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Ms. Cynthia T. Brown
Chief, Section of Administration
Office of Proceedings
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395 E Street, SW
Washington, DC 20423-0001

SENT ELECTRONICALLY AND VIA US POSTAL SERVICE

Dear Ms. Brown:

RE: Arkansas Electric Cooperative Corporation -- Petition for Declaratory Order,
Finance Docket No. 35305

This letter constitutes Otter Tail Power Company's Notice of Intent to Participate as a Party of Record in the above-referenced Declaratory Order proceeding. I will be Otter Tail Power Company's representative for purposes of service in this matter; my address is 215 South Cascade St., Fergus Falls, MN 56537.

Copies of this Notice of Intent to Participate are being mailed via US Postal Service to the service list for this proceeding that was available at the time of submittal.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Stacie Hebert'.

Stacie Hebert
Manager, Supply Services

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