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Via e-Filing

April 28, 2021

Honorable Kimberly D. Bose
Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20426

RE: Berkshire Hathaway Energy Company, Docket No. HC21-7-000
FERC-61, Narrative Description of the Service Company Functions

Dear Ms. Bose:

Pursuant to Section 366.23(a)(2) of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's ("Commission") regulations,¹ Berkshire Hathaway Energy Company ("BHE"), on behalf of itself; its parent, Berkshire Hathaway Inc.; and its service company subsidiaries, hereby electronically files FERC-61, Narrative Description of the Service Company Functions, for each such entity providing service company type functions to the public utility company subsidiaries of BHE during calendar year 2020.

I. Contents of Filing

The contents of this filing are as follows:

- This transmittal letter; and
- FERC-61, Narrative Description of the Service Company Functions, for each of Bridger Coal Company, Interwest Mining Company, Trapper Mining, Inc., MidAmerican Energy Machining Services LLC, NVE Insurance Company, Inc., and Falcon Power Operating Company, for calendar year 2020.

¹ 18 C.F.R. § 366.23(a)(2)

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II. Communication

BHE respectfully requests that all communications regarding this filing be directed to the following individual:

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Sincerely,


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UNITED STATES
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20426

FERC-61

NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF THE SERVICE COMPANY FUNCTIONS

FOR THE PERIOD

Beginning January 1, 2020 and Ending December 31, 2020

Berkshire Hathaway Energy Company (“BHE”), on behalf of itself; its parent, Berkshire Hathaway Inc.; and its service company subsidiaries, hereby submits this FERC-61, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 366.23(a)(2), for the year ended December 31, 2020.

Bridger Coal Company

Bridger Coal Company is a coal mining joint venture 66.67% owned by Pacific Minerals, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of PacifiCorp, an indirect wholly owned public utility subsidiary of BHE, and 33.33% owned by Idaho Energy Resources Co., a subsidiary of Idaho Power Company, an unaffiliated entity. Bridger Coal Company was formed to supply coal to the Jim Bridger generating facility. The Jim Bridger generating facility is 66.67% owned by PacifiCorp and 33.33% owned by Idaho Power Company.

Interwest Mining Company

Interwest Mining Company was a wholly owned subsidiary of PacifiCorp that provided technical, management and administrative services to PacifiCorp and Bridger Coal Company. Interwest Mining Company was formally dissolved on August 27, 2020.

Trapper Mining Inc.

Trapper Mining Inc. is a cooperative in which PacifiCorp holds a 21.40% interest, the Salt River Project Agricultural Improvement and Power District, an unaffiliated entity, holds a 32.10% interest, Tri-State Generation and Transmission Association, Inc., an unaffiliated entity, holds a 26.57% interest and the Platte River Power Authority, an unaffiliated entity, holds a 19.93% interest. Trapper Mining Inc. was formed to supply coal to the Craig generating facility. The Craig generating facility is 19.28% owned by PacifiCorp.

MidAmerican Energy Machining Services LLC

MidAmerican Energy Machining Services LLC is a wholly owned subsidiary of BHE. MidAmerican Energy Machining Services LLC was formed to provide mechanical repairs, metal working, welding and machining services to third parties, including MidAmerican Energy Company (“MEC”), an indirect wholly owned public utility subsidiary of BHE.

NVE Insurance Company, Inc.

NVE Insurance Company, Inc. is an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of NV Energy, Inc. (“NV Energy”), which is an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of BHE. NVE Insurance Company, Inc. was formed to provide captive insurance services to Nevada Power Company and Sierra Pacific Power Company, each a wholly owned public utility subsidiary of NV Energy, including covering portions of the workers’ compensation, automobile and general liability insurance deductibles in NV Energy’s insurance policies, as well as medical stop loss.

Falcon Power Operating Company

Falcon Power Operating Company, is an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of BHE Gas, Inc., an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of CE Generation, LLC, which is an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of BHE Geothermal, LLC, an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Berkshire Hathaway Energy Renewables, LLC, which a subsidiary of Berkshire Hathaway Energy Company. Falcon Power Operating Company was formed to provide operational and maintenance employees for certain natural-gas fired power plants held by Berkshire Hathaway Energy Renewables, LLC.

Respectfully submitted,


Jeffery Erb (Apr 28, 2021 18:47 PDT)

Jeffery B. Erb
Vice President, Corporate Secretary and
Chief Corporate Counsel
Berkshire Hathaway Energy Company

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