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Environmental Improvement Board
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RE: Support for Adoption of Clean Transportation Fuel Standard, EIB 25-23(R)

Dear Chair Suina and Members of the Board:

On behalf of El Paso Electric (EPE), I am writing to express our strong support for the adoption of the Clean Transportation Fuel Standard (CTFS) and the proposed rule 20.2.92 NMAC, Clean Transportation Fuel Program.

As an electric utility providing service to Southern New Mexico, EPE plays a pivotal role in advancing transportation electrification and ensuring reliable, affordable, and sustainable energy for our customers. Through our New Mexico Transportation Electrification Plan (TEP), EPE has demonstrated its commitment to expanding electric vehicle (EV) charging infrastructure in our service territory and developing customer programs and rate options that support electric mobility. In addition, EPE is planning for the additional load from transportation electrification to support EV adoption growth and corresponding energy demand. CTFS presents a great opportunity to accelerate and complement these efforts. Revenues generated through the CTFS could be reinvested in transportation electrification efforts to help reduce cost pressures on customers in our New Mexico service territory.

We respectfully urge the Environmental Improvement Board to adopt proposed new rule 20.2.92 NMAC. El Paso Electric is interested in participating in the program and working alongside stakeholders to help New Mexico achieve meaningful reductions in greenhouse gas emissions from the transportation sector.

Thank you for your consideration and please feel free to reach me at (915)-487-4893 or via email at angie.rodriguez@epelectric.com if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

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