

**PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

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**PUBLIC MEETING**

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**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14, 2017 (DS)  
10:00 A.M.**

**MAIN HEARING ROOM NO. 1  
SECOND FLOOR COMMONWEALTH KEYSTONE BUILDING**

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The Commission will act on various matters at today's meeting, which is open to the public. However, since adequate forums have been made available for public participation in cases before the Commission, there will be no opportunity for the public to address the Commission.

The attached agenda is complete at the time of issuance, but other items may be added and some stricken without further notice.

The listing of an item on the agenda does not necessarily mean that the Commission will take final action on it at this meeting. When the Commission does take final action, its decision---except on routine, uncontested tariff filings---will be put in writing and served on the interested parties and made public at the time it is entered and served.

All public documents---such as orders, opinions, hearing transcripts, comments, initial and recommended decisions, and the like---relating to items on the agenda, may be examined in the Commission's File Room located in Room N-201, Second Floor, this Building.

The Commissioners seated on the bench are:

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>VICE CHAIRMAN</b>	<b>CHAIRMAN</b>	<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>COMMISSIONER</b>
<b>Robert F. Powelson</b>	<b>Andrew G. Place</b>	<b>Gladys M. Brown</b>	<b>John F. Coleman, Jr.</b>	<b>David W. Sweet</b>

**THE TAKING OF PHOTOGRAPHS IS PERMITTED PROVIDED FLASH IS NOT USED.**

The Next Public Meeting is Tentatively Scheduled for Thursday, July 13, 2017 at 10:00 A.M.

Minutes of the Meeting of Thursday, May 4, 2017 (RP)

**\*\*\*ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\*\***

THE NEXT PUBLIC MEETING OF THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION IS SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY, JULY 13, 2017, AT 10:00 A.M. IN HEARING ROOM #1, SECOND FLOOR, COMMONWEALTH KEYSTONE BUILDING, 400 NORTH STREET. AN AGENDA FOR PUBLIC MEETING WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO ALL COMMISSIONERS AND INTERESTED PERSONS PRIOR TO THE PUBLIC MEETING.

ALSO, THE COMMISSION WILL HOLD AN EXECUTIVE SESSION ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14, 2017, AT 1:00 PM IN THE JR. EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS, THIRD FLOOR, COMMONWEALTH KEYSTONE BUILDING.

THE COMMISSION'S AGENDA WILL BE LIMITED TO:

1. DISCUSSING PERSONNEL MATTERS.
2. CONSULTING WITH ITS LEGAL OR TECHNICAL STAFF ABOUT ACTIONS WHICH THIS COMMISSION IS LITIGATING BEFORE OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES OR COURTS.
3. DISCUSSING CASES WHICH WILL BE COMMENCED OR ADJUDICATED BY COMMISSION ACTION.
4. REVIEWING LEGALLY PRIVILEGED OR CONFIDENTIAL MATTERS.
5. DISCUSSING COLLECTIVE BARGAINING ISSUES.
6. CONSIDERING THE PURCHASE OR LEASE OF REAL ESTATE.

AN AGENDA FOR THE EXECUTIVE SESSION WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO ALL COMMISSIONERS IN ADVANCE OF THIS SESSION. THIS NOTICE IS PROVIDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ACT 84 OF 1986, KNOWN AS THE SUNSHINE ACT

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**MOTIONS AND STATEMENTS OF THE CHAIRMAN  
AND COMMISSIONERS WILL BE AVAILABLE  
ON THE COMMISSION'S WEBSITE AT  
[WWW.PUC.PA.GOV](http://WWW.PUC.PA.GOV) AFTER PUBLIC MEETING.**

PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

FINAL AGENDA

June 14, 2017

BUREAU OF AUDITS

<u>AGENDA NO.</u>	<u>DOCKET NO.</u>	<u>NAME AND SUBJECT</u>
<b>2502002-AUD</b>	<b>D-2015-2502002</b>	UGI UTILITIES INC - ELECTRIC DIVISION - Customer Assistance Program report for the 12-month periods ended 9/30/14, 9/30/13 and 9/30/12. RECOMMENDATION: That the Commission release the Audit Report to the public.
<b>Vote 5-0.</b>		
<b>2556222-AUD</b>	<b>D-2016-2556222</b>	TELECOMMUNICATIONS RELAY SERVICE - Telecommunications Relay Service Program Administration and Fund Activity report for the 12 months ended 2/29/16, 2/28/15, 2/28/14 and 2/28/13. The auditor's report contained two findings. RECOMMENDATION: That the Commission release the Audit Report to the public.
<b>Vote 5-0.</b>		

**OFFICE OF SPECIAL ASSISTANTS**

<b><u>AGENDA NO.</u></b>	<b><u>DOCKET NO.</u></b>	<b><u>NAME AND SUBJECT</u></b>
<b>2461620-OSA</b>	<b>A-2015-2461620</b>	<b>VERIZON PENNSYLVANIA LLC</b>
<b>Vote 5-0.</b>		<p>- On 3/10/15, the Commission issued a Secretarial Letter approving an Application of Verizon PA to alter a public crossing (DOT 592 169 H) where North Railroad Street crosses, at-grade, 3 tracks of Norfolk Southern Railway Co. by constructing a fiber optic cable over the crossing in the Borough of Hummelstown, Dauphin County. On 1/27/17, the Commission issued a Secretarial Letter finding that because all work associated with the application had been completed, this proceeding could be closed. On 4/27/17, Verizon PA filed a Petition for Rescission and Extension of Time. No response to the petition has been filed.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order which grants the petition and rescinds the 1/27/17 Secretarial Letter.</p>
<b>2537609-OSA</b>	<b>P-2016-2537609</b>	<b>UGI CENTRAL PENN GAS INC</b>
<b>Vote 5-0.</b>		<p>- On 3/31/16, UGI-CPG filed a petition requesting a waiver of Section 1358(a) of the Public Utility Code, 66 Pa. C.S. § 1358(a), for the purpose of increasing the Distribution System Improvement Charge (DSIC) cap from 5% to 10% of billed distribution revenues. An evidentiary hearing was held on 9/8/16. By Recommended Decision issued 12/5/16, ALJ Jones granted the petition, in part. The parties filed Exceptions and Replies to Exceptions. By Order entered 5/10/17, the Commission, inter alia, permitted UGI-CPG to increase its maximum allowable DSIC up to 7.5% of billed distribution revenues. On 5/25/17, the OSBA filed a Petition for Reconsideration of the 5/10/17 Order. An Opinion and Order granting the Petition for Reconsideration pending further review of, and consideration on, the merits was adopted by the Commission by notational vote on 5/30/17 and served on 6/2/17.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That, consistent with 4 Pa. Code § 1.43(c), this action be recorded and entered in the minutes of this public meeting.</p>

2580061-OSA A-2016-2580061

**Motion by Commissioner Powelson.**  
**Statement by Vice Chairman Place.**  
**Vote 4-1 with Vice Chairman Place Dissenting.**

AQUA PENNSYLVANIA WASTEWATER INC

- Application filed on 12/15/16, for a certificate of public convenience to acquire the wastewater system and related assets of New Garden Township and New Garden Township Sewer Authority situated within portions of New Garden and Kennett Townships, Chester County, PA. Thereafter, the Bureau of Investigation and Enforcement (I&E) and the OCA filed protests to the application. On 1/18/17, the Township and Authority filed petitions to intervene. The OSBA filed a notice of appearance on 1/23/17. ALJ Haas conducted an evidentiary hearing on 2/16/17. By Recommended Decision issued on 4/21/17, the ALJ denied the application because Aqua failed to prove by a preponderance of the evidence that it is in the public interest. On 5/1/17, Aqua, the Township and Authority, I&E and the OCA filed Exceptions. On 5/8/17, Aqua, I&E and the OCA filed Replies to Exceptions.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order.

2595219-OSA A-2017-2595219  
(PP from 05/18/2017)

**Vote 5-0.**

UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA LLC  
D/B/A CENTURYLINK AND NEUTRAL TANDEM-  
PENNSYLVANIA LLC

- Joint Petition filed on 3/24/17, seeking approval of an Amendment to an Interconnection Agreement pursuant to Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. Notice of the Joint Petition was published in the Pa. Bulletin on 4/8/17. No comments or protests were received.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order which grants the Joint Petition.

**BUREAU OF TECHNICAL UTILITY SERVICES**

<b><u>AGENDA NO.</u></b>	<b><u>DOCKET NO.</u></b>	<b><u>NAME AND SUBJECT</u></b>
<b>2347340-TUS</b>	<b>P-2013-2347340</b>	<b>PECO ENERGY COMPANY</b>  - Petition filed on 3/1/17, for approval of its Second Modified Gas Long-Term Infrastructure Improvement Plan. Copies of the petition were served upon the statutory advocates and parties of record. The OSBA filed comments on 3/31/17. No other comments were filed.  RECOMMENDATION:  That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order.
<b>Statement by Vice Chairman Place. Vote 5-0.</b>		
<b>2508942-TUS</b>	<b>P-2015-2508942 P-2015-2508936 P-2015-2508931</b>	<b>METROPOLITAN EDISON COMPANY, PENNSYLVANIA ELECTRIC COMPANY, AND PENNSYLVANIA POWER COMPANY</b>  - Petitions filed on 3/1/17, for approval of modifications to its Long-Term Infrastructure Improvement Plans (LTIIIP). Copies of the petitions were served on the statutory advocates and parties of record from the original LTIIIP filings. No comments were filed.  RECOMMENDATION:  That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order.
<b>Vote 5-0.</b>		
<b>2513898-TUS</b>	<b>A-2015-2513898 A-2016-2540670 A-2016-2540685 G-2017-2604684</b>	<b>MID-ATLANTIC INTERSTATE TRANSMISSION LLC</b>  On 11/17/15, Trans-Allegheny Interstate Line Company (TrAILCo) filed an application for approval to locate and construct the Pierce Brook – Lewis Run 230 kV Transmission Line in Lewis Run Borough and Keating, Bradford and Lafayette Townships, McKean County, PA. Additionally, on 4/13/16, TrAILCo filed 2 Applications for the Exercise of Eminent Domain for rights of way upon 2 properties. On 5/12/17, Mid-Atlantic Interstate Transmission (MAIT) filed a petition to amend the application to substitute MAIT for TrAILCo as the applicant. On 5/12/17, MAIT and TrAILCo filed a Request for Approval of the Transfer of Certain Land Rights Needed for Construction for this application.  RECOMMENDATION:  That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.
<b>Statement by Commissioner Sweet. Vote 5-0.</b>		
<b>2526304-TUS</b>	<b>A-2016-2526304</b>	<b>PPL ELECTRIC UTILITIES CORPORATION</b>  - Petition filed on 5/24/17, for approval to amend the Letter of Notification to rebuild approximately 24.4 Miles of the Existing Susquehanna – Jenkins 230 kV Transmission Line in Luzerne County, PA. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.  RECOMMENDATION:  That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.
<b>Vote 5-0.</b>		

<p><b>2540640-TUS</b></p> <p><b>Vote 5-0.</b></p>	<p><b>A-2016-2540640</b>  <b>G-2016-2539970</b>  <b>G-2016-2539979</b>  <b>G-2016-2539961</b></p>	<p><b>UGI UTILITIES INC - GAS DIVISION</b></p> <p>- Application filed on 4/14/16, for approval of the transfer of certain facilities used for gas control activities, and for approval of related Affiliated Interest Agreements.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<p><b>2580274-TUS</b></p> <p><b>Vote 5-0.</b></p>	<p><b>A-2016-2580274</b>  <b>A-2016-2580275</b>  <b>A-2016-2580276</b>  <b>A-2016-2580277</b>  <b>A-2016-2580278</b>  <b>A-2016-2580279</b>  <b>A-2016-2580280</b>  <b>A-2016-2580281</b></p>	<p><b>LEVEL 3 COMMUNICATIONS LLC AND CENTURYLINK INC</b></p> <p>- Joint Application filed on 12/14/16, for approval of a general rule indirect transfer of control of all Level 3 operating entities certificated by the Commission to CenturyLink. A Protest was filed but ultimately withdrawn prior to any hearings being held.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission approve the joint application for transfer of control, consistent with the proposed Order.</p>
<p><b>2584781-TUS</b></p> <p><b>Vote 5-0.</b></p>	<p><b>M-2017-2584781</b></p>	<p><b>ELECTRIC GENERATION SUPPLIER (EGS) LICENSE CANCELLATIONS</b></p> <p>- EGS license cancellations of companies with an expired financial security or insufficient financial security amount.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Tentative Order.</p>
<p><b>2589724-TUS</b></p> <p><b>Vote 5-0.</b></p>	<p><b>P-2017-2589724</b></p>	<p><b>SUEZ WATER PENNSYLVANIA INC</b></p> <p>- Petition filed on 2/17/17, for approval of its Long-Term Infrastructure Improvement Plan. Copies of the petition were served on the statutory advocates and parties of record from Suez's last base rate proceeding. The OCA filed comments on 3/20/17.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order.</p>
<p><b>2590193-TUS</b></p> <p><b>Vote 5-0.</b></p>	<p><b>P-2017-2590193</b></p>	<p><b>COLUMBIA WATER COMPANY</b></p> <p>- Petition of Columbia Water Company for approval of its Long-Term Infrastructure Improvement Plan.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order.</p>

- 2594001-TUS R-2017-2594001 PEOPLES TWP LLC**  
**Vote 5-0.** - Tariff Supplement No. 39 to Tariff Gas PA. P.U.C. No. 8 filed on 3/17/17, to be effective 5/16/17. On 5/4/17, Supplement No. 42 to Tariff Gas Pa. P.U.C. No. 8 was filed voluntarily postponing the effective date until 6/14/17. On 5/30/17, Peoples TWP filed an amended Second Revised Page No. 90 to Supplement No. 39 to Tariff Gas Pa. P.U.C. No. 8. The filing proposes a recovery mechanism for the implementation and ongoing annual maintenance costs related to creating a more supplier-oriented utility-consolidated bill per the Commission's Final Order entered 8/20/15, at Docket No. M-2015-2474802.  
**RECOMMENDATION:**  
That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.
- 2594327-TUS R-2017-2594327 PEOPLES NATURAL GAS COMPANY LLC**  
**Vote 5-0.** - Tariff Supplement No. 79 to Tariff Gas PA. P.U.C. No. 45 filed on 3/17/17, for approval to propose a recovery mechanism for the implementation and ongoing annual maintenance costs related to creating a more supplier-oriented utility-consolidated bill per the Commission's Final Order entered 8/20/15, at Docket No. M-2015-2474802.  
**RECOMMENDATION:**  
That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.
- 2594333-TUS R-2017-2594333 PEOPLES NATURAL GAS CO LLC - EQUITABLE DIVISION**  
**Vote 5-0.** - Tariff Supplement No. 48 to Tariff Gas PA. P.U.C. No. 46 filed on 3/17/17, for approval to propose a recovery mechanism for the implementation and ongoing annual maintenance costs related to creating a more supplier-oriented utility-consolidated bill per the Commission's Final Order entered 8/20/15, at Docket No. M-2015-2474802.  
**RECOMMENDATION:**  
That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.
- 2594613-TUS A-2017-2594613 DISCOUNT POWER INC**  
**Vote 5-0.** - Application filed on 3/22/17, for approval to offer, render, furnish, or supply natural gas services as a supplier to residential, small commercial, large commercial, industrial and governmental customers in the natural gas distribution company service territories of Columbia Gas, NFGD Corp., PECO, Peoples Natural Gas, Peoples Natural Gas- Equitable Division, Peoples TWP, PGW, UGI Central Penn Gas, UGI Penn Natural Gas, UGI, and Valley Energy.  
**RECOMMENDATION:**  
That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

<p><b>2595868-TUS</b> <b>Vote 5-0.</b></p>	<p><b>A-2017-2595868</b> <b>A-2017-2595870</b></p>	<p><b>ATLANTIC BROADBAND ENTERPRISE LLC</b></p> <p>- Application filed on 3/28/17, for approval to offer, render, furnish or supply telecommunications services to the public as a competitive local exchange carrier in the service territories of all 37 incumbent local exchange carriers and as a competitive access provider throughout PA. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<p><b>2596478-TUS</b> <b>Vote 5-0.</b></p>	<p><b>A-2017-2596478</b> <b>A-2017-2596901</b> <b>S-2017-2596516</b> <b>S-2017-2596525</b></p>	<p><b>MTN INFRASTRUCTURE TOPCO INC, FIBERNET TELECOMMUNICATIONS OF PENNSYLVANIA LLC, AND LUMOS NETWORKS OF WEST VIRGINIA INC AND LUMOS NETWORKS CORPORATION</b></p> <p>- Joint Application filed on 3/31/17, for approval of an Indirect Transfer of Control and Joint Securities Certificate of FiberNet Telecommunications and Lumos Networks with respect to the incurrence of debt in principal amount not to exceed \$750 million. No protests were filed and no hearings were held. FiberNet Telecommunications and Lumos Networks voluntarily extended the consideration period to 6/15/17.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission approves the joint application and register the joint securities certificate consistent with the proposed Order.</p>
<p><b>2597586-TUS</b> <b>Vote 5-0.</b></p>	<p><b>A-2017-2597586</b></p>	<p><b>US LEC OF PENNSYLVANIA LLC D/B/A PAETEC BUSINESS SERVICES</b></p> <p>- Application filed on 3/30/17, for expanded authority to offer, render, furnish or supply telecommunications services to the public as a competitive local exchange carrier in the service territories of Windstream D&amp;E, Inc. and Frontier Communications of PA, LLC. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<p><b>2598512-TUS</b> <b>Vote 4-1 with Commissioner Sweet Dissenting.</b></p>	<p><b>R-2017-2598512</b> <b>P-00981428F1000</b></p>	<p><b>WINDSTREAM BUFFALO VALLEY INC</b></p> <p>- 2017 Price Stability Index/Service Price Index Report and accompanying tariff supplement filed on 4/30/17, requesting a rate increase of \$44,476. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>

<p><b>2598515-TUS</b>      <b>R-2017-2598515</b>  <b>P-00981429F1000</b></p> <p><b>Vote 4-1 with Commissioner Sweet Dissenting.</b></p>	<p><b>WINDSTREAM CONESTOGA INC</b></p> <p>- 2017 Annual Price Stability Index/Service Price Index Report and accompanying tariff supplement filed on 4/30/17, requesting a rate increase of \$94,525. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<p><b>2598530-TUS</b>      <b>R-2017-2598530</b>  <b>P-00981430F1000</b></p> <p><b>Vote 4-1 with Commissioner Sweet Dissenting.</b></p>	<p><b>WINDSTREAM D&amp;E INC</b></p> <p>- 2017 Price Stability Index/Service Price Index Report and accompanying tariff supplement filed on 4/30/17, requesting a rate increase of \$50,236. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<p><b>2598531-TUS</b>      <b>R-2017-2598531</b>  <b>P-00981423F1000</b></p> <p><b>Vote 4-1 with Commissioner Sweet Dissenting.</b></p>	<p><b>WINDSTREAM PENNSYLVANIA LLC</b></p> <p>- 2017 Price Stability Index/Service Price Index Report and accompanying tariff supplement filed on 4/30/17, requesting a rate increase of \$429,112. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<p><b>2598841-TUS</b>      <b>R-2017-2598841</b>  <b>P-00981437F1000</b></p> <p><b><u>Statement by Vice Chairman Place.</u></b>  <b>Vote 4-1 with Commissioner Sweet Dissenting.</b></p>	<p><b>CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS OF PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY</b></p> <p>- 2017 Annual Price Stability Index/Service Price Index Report and accompanying tariff supplement filed on 4/26/17, requesting a rate increase of \$199,230. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<p><b>2598868-TUS</b>      <b>R-2017-2598868</b>  <b>P-00981435F1000</b></p> <p><b>Vote 4-1 with Commissioner Sweet Dissenting.</b></p>	<p><b>NORTH-EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA TELEPHONE COMPANY</b></p> <p>- 2017 Price Stability Index/Service Price Index Report filed on 5/1/17. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>

2598873-TUS R-2017-2598873  
P-00981431F1000

**Vote 4-1 with Commissioner Sweet  
Dissenting.**

HICKORY TELEPHONE COMPANY

- 2017 Price Stability Index/Service Price Index Report filed on 5/1/17.  
No tariffs were filed. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

2598879-TUS R-2017-2598879  
P-0098142F1000

**Vote 4-1 with Commissioner Sweet  
Dissenting.**

BENTLEYVILLE COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION D/B/A  
FAIRPOINT COMMUNICATIONS

- 2017 Price Stability Index/Service Price Index Report filed on 5/1/17.  
No protests were filed and no hearings were held.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

2598885-TUS R-2017-2598885  
P-00981432F1000

**Statement by Commissioner Coleman.**  
**Statement by Commissioner Powelson.**  
**Statement by Commissioner Sweet.**  
**Vote 3-2 with Commissioner Powelson  
& Commissioner Sweet Dissenting.**

LACKAWAXEN TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES INC

- 2017 Price Stability Index/Service Price Index Report and  
accompanying tariff supplement filed on 4/30/17, requesting a rate  
increase of \$38,208. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

2598889-TUS R-2017-2598889  
P-00981434F1000

**Vote 4-1 with Commissioner Sweet  
Dissenting.**

MARIANNA & SCENERY HILL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A  
FAIRPOINT COMMUNICATIONS

- 2017 Price Stability Index/Service Price Index Report filed on 5/1/17.  
No protests were filed and no hearings were held.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

2599691-TUS R-2017-2599691  
P-2017-2604465  
P-00981439F1000

**Vote 5-0.**

PENNSYLVANIA TELEPHONE COMPANY

- Petition to Eliminate the Negative State Tax Adjustment Surcharge  
and Simplified Ratemaking Plan (SRP) Filing and accompanying tariff  
supplement filed on 5/8/17. No protests were filed and no hearings  
were held.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

<p>2599692-TUS <b>Vote 5-0.</b></p>	<p><b>R-2017-2599692</b> <b>P-2017-2604618</b> <b>P-00981441F1000</b></p>	<p>SOUTH CANAAN TELEPHONE COMPANY - Petition to Eliminate the Negative State Tax Adjustment Surcharge and Simplified Ratemaking Plan (SRP) Filing and accompanying tariff supplement filed on 5/8/17. No protests were filed and no hearings were held. RECOMMENDATION: That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<p>2599697-TUS <b>Vote 5-0.</b></p>	<p><b>R-2017-2599697</b> <b>P-2017-2604442</b> <b>P-00981443F1000</b></p>	<p>YUKON-WALTZ TELEPHONE COMPANY - Petition to Eliminate the Negative State Tax Adjustment Surcharge and Simplified Ratemaking Plan (SRP) Filing and accompanying tariff supplement filed on 5/8/17. No protests were filed and no hearings were held. RECOMMENDATION: That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<p>2599698-TUS <b>Vote 5-0.</b></p>	<p><b>R-2017-2599698</b> <b>P-2017-2604481</b> <b>P-00981442F1000</b></p>	<p>VENUS TELEPHONE CORPORATION - Petition to Eliminate the Negative State Tax Adjustment Surcharge and Simplified Ratemaking Plan (SRP) Filing with accompanying tariff supplements filed on 5/8/17. No protests were filed and no hearings were held. RECOMMENDATION: That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<p>2599702-TUS <b>Vote 5-0.</b></p>	<p><b>R-2017-2599702</b> <b>P-2017-2604494</b> <b>P-00981438F1000</b></p>	<p>PALMERTON TELEPHONE COMPANY - Petition to Eliminate the Negative State Tax Adjustment Surcharge and Simplified Ratemaking Plan (SRP) Filing and accompanying tariff supplement filed on 5/8/17. No protests were filed and no hearings were held. RECOMMENDATION: That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<p>2599705-TUS <b>Vote 5-0.</b></p>	<p><b>R-2017-2599705</b> <b>P-2017-2604474</b> <b>P-00981443F1000</b></p>	<p>LAUREL HIGHLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY - Petition to Eliminate the Negative State Tax Adjustment Surcharge and Simplified Ratemaking Plan (SRP) Filing with accompanying tariff supplement filed on 5/8/17. No protests were filed and no hearings were held. RECOMMENDATION: That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>

<b>2601601-TUS</b>	<b>A-2017-2601601</b>	<p>PPL ELECTRIC UTILITIES CORPORATION</p> <p>- Letter of Notification filed on 4/28/17, for approval to rebuild approximately 0.9 miles of the Hosensack-Wescosville #3 230 kV Transmission Line in Lower Milford Township, Lehigh County, PA. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.</p> <p>RECOMMENDATION:</p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<b>Vote 5-0.</b>		
<b>2601629-TUS</b>	<b>R-2017-2601629</b>	<p>CONEWAGO INDUSTRIAL PARK WATER AND SEWER COMPANY</p> <p>- Tariff Supplement No. 4 to Water – Pa. P.U.C. No. 1 filed on 4/28/17, proposing a rate increase of 45% for all customers with an effective date of 6/27/17. Conewago submitted proofs of publication and service to appropriate entities. No formal complaints were filed and no hearings were held.</p> <p>RECOMMENDATION:</p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<b>Vote 5-0.</b>		
<b>2603026-TUS</b>	<b>R-2017-2603026 C-2017-2608643</b>	<p>MANWALAMINK WATER COMPANY</p> <p>- Supplement No. 22 To Water – PA P.U.C. No. 5 filed on 4/28/17, proposing a total annual increase in operating revenues by approximately \$82,445 or 20% to become effective 7/1/17. On 6/8/17, the OCA filed a Formal Complaint.</p> <p>RECOMMENDATION:</p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<b>Vote 5-0.</b>		
<b>2603038-TUS</b>	<b>R-2017-2603038 C-2017-2608641</b>	<p>MANWALAMINK SEWER COMPANY</p> <p>- Supplement No. 21 To Sewer – PA P.U.C. No. 1 filed on 4/28/17, proposing a total annual increase in operating revenues by approximately \$29,497 or 5% to become effective 7/1/17. On 6/8/17, the OCA filed a Formal Complaint.</p> <p>RECOMMENDATION:</p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<b>Vote 5-0.</b>		

2603387-TUS

S-2017-2603387

NEWTOWN ARTESIAN WATER COMPANY

**Vote 5-0.**

- Securities certificate filed on 5/10/17, in respect to the issuance of a Business Note with a principal amount of \$5,100,000 and bearing interest at a rate of 5.00%. No protests were filed and no hearings were held. Newtown Artesian agreed to voluntarily extend the statutory consideration period of the filing to 7/14/17.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order for the registration of the securities certificate for the issuance of the Business Note in a principal amount of \$5,100,000.

**LAW BUREAU**

<b><u>AGENDA NO.</u></b>	<b><u>DOCKET NO.</u></b>	<b><u>NAME AND SUBJECT</u></b>
<b>2533069-LAW</b>	<b>P-2016-2533069</b>	<b>BOROUGH OF DRIFTWOOD</b>
<b>Vote 5-0.</b>		<p>- Petition for a declaratory order filed on 3/7/16. In accordance with 52 Pa. Code § 5.42(b), Driftwood served a copy of its petition on the Bureau of Investigation and Enforcement (I&amp;E), the OCA and the OSBA. Driftwood also served a copy of the petition on the "persons directly affected" by the petition, i.e., the 40 extraterritorial customers of Driftwood. 52 Pa. Code § 5.42(b). The OCA filed an Answer to the Borough's petition and the Borough filed a supplemental petition in response to the OCA's Answer.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>The Law Bureau recommends that the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>
<b>2604692-LAW</b>	<b>L-2017-2604692</b>	<b>ADVANCE NOTIFCE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING PERTAINING TO REGULATION OF MOTOR CARRIERS OF PASSENGERS AND PROPERTY</b>
<b>Vote 5-0.</b>		<p>- The Commission's regulations and policy statements governing motor carriers of passengers and property, including household goods, are found at 52 Pa. Code Subpart A, Chapter 3, and Subpart B, Chapters 21 through 41. The Commission has determined that it is appropriate to reexamine its regulations governing the motor carrier industry. Therefore, the Commission is initiating this Advance Notice or Proposed Rulemaking, and encourages members of the regulated industry, the public, and any other interested parties to file comments with the Commission.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b></p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>

**OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE**

<b><u>AGENDA NO.</u></b>	<b><u>DOCKET NO.</u></b>	<b><u>NAME AND SUBJECT</u></b>
<b>1174698-ALJ</b> <b>Vote 5-0.</b>	<b>A-00119521</b>	<b>PENNDOT</b>  - Application filed to reconstruct an above grade bridge where Market Street (SR0452) crosses above grade the tracks of National Railroad Transportation Corp. located within Lower Chichester Township and Marcus Hook Borough, Delaware County, PA. A proposed Joint Settlement was filed on 3/23/17. The Joint Parties contend that acceptance of the proposed Joint Settlement negates the need for expensive and time-consuming litigation through cross-examination of witness, the preparation of main briefs, rely briefs, exception and reply exceptions, and potential appeals.  COMMISSION REVIEW:  That the Commission adopt ALJ Jones' Recommended Decision approving the Joint Motion for Stipulated Order agreed to by all of the parties to this proceeding.
<b>2547322-ALJ</b> <b>(PP from 05/18/2017)</b>  <b><u>Joint Motion by Chairman Brown and Commissioner Sweet.</u></b> <b><u>Joint Dissenting Statement by Commissioner Coleman and Commissioner Powelson.</u></b> <b>Vote 3-2 with Commissioner Coleman and Commissioner Powelson Dissenting.</b>	<b>C-2016-2547322</b>	<b>ROBERT M MATTU VS WEST PENN POWER COMPANY</b>  - Complaint filed 4/26/16 alleging it is unreasonable, inadequate or unsafe for West Penn to spray herbicide chemicals on Complainant's property near his two water wells and fish pond. Complainant requested the Commission order West Penn to not spray chemicals as long as the water wells remain his only source for water at the service address. On 6/14/16, West Penn filed an Answer generally denying the allegations. An initial telephonic hearing was held on 8/31/16.  COMMISSION REVIEW:  That the Commission adopt ALJ Dunderdale's Initial Decision denying the complaint.
<b>2577571-ALJ</b>  <b><u>Motion by Commissioner Sweet.</u></b> <b>Vote 5-0.</b>	<b>C-2016-2577571</b>	<b>ANDREW TOMKO VS DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY</b>  - Complaint filed 11/16/16 on behalf of Willow Village and Plum Borough, that DLC install an Underground Residential Development street light on Willow Village Drive near Saltsburg Road. Mr. Tomko further states that DLC's refusal to install a street light on Willow Village Drive is not acceptable as far as Willow Village and Plum Borough are concerned. Mr. Tomko also asserts that Plum Borough will fully reimburse DLC for their expenditures for the installation of the URD street light. Responses were due no later than 1/12/17 to DLC's New Matter and Preliminary Objections filed 12/20/16. Mr. Tomko did not respond to either the New Matter or Preliminary Objections.  COMMISSION REVIEW:  That the Commission adopt ALJ Calvelli's Initial Decision sustaining the Preliminary Objections and dismissing the complaint.

**PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

**Carry-In Agenda**

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**BUREAU OF CONSUMER SERVICES**

<b><u>AGENDA NO.</u></b>	<b><u>DOCKET NO.</u></b>	<b><u>NAME AND SUBJECT</u></b>
<b>2534323-BCS</b>	<b>M-2016-2534323</b>	<b>DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY</b>
<b><u>Motion by Vice Chairman Place.</u></b> <b>Vote 5-0.</b>		<p>- On 3/16/16, Duquesne filed its Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan (USECP) for 2017-2019 in accordance with the Commission's regulations at 52 Pa. Code §§ 54.71- 54.78. On 8/11/16, the Commission issued a Tentative Order requesting additional information and calling for comments. On 10/31/16, Duquesne filed an amended 2017-2019 USECP. On 3/23/17, the Commission issued an Order directing changes to the 2017-2019 USECP prior to final approval. On 5/12/17, Duquesne filed a further amended 2017-2019 USECP.</p> <p>RECOMMENDATION:</p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.</p>

**OFFICE OF SPECIAL ASSISTANTS**

<b><u>AGENDA NO.</u></b>	<b><u>DOCKET NO.</u></b>	<b><u>NAME AND SUBJECT</u></b>
<b>2526627-OSA</b>	<b>P-2016-2526627</b>	<b>PPL ELECTRIC UTILITIES CORPORATION</b>
<b><u>Motion by Vice Chairman Place.</u></b> <b>Vote 5-0.</b>		<p>- On 5/08/17, PPL filed a Petition to Withdraw seeking permission to withdraw its requested amendment of the Commission's Opinion and Order entered 10/27/16. Previously, PPL had filed a petition seeking approval of an amendment to the implementation date of the Customer Assistance Program Standard Offer Referral Program (CAP-SOP) as approved by the Commission as part of PPL's Default Service Plan IV to be effective 6/1/17. On 5/12/17, the Retail Energy Supply Association (RESA) filed a letter in opposition to PPL's Petition to Withdraw. On 5/16/17, PPL and the Coalition for Affordable Utility Services and Energy Efficiency in Pennsylvania (CAUSE-PA) filed letters in response to RESA's letter. On 5/17/17, RESA filed a letter in response to PPL's letter.</p> <p>RECOMMENDATION:</p> <p>That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order.</p>

**BUREAU OF TECHNICAL UTILITY SERVICES**

**AGENDA NO.**

**2585784-TUS**

**DOCKET NO.**

**A-2017-2585784**

**A-6419528**

**NAME AND SUBJECT**

**WENGER WORKS INC T/A TUK TUK LANCASTER**

- Application filed 12/27/16. Notice was published in the Pa. Bulletin on 3/4/17. No protests were filed. Wenger Works proposes to use vehicles which raise concerns as to its ability to operate safely and legally.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

That the Commission adopt the proposed order.

**Postponed until the Public Meeting  
of July 13, 2017.**

**COMMISSIONERS**

**AGENDA NO.**

**2607877-CMR**

**DOCKET NO.**

**NAME AND SUBJECT**

**RATIFICATION OF APPOINTMENTS TO THE  
CONSUMER ADVISORY COUNCIL**

**MOTION OF CHAIRMAN GLADYS M BROWN**

**Motion by Chairman Brown.  
Vote 5-0.**