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550 Capitol Street NE, Suite 215  
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Attn: Carol Hulse

**Re: Case No. UE-197**

Dear Ms. Hulse:

Attached please find the AFFIDAVIT OF KEVIN C. HIGGINS on behalf of The FRED MEYERS STORES AND QUALITY FOOD CENTERS, DIVISIONS OF THE KROGER CO. filed in the above referenced matter.

Copies have been served on all parties of record.

Very truly yours,



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Enclosure  
cc: Certificate of Service

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that true copy of the foregoing was served via electronic mail (when available) or regular U.S. Mail (unless otherwise noted), this 7<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2008

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AFFIDAVIT OF KEVIN C. HIGGINS

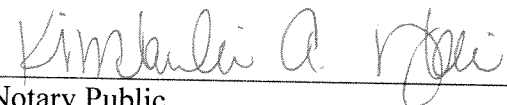
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COUNTY OF SALT LAKE )

Kevin C. Higgins, being first duly sworn, deposes and states that:

1. He is a Principal with Energy Strategies, L.L.C., in Salt Lake City, Utah;
2. He is the witness who sponsors the testimony entitled "Direct Testimony of Kevin C. Higgins" and "Surrebuttal Testimony of Kevin C. Higgins;"
3. Said testimony was prepared by him and under his direction and supervision;
4. If inquiries were made as to the facts and schedules in said testimony he would respond as therein set forth; and
5. The aforesaid testimony and schedules are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

  
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Kevin C. Higgins

Subscribed and sworn to or affirmed before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2008, by Kevin C. Higgins.

  
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Notary Public

My Commission Expires: April 10, 2011

