BEFORE THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY WASHINGTON, D.C. 20585

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In the Matter of:

Lutron Electronics Co., Inc. Respondent Case Number: 2012-SE-3796

ORDER

By the General Counsel, U.S. Department of Energy:

- 1. In this Order, I adopt the attached Compromise Agreement entered into between the U.S. Department of Energy ("DOE") and Lutron Electronics Co., Inc. ("Respondent"). The Compromise Agreement resolves the case initiated to pursue a civil penalty for distributing in commerce in the United States Class A external power supplies that failed to meet the applicable standard for energy usage. *See* 10 C.F.R. § 430.32(m)(3).
- 2. DOE and Respondent have negotiated the terms of the Compromise Agreement that resolves this matter. A copy of the Compromise Agreement is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.
- 3. After reviewing the terms of the Compromise Agreement and evaluating the facts before me, I find that the public interest would be served by adopting the Compromise Agreement.
- 4. Based on the information in the case file and Respondent's self-reporting and admission of facts establishing violations, I find that Respondent committed Prohibited Acts by distributing in commerce Class A external power supplies that were not in conformity with the applicable energy conservation standard. *See* 42 U.S.C. § 6302; 10 C.F.R. § 430.32(m)(3).
- 5. Accordingly, pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 429.120 and 42 U.S.C. § 6303, I **HEREBY ASSESS** a civil penalty of \$13,000 **AND ORDER** that the Compromise Agreement attached to this Order is adopted.

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June 5, 2013

Gregory H. Woods General Counsel

Date