska Rural Independent Companies ("RIC"), filed a Motion for Extension of Time ("Motion"), requesting additional time to and including February 17, 2020 for all interested parties to prepare and file comments in response to the Commission's Progression Order No. 5 entered on December 17, 2019. In support of the Motion, RIC states that its consultants and attorneys have been working diligently to formulate RIC's responses to the questions presented by the Commission. RIC believes that the 30-day extension requested will not unreasonably delay process in this matter.

Upon consideration of RIC's Motion, I am of the opinion and find that an extension of time is warranted. Accordingly, RIC's Motion for Extension of Comment Period should be granted. Interested parties shall have to and including February 17, 2020 to file initial comments with the Commission. Reply Comments shall be due on or before March 6, 2020.

## ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Hearing Officer in the abovecaptioned matter that the Motion for Extension of Comment Period filed by the Nebraska Rural Independent Companies shall be, and it is hereby, granted.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska this 6th day of January, 2020.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

By: Mary Ridder