

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

DOCKET NO. 03A-192E

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF TRI-STATE GENERATION AND TRANSMISSION ASSOCIATION, INC., P.O. BOX 33695, DENVER, COLORADO FOR A DETERMINATION UNDER 29-20-108(5), C.R.S., THAT THE CONDITIONS IMPOSED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SAN MIGUEL COUNTY, COLORADO, ON TRI-STATE'S PROPOSED NUCLA-TELLURIDE 115 KV TRANSMISSION LINE PROJECT WILL UNREASONABLY IMPAIR TRI-STATE'S ABILITY TO PROVIDE SAFE, RELIABLE, AND ECONOMICAL SERVICE TO THE PUBLIC.

**ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME
TO FILE STATEMENTS OF POSITION**

Mailed Date: November 28, 2003
Adopted Date: November 26, 2003

I. BY THE COMMISSION

A. Statement

1. On November 24, 2003, San Miguel County, by and through the Office of the County Attorney (San Miguel County), filed a motion requesting an extension of time within which parties may file their statement of position.

2. Now being duly advised in the matter, the Commission finds good cause has been stated and will grant the motion.

3. The extension of time shall apply to all parties to this Docket.

II. ORDER**A. The Commission Orders That:**

1. The motion for extension of time filed by San Miguel County is granted. All parties shall be permitted to file their statements of position in this proceeding on or before December 10, 2003.

2. The Commission waives response time to the motion.

3. This Order is effective on its Mailed Date.

**B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING
November 26, 2003.**

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ATTEST: A TRUE COPY

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