



Platte River Power Authority

Customer Authorization to Release Generation and Load Data

This voluntary consent is effective as of the 2nd day of June, 2016, by and between the following parties:

Public Service Company of Colorado, a Colorado corporation, (hereinafter referred to as "PSCo");

and

Platte River Power Authority having its principal office at 2000 East Horsetooth Road, Fort Collins, CO 80525 (hereinafter referred to as "Platte River");

and

Black Hills/Colorado Electric Utility Company, LP having its principal office at 625 Ninth Street, Rapid City, SD 57701 (hereinafter referred to as "BHCE");

"Party" or "Parties" refers to PSCo, Platte River, and BHCE, individually or collectively.

In accordance with 18 C.F.R. § 358.7 **Public Service Company of Colorado, Platte River Power Authority and Black Hills/Colorado Electric Utility Company, LP** hereby jointly and voluntarily authorize their marketing function employees to distribute and gain access to the other Parties electric generator cost and metering data, electric load data, and aggregate net interchange transaction data for the purpose of operating under the Joint Dispatch Service Agreement. This customer authorization will be posted to the PSCo, Platte River and BHCE Open Access Same-Time Information System websites.

PSCo, Platte River and BHCE acknowledge that each Party did not provide any other Party any preferences, either operational or rate-related, in exchange for this voluntary consent. This voluntary consent shall continue in force until either: a) one or more Parties requests to terminate the voluntary consent by providing all other Parties prior written notice of no less than five business days; or b) the final settlement of the last Operating Month after the Joint Dispatch Service Agreement has been terminated.

PLATTE RIVER POWER AUTHORITY

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