

Payments under this plan would also continue for 24 months until the arrearage is satisfied.

RMP stated that so long as the respondent agreed to one plan and kept current, it would waive interest on the arrearage.

RMP also renewed its request that should the respondent fail to agree to a plan or comply prospectively with the terms of any payment plan, that it be authorized to terminate the respondent's service.

Additionally, RMP requested that the respondent be ordered to seek assistance from any public assistance programs, e.g. HEAT, Red Cross, etc., for assistance in satisfying respondents' arrearage.

ORDER

Therefore, based upon the foregoing information, and for good cause appearing, the ALJ enters the following proposed ORDER:

1. RMP shall contact the respondent to offer one of the two options stated in this Order.
2. If the respondent selects one option, she shall comply prospectively with the terms of that payment plan.
3. RMP shall waive interest owing on the arrearage so long as the respondents abide by the terms of this Report and Order.
4. Respondent is directed to pursue assistance from any available public assistance programs, e.g. HEAT, Red Cross, etc. If payments are made to the respondent from any

assistance program, these payments shall be applied to the then-outstanding arrearage and will not affect the monthly payment amounts ordered in this Report and Order.

5. If the respondent fails to enter into a payment plan, or if the respondent fails to comply with the terms of any payment plan entered into, RMP shall have the right to disconnect services to respondent's residence in accordance with RMP's regulations and tariff provisions and the applicable rules and regulations of the Commission. RMP shall not be required to seek further approval from the Commission for termination of service, notwithstanding the fact that a resident at respondent's residence may be using life-support equipment. In the event of termination, at least 48 hours prior to terminating said service, RMP shall notify the appropriate Utah state social service agencies of this Order and pending termination.

6. Any person aggrieved by this Order may petition the Commission for review pursuant to the Utah Administrative Procedures Act, U.C.A. § 63-46b-1 *et seq.* Failure to do so will bar judicial review of the grounds not identified for review. U.C.A. § 54-7-15.

DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah, this 28th day of October, 2008.

/s/ Ruben H. Arredondo
Administrative Law Judge

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Approved and confirmed this 28th day of October, 2008, as the Report and
Order of the Public Service Commission of Utah.

/s/ Ted Boyer, Chairman

/s/ Ric Campbell, Commissioner

/s/ Ron Allen, Commissioner

Attest:

/s/ Julie Orchard
Commission Secretary
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