October 30, 2008

Public Utilities Commission 1560 Broadway Denver, CO 80202

RE: Disclosure of Permitted Ex Parte Meeting on October 29, 2008 with Commissioner Baker—Docket 08I-113EG.

Dear Utilities Commission,

The purpose of this letter is to disclose a permitted *ex parte* meeting between Leslie Glustrom and PUC Chairman Binz at 3 pm on Wednesday October 29, 2008. Also in attendance at the meeting were Commission Staff Geri Santos-Rach, Barbara Fernandez and Mike Hydock.

This disclosure is being made in accordance with Decision C08-0903, Paragraph 21.

The meeting discussed the Electric Commodity Adjustment, its history, ways to improve consumer understanding of the ECA and other riders and ways to partition the risk of fuel cost more equitably between ratepayers and Xcel.

No written materials were provided, but a graph of the ECA and the effective monthly rate in January and July 2008 and the size of the DSMCA and RES riders was referred to. A copy of that graph is attached.

I will be happy to answer any questions from Commission staff or other parties regarding this permitted *ex parte* meeting in the 08I-113EG "Utility Incentives" Docket.

Sincerely,

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