BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

IN RE:)	
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PETITION OF ATMOS ENERGY)	
CORPORATION TO REVISE)	Docket No. 16-00028
PERFORMANCE BASED)	
RATEMAKING MECHANISM TARIFF)	
)	

FIRST DISCOVERY REQUESTS OF ATMOS ENERGY CORPORATION TO TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY STAFF

TO: Tennessee Regulatory Authority Staff

1. Produce all documents generated by each of your witnesses in this matter, including without limitation all notes, reports, correspondence, work-papers, spreadsheets, calculations and the like. The work-papers and calculations should be produced in Excel working format with numbers, formulas and linked files provided.

RESPONSE:

2. Produce all documents that have been referenced or relied upon by each of your witnesses in this matter.

RESPONSE:

3. Produce all hearing exhibits and other documents that you plan to introduce, use, or reference at the hearing on the merits in this matter.

RESPONSE:

4. For the purpose of stating its contentions in this proceeding, provide the specific language of all of TRA Staff's recommended amendments and revisions to the Company's proposed tariff in this matter. Produce a redlined copy of the Company's proposed tariff indicating all of Staff's proposed amendments and revisions.

RESPONSE:

5. Admit that, since at least September 2015, Atmos Energy, TRA Staff, and the CPAD have exchanged email correspondence including draft proposed tariffs and have had multiple in-person discussions concerning Atmos Energy's proposed Performance Based Ratemaking Tariff amendments.

RESPONSE:

6. Admit that TRA Staff had the opportunity to ask questions of the consultant (Exeter) and to provide feedback.

RESPONSE:

7. Admit that TRA Staff and the Company participated in multiple meetings and exchanged multiple drafts of proposed tariff language following Exeter's report.

RESPONSE:

Respectfully submitted,

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