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13 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
14 COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
15 (UNLIMITED JURISDICTION)

16 COORDINATION PROCEEDING SPECIAL
TITLE (Rule 1550(b))
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18 NATURAL GAS ANTI-TRUST CASES
I, II, III & IV
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20 This Document Relates To:
21 ALL PRICE INDEXING CASES
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Judicial Council Coordinating Proceeding
Nos. 4221, 4224, 4226 & 4228

**[JOINTLY PROPOSED]
SCHEDULING ORDER**

Dept.: 71
Judge: Hon. Ronald S. Prager
Coordination Trial Judge

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Clerk of the Superior Court

MAY 30 2006

By: K SANDOVAL, Deputy

1 The following schedule shall apply to the pending motions to quash and demurrer
2 in the Price Indexing Cases:

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	Defendant(s)/Motion	Opposition Due	Reply Due	Hearing
8	Aquila, Inc. motion to quash	already filed	already filed	June 28, 2006 10:00 a.m.
9	Zanaboni demurrer	May 15, 2006	June 2, 2006	July 11, 2006 10:00 a.m.
10	TXU Corporation motion to quash	June 5, 2006	June 26, 2006	July 11, 2006 10:00 a.m.
11	CenterPoint Energy, Inc. and Reliant Energy, Inc. motions to quash	June 23, 2006	July 13, 2006	July 24, 2006 10:00 a.m.

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13 By agreement of the parties, Plaintiffs shall complete all jurisdictional discovery as
14 to CenterPoint Energy, Inc. and Reliant Energy, Inc. no later than May 31, 2006; provided that,
15 any discovery conducted pursuant to the previously-served deposition notices to non-parties,
16 McKinsey & Company, Ketchum, Inc. and Melissa Kinch, shall be completed no later than June
17 15, 2006 (unless otherwise extended by mutual agreement).

18 With respect to each of the foregoing motions, the party filing a reply shall provide
19 the Court with two indexed and tabbed binders containing all of the papers filed or lodged in
20 support of and in opposition to the motion, including, without limitation, the motion or demurrer,
21 memoranda of points and authorities, declarations, appendices, exhibits, proposed orders, and
22 proofs of service. The binders shall be delivered to Chambers by hand delivery or overnight
23 delivery not later than the next business day after the filing of the reply brief.

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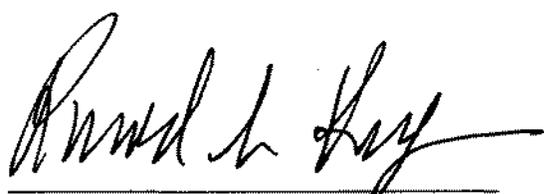
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IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: May 20 2006



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