PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

PUBLIC MEETING

THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 2018 (AP) 10:00 A.M.

MAIN HEARING ROOM NO. 1 SECOND FLOOR COMMONWEALTH KEYSTONE BUILDING

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:

COMMISSIONER VICE CHAIRMAN CHAIRMAN COMMISSIONER COMMISSIONER

David W. Sweet Andrew G. Place Gladys M. Brown Norman J. Kennard John F. Coleman, Jr.

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The Next Public Meeting is Tentatively Scheduled for Thursday, May 3, 2018 at 10:00 A.M.

Minutes of the Meeting of Thursday, March 15, 2018 (DS)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE NEXT PUBLIC MEETING OF THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION IS SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY, MAY 3, 2018, 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.

THE COMMISSION WILL HOLD ITS NEXT EXECUTIVE SESSION ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 2018, 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 REGARDING INFORMATION AND STRATEGY IN CONNECTION WITH CURRENT OR POTENTIAL LITIGATION.
- 3. DISCUSSING MATTERS RELATED TO THE INITIATION AND CONDUCT OF INVESTIGATIONS, AND QUASI-JUDICIAL DELIBERATIONS.
- 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.

MOTIONS AND STATEMENTS OF THE CHAIRMAN AND COMMISSIONERS WILL BE AVAILABLE ON THE COMMISSION'S WEBSITE AT <u>WWW.PUC.PA.GOV</u> AFTER PUBLIC MEETING.

FOR YOUR SAFETY, PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE EXITS, DOWN THE STAIRS ON EITHER SIDE OF THE HALLWAY OUTSIDE OF HEARING ROOM 1. IN A TRUE EMERGENCY, A PUC EMPLOYEE IN AN ORANGE VEST WILL BE THERE TO HELP THOSE WHO NEED ASSISTANCE. ONCE YOU MOVE DOWN THE STAIRS, PLEASE EXIT ONTO NORTH STREET. ALSO, FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE, RESTROOMS ARE LOCATED ON THE ATRIUM LEVEL NEAR THE CAFETERIA.

PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION <u>FINAL AGENDA</u>

April 19, 2018

BUREAU OF AUDITS

AGENDA NO. 2579104-AUD Vote 5-0.	DOCKET NO. D-2016-2579104	NAME AND SUBJECT METROPOLITAN EDISON COMPANY - Price to Compare Default Service Rate and Hourly Pricing Default Service Rate for the 12-month periods ended 5/31/15 and 5/31/14. The auditor's report did not disclose any adverse findings. RECOMMENDATION: That the Commission release the Audit Report to the public.
2579105-AUD Vote 5-0.	D-2016-2579105	PENNSYLVANIA ELECTRIC COMPANY - Price to Compare Default Service and Hourly Pricing Default Service rate for the 12-month periods ended 5/31/15 and 5/31/14. The auditor's report did not disclose any adverse findings. RECOMMENDATION: That the Commission release the Audit Report to the public.
2579106-AUD Vote 5-0.	D-2016-2579106	PENNSYLVANIA POWER COMPANY - Price to Compare Default Service Rate and Hourly Pricing Default Service Rate for the 12-month periods ended 5/31/15 and 5/31/14. The auditor's report did not disclose any adverse findings. RECOMMENDATION: That the Commission release the Audit Report to the public
2579107-AUD Vote 5-0.	D-2016-2579107	WEST PENN POWER COMPANY - Price to Compare Default Service Rate and Hourly Pricing Default Service Rate for the 12-month periods ended 5/31/15 and 5/31/14. The auditor's report disclosed one finding.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission release the Audit Report to the public.

2584893-AUD D-2017-2584893

Vote 5-0.

NATIONAL FUEL GAS DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION

- Focused Management and Operational Audit. National Fuel has submitted an Implementation Plan dated 3/23/18, indicating acceptance of all nine recommendations.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission make the Audit Report and Implementation Plan Public.

BUREAU OF CONSUMER SERVICES

<u>AGENDA NO.</u>	<u>DOCKET NO.</u>	NAME AND SUBJECT
2554787-BCS	M-2016-2554787	PPL ELECTRIC UTILITIES CORPORATION

Vote 5-0.

- On 2/5/18, in compliance with the Commission's 10/5/17 Order, PPL filed a Petition to Amend its 2017-2019 Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan with a "zero-income" procedure and form which would allow customers reporting no income to enroll in OnTrack (i.e., PPL's customer assistance program).

RECOMMENDATION:

OFFICE OF SPECIAL ASSISTANTS

<u>AGENDA NO.</u>	DOCKET NO.
2508942-OSA	P-2015-2508942
	C-2016-2531040
	P-2015-2508948
	C-2016-2531019
	P-2015-2508936
	C-2016-2531060
	P-2015-2508931
	C-2016-2531054

Dissenting Statement by Commissioner Sweet.
Vote 4-1 with Commissioner Sweet Dissenting.

NAME AND SUBJECT

METROPOLITAN EDISON COMPANY, PENNSYLVANIA ELECTRIC COMPANY, PENNSYLVANIA POWER COMPANY AND WEST PENN POWER COMPANY

- On 1/19/17, the Commission entered an Order approving the Partial Settlement of a separate rate increase proceeding involving the companies' request for a base rate increase, excluding the issue involving the inclusion of Accumulated Deferred Income Tax (ADIT) in the Distribution System Improvement Charge (DSIC) calculation pursuant to the newly enacted Act 40. The Commission referred the ADIT matter to the instant DSIC proceeding. On 2/2/17, the parties filed a Joint Petition for Settlement of the pending issues in the instant proceeding. In a Recommended Decision, issued 8/31/17, ALJ Cheskis approved the Settlement and recommended inclusion of ADIT and state income taxes in the calculation of the DSIC pursuant to Act 40. Exceptions were filed by the companies and the OCA on 9/20/17. Replies to Exceptions were filed by the companies and the OCA on 10/2/17.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order.

2547528-OSA F-2016-2547528

Motion by Commissioner Sweet.
Vote 5-0.

ELCHANAN AND ESTHER ABERGEL VS PHILADELPHIA GAS WORKS

- Formal Complaint filed on 5/10/16, alleging incorrect charges on their gas bill. On 6/15/16, PGW filed an Answer denying the material allegations of the Complainants. An Initial Decision was issued by the ALJ on 4/4/17 sustaining the Complaint. On 4/24/17, PGW filed Exceptions. No Reply to Exceptions were filed.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order, which denies the Exceptions and adopts the ALJ's Initial Decision.

2548930-OSA C-2016-2548930

Vote 5-0.

PUC - INVESTIGATION AND ENFORCEMENT VS METRO TRANSPORTATION OF PENNSYLVANIA LLC T/A METRO TAXI

- Complaint filed on 6/2/16, alleging that the Respondent failed to file an assessment report for the 2014 calendar year, and it failed pay its assessment amount for Fiscal Year 2015-2016. I&E requested that the Respondent be ordered to pay \$2,261 (consisting of the outstanding assessment balance of \$1,009 and a civil penalty of \$1,252) and that the Respondent's Certificate of Public Convenience be revoked if it failed to pay the assessment and civil penalty. The Respondent did not file an Answer to the Complaint. On 3/3/17, I&E filed a Motion for Default Judgment, requesting that the Commission direct the Respondent to pay the remaining outstanding assessment and the civil penalty. No Answer to the Motion was filed.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order, which grants the Motion for Default Judgment, consistent with this Opinion and Order.

2553952-OSA C-2016-2553952

Vote 5-0.

PUC - INVESTIGATION AND ENFORCEMENT VS LEA C MORGAN T/A AMOR' E LIMOUSINES

- Complaint filed on 6/30/16, alleging that the Respondent failed to file an assessment report for the 2014 calendar year and failed to pay its assessment amount for Fiscal Year 2015-2016. I&E requested that the Respondent be ordered to pay \$4,570 (consisting of the outstanding assessment balance of \$3,104 and a civil penalty of \$1,466) and that the Respondent's Certificate of Public Convenience be revoked if it failed to pay the assessment and civil penalty. The Respondent did not file an Answer to the Complaint. On 10/5/16, I&E filed a Motion for Default Judgment, requesting that the Commission direct the Respondent to pay the outstanding assessment and civil penalty. No Answer to the Motion was filed.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order, which grants the Motion for Default Judgment, as modified by the Opinion and Order.

2556180-OSA C-2016-2556180

Vote 5-0.

PUC - INVESTIGATION AND ENFORCEMENT VS RYAN XPRESS UNLIMTED INC

- Complaint filed on 7/13/16, alleging that the Respondent failed to pay its assessment amount for Fiscal Year 2015-2016. I&E requested that the Respondent be ordered to pay \$110 (consisting of the outstanding assessment balance of \$10 and a civil penalty of \$100) and that the Respondent's Certificate of Public Convenience be revoked if it failed to pay the assessment and civil penalty. The Respondent did not file an Answer to the Complaint. On 10/21/16, I&E filed a Motion for Default Judgment, requesting that the Commission direct the Respondent to pay the remaining outstanding assessment and the civil penalty. No Answer to the Motion was filed.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order, which grants the Motion for Default Judgment, consistent with this Opinion and Order.

2558445-OSA C-2016-2558445

Vote 5-0.

PUC - INVESTIGATION AND ENFORCEMENT VS TTM OPERATING CORPORATION INC

- Complaint filed on 7/26/16, alleging that the Respondent failed to pay its assessment amount for Fiscal Year 2015-2016. I&E requested that the Respondent be ordered to pay \$4,416 (consisting of an outstanding assessment balance of \$3,840 and a civil penalty of \$576) and that the Respondent's Certificate of Public Convenience be revoked if it failed to pay the civil penalty. The Respondent did not file an Answer to the Complaint. On 3/3/17, I&E filed a Motion for Default Judgment requesting that the Commission direct the Respondent to pay the outstanding civil penalty. No Answer to the Motion was filed.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order which grants the Motion for Default Judgment, as modified by this Opinion and Order.

2579276-OSA C-2016-2579276

Vote 5-0.

PUC - INVESTIGATION AND ENFORCEMENT VS PLYMOUTH ROCK ENERGY LLC

- On 12/9/16, I&E filed a Formal Complaint subsequent to an informal investigation regarding allegations that Plymouth Rock, as a result of its billing actions, may have violated provisions of Chapter 54 of the Commission's regulations at 52 Pa. Code, pertaining to the requirement that prices billed by an electric energy supplier reflect the agreed-upon prices in the disclosure statement and the requirement to provide notice of a change in terms of a contract for residential customers. On 12/29/16, Plymouth Rock filed an Answer and New Matter to the Complaint. On 5/11/17, the parties filed a Joint Settlement Petition and Statements in Support of the Settlement Agreement to resolve all issues in this proceeding. Because a presiding officer has not been assigned to this proceeding, the terms of the proposed Settlement are to be reviewed by the Commission pursuant to 52 Pa. Code § 5.232(g).

RECOMMENDATION:

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

2605434-OSA A-2017-2605434

Statement by Commissioner Kennard.
Statement by Commissioner Coleman.
Statement by Commissioner Kennard.
Vote 4-1 with Commissioner Kennard Dissenting.

AQUA PENNSYLVANIA WASTEWATER INC

- On 5/19/17, Aqua filed an application for a certificate of public convenience to acquire the wastewater system and related assets of Limerick Township, Montgomery County, PA. The Bureau of Investigation and Enforcement (I&E) entered an appearance and the OCA filed a protest to the application. On 6/21/17, the Township filed a petition to intervene. ALJ Haas conducted evidentiary hearings on 7/20/17 and 7/21/17. By Recommended Decision issued on 9/18/17, the ALJ approved the application with an adjustment to the proposed rate base value and with certain conditions. On 10/3/17, Aqua, I&E and the OCA filed Exceptions. On 10/10/17, Aqua, I&E and the OCA filed Replies to Exceptions. By Order entered 11/29/17, the Commission adopted the Recommended Decision. Aqua filed a Petition for Reconsideration on 12/14/17. On 12/22/17 and 12/29/17, the OCA and I&E filed their respective Answers to the Petition.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order.

2624240-OSA

R-2017-2624240 C-2017-2626954

Motion by Commissioner Sweet.
Vote 5-0.

NEWTOWN ARTESIAN WATER COMPANY

- Supplement No. 126 to Water – Pa. P.U.C. No. 9, filed on 9/1/17, seeking an increase in the Distribution System Improvement Charge (DSIC) cap from 5% to 7.5% of billed revenue, to become effective 11/1/17. On 9/29/17, the OCA filed a Formal Complaint. By Order entered 10/5/17, the Commission suspended Supplement 126 by operation of law until 5/1/18. An evidentiary hearing was held on 12/11/17. Main and Reply Briefs were filed by the parties. On 2/9/18, the Commission issued the Recommended Decision of ALJ Pell, who recommended that the increase to the DSIC cap be denied. Exceptions were filed by NAWC on 3/1/18. Replies to Exceptions were filed by the OCA on 3/12/18.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Opinion and Order.

3000082-OSA A-2018-3000082

Vote 5-0.

IRONTON TELEPHONE COMPANY AND LEVEL 3 COMMUNICATIONS LLC

- Joint Petition filed on 2/26/18, seeking approval of 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. No comments or protests were received.

RECOMMENDATION:

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

BUREAU OF TECHNICAL UTILITY SERVICES

AGENDA NO.	DOCKET NO.	NAME AND SUBJECT
2625559-TUS	A-2017-2625559	PPL ELECTRIC UTILITIES CORPORATION
Vote 5-0.		- Application filed on 9/19/17, for approval to rebuild 14.6 miles of the Hosensack-Quarry #1 and #2 138/69 kV Transmission Line in Lower Milford, Upper Saucon, and Salisbury Townships, Lehigh County and Lower Saucon Township, Northampton County, PA.
		RECOMMENDATION:
		That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

Vote 5-0.

G-2018-3000416

- Application filed on 12/19/17, for a Certificate of Public Convenience evidencing Commission approval for the transfer by sale of certain wells and associated rights-of-way, gathering lines, and meters to its affiliate, SME Well Services, LLC.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

2640012-TUS A-2017-2640012 ENERGY LINK I LLC D/B/A THE ENERGY LINK LLC

Vote 5-0.

- On 12/27/17, the Commission accepted Energy Link's application to offer, render, furnish, or supply natural gas supply services as a broker/marketer in the service territories of NFGD Corp., PECO Energy, Peoples Gas, and PGW, within PA. Energy Link failed to adequately respond to Commission staff data requests concerning missing information. Energy Link has been given ample opportunity to respond/comply.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

2640827-TUS M-2018-2640827

Vote 5-0.

ELECTRIC GENERATION SUPPLIER (EGS) LICENSE CANCELLATIONS

- The Commission's regulations at 52 Pa. Code §54.40(a) state that an EGS license will not be issued or remain in force until the licensee furnishes a bond or other security approved by the Commission. 52 Pa. Code §54.40(d) states that the maintenance of an EGS license is contingent on the licensee providing proof to the Commission that a bond or other approved security in the amount directed by the Commission has been obtained. As of 4/10/18, the companies listed in the Supplier Table of the Tentative Order are not in compliance with 52 Pa. Code §54.40(a) and (d).

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Tentative Order.

2642154-TUS A-2018-2642154

INTELLICALL OPERATOR SERVICES INC

Vote 5-0.

- Application filed on 1/11/18, seeking Commission approval for the discontinuance and abandonment of Interexchange Carrier Reseller services to the Public within PA. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

2645588-TUS A-2018-2645588

NETTALK.COM INC

Vote 5-0.

- Application filed on 1/16/18, seeking Commission approval for the discontinuance and abandonment of Competitive Local Exchange Carrier services to the public in PA. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

2646697-TUS R-2018-2646697

PECO ENERGY COMPANY

Vote 5-0.

- On 2/9/18, PECO filed Supplement No. 59 to Tariff Electric Pa. P.U.C. No. 5 to be effective 4/20/18. The filing proposes to modify tariff Rate RS-2 Net Metering to add an expiration date to residential level 1 and level 2 interconnection applications for distributed energy generation projects.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

2647063-TUS A-2018-2647063

PPL ELECTRIC UTILITIES CORPORATION

Vote 5-0.

- Letter of Notification filed on 2/8/18, for approval to re-terminate approximately 600 feet of the Lackawanna-Shickshinny 500 kV Transmission Line in Blakey Borough, Lackawanna County, PA. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.

RECOMMENDATION:

2647343-TUS A-2018-2647343

COMMUNITY ENERGY ADVISORS LLC

Vote 5-0.

- On 2/14/18, the Commission accepted Community Energy's application to offer, render, furnish, or supply natural gas services as a broker/marketer in the natural gas distribution company service territories of Columbia Gas, NFGD Corp., PECO Energy, Peoples Natural Gas, Peoples Natural Gas - Equitable Division, Peoples Gas, PGW, UGI Central Penn Gas, UGI Penn Natural Gas, UGI Utilities, and Valley Energy, within PA. The license application was filed pursuant to Section 2208 of the Natural Gas Choice and Competition Act and Title 52, Chapter 62, Subchapter D.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

2647604-TUS A-2018-2647604

PROVISION POWER AND GAS LLC

Vote 5-0.

- On 2/16/18, the Commission accepted Provision Power's application to offer, render, furnish, or supply natural gas services as a supplier in service territories of Columbia Gas, NFGD Corp., PECO Energy, Peoples Natural Gas, Peoples Natural Gas - Equitable Division, Peoples Gas, PGW, UGI Central Penn Gas, UGI Penn Natural Gas, UGI Utilities, and Valley Energy, within PA. The license application was filed pursuant to Section 2208 of the Natural Gas Choice and Competition Act and Title 52, Chapter 62, Subchapter D.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

3000093-TUS A-2018-3000093

IMPACT NETWORK SOLUTIONS INC

Vote 5-0.

- Application filed on 2/16/18, seeking Commission approval for the discontinuance and abandonment of Interexchange Carrier Reseller services to the public in PA. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

3000124-TUS R-2018-3000124

DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY

Vote 5-0.

- Supplement No.174 to Tariff Electric Pa. PUC No. 24 On 3/28/18, to become effective 5/29/18, containing a proposed general increase in electric distribution rates of approximately \$133.8 million. On 4/6/18, the OCA filed a Formal Complaint.

RECOMMENDATION:

3000209-TUS

S-2018-3000209

UGI UTILITIES INC

Vote 5-0.

- Securities Certificate filed on 3/2/18, for approval of the issuance of debt in principal amount not to exceed \$125,000,000. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission register the securities certificate consistent with the proposed Order.

3000254-TUS

A-2018-3000254

PENNSYLVANIA AMERICAN WATER COMPANY

Vote 5-0.

- Application filed on 3/1/18, for approval of the right to offer, render, furnish or supply water service to the public in an additional portion of Jackson Township, Butler County, PA. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

3000307-TUS

S-2018-3000307

PENNSYLVANIA POWER COMPANY

Vote 5-0.

- Securities Certificate filed 3/5/18, for approval to propose issuance and sale of debt securities and/or credit facilities in a principal amount not to exceed \$50 million. No protests were filed and no hearings were held.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order for the registration of the securities certificate.

3000376-TUS

A-2018-3000376

CLEARWATER ENTERPRISES LLC

Vote 5-0.

- On 3/12/18, the Commission accepted Clearwater Energy's application to offer, render, furnish, or supply natural gas services as a supplier in the service territory of Columbia Gas within PA. The license application was filed pursuant to Section 2208 of the Natural Gas Choice and Competition Act and Title 52, Chapter 62, Subchapter D.

RECOMMENDATION:

LAW BUREAU

AGENDA NO. DOCKET NO. 2534323-LAW M-2016-2534323

Statement by Commissioner

Sweet. Vote 5-0.

NAME AND SUBJECT

DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY

- On 2/23/18, CAUSE-PA, filed a Petition of Reconsideration relative to the Commission's 2/8/18 Order at this docket. On 3/12/18, Duquesne and OCA individually filed Answers to the Petition. On 3/12/18, Duquesne filed a further revised 2017-2019 Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan, in compliance with the 2/8/18 Order. Jurisdiction was retained pursuant to a shortform order.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

2631527-LAW M-2017-2631527

Joint Motion by Chairman Brown and Vice Chairman Place. Verbal Statement by Commissioner Kennard. Vote 5-0.

IMPLEMENTATION OF ACT 40 OF 2017

- On 10/30/17, Governor Wolf signed into law Act 40 of 2017 that amended the Administrative Code by adding Section 2804, 71 P.S. § 714, and established geographical limits on solar photovoltaic (solar PV) systems that qualify for the solar PV share requirements of the Alternative Energy Portfolio Standards (AEPS) Act. On 12/27/17, the Commission adopted a Tentative Implementation Order (TIO) seeking comments on its proposed interpretation and implementation of this legislation. The TIO was published in the Pa. Bulletin on 2/5/18. The Commission received a total of 90 comments to the TIO

RECOMMENDATION:

OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

DOCKET NO. AGENDA NO. 2530631-ALJ

NAME AND SUBJECT

A-2016-2530631

NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY AND BOROUGH **OF GIRARD**

Vote 5-0.

- Joint Petition filed on 2/24/16, seeking approval to reconstruct the bridge carrying Lake Street over and above a single track of Norfolk Southern's railway in the Borough of Girard, Erie County, PA. On 7/29/16, the Commission via Secretarial Letter approved the construction plans and bridge design for Bridge Design #2, as agreed to by the parties in the Joint Application. On 10/7/16, Norfolk Southern unilaterally filed the Petition to Rescind the 7/29/16 Secretarial Letter and construct an alternative bridge design. An evidentiary hearing was held on 10/11/17. The record closed by Interim Order on 11/28/17.

COMMISSION REVIEW:

That the Commission adopt DCALJ Hoyer's Recommended Decision denying the Petition and ordering the construction of the bridge design approved in the 7/29/16 Secretarial Letter on or before 12/31/18.

2583960-ALJ C-2017-2583960 (PP from 04-05-2018)

Motion by Chairman Brown. **Statement by Commissioner** Coleman. **Verbal Statement by Vice** Chairman Place. **Verbal Statement by** Commissioner Kennard. Vote 3-2 with Commissioner **Kennard and Commissioner** Coleman Dissenting.

VERTIS DILLON VS UGI UTILITIES INC

- Complaint filed on 1/9/17, alleging Complainant's identity was used to amass a \$1,500 gas bill while he was incarcerated. Complainant requested UGI PNG erase the gas bill. On 1/31/17, UGI PNG filed an Answer contending Complainant applied for new natural gas service at the service address, but there remained unpaid charges from a previous address and Complainant did not provide any evidence of improper use of his identity. A telephonic hearing was held on 1/18/18, but Complainant failed to appear to prosecute the Complaint.

COMMISSION REVIEW:

That the Commission adopt ALJ Dunderdale's Initial Decision dismissing the Complaint with prejudice.

2614769-ALJ C-2017-2614769 (PP from 04-05-2018)

Postponed until the Public Meeting of May 3, 2018.

EUGENE A HAYGOOD VS PHILADELPHIA GAS WORKS

- Complaint filed on 7/18/17, alleging "[t]he utility is threatening to shut off my service or has already shut off my service," "I would like a payment agreement," and "[o]ther." Under the "requested relief" section of the Complaint, the Complainant wrote in only "come to an agreement." On 8/7/17, PGW filed an Answer. A hearing was held on 10/19/17.

COMMISSION REVIEW:

That the Commission adopt DCALJ Pell's Initial Decision denying the Complaint.

2618332-ALJ R-2017-2618332

Motion by Commissioner Sweet.
Vote 5-0.

PINE-ROE NATURAL GAS COMPANY

- Supplement No. 40 to Tariff Gas PA P.U.C. No. 1, filed on 8/4/17, which proposed an annual increase in overall revenue of \$50,000. OCA filed a Complaint on 10/17/17. By Order entered 11/8/17, the Commission suspended the tariff filing and instituted an investigation. The OCA, I&E, and Pine-Roe filed a Joint Petition for Settlement of Rate Investigation on 1/31/18, requesting a 7/8/18 effective date and resulting in an annual increase in overall revenue of \$35,000.

COMMISSION REVIEW:

That the Commission adopt ALJ Johnson's Recommended Decision approving the Joint Petition for Settlement of Rate Investigation without modification.

PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Carry-In Agenda April 19, 2018

BUREAU OF TECHNICAL UTILITY SERVICES

<u>AGENDA NO.</u> 3000164-TUS **DOCKET NO.**R-2018-3000164

NAME AND SUBJECT

PECO ENERGY COMPANY

Vote 5-0.

On 3/29/18, PECO filed proposed Tariff Electric-Pa. P.U.C.

No. 6 to become effective 5/28/18. The tariff sets forth
proposed rates designed to produce an increase in PECO's
annual distribution revenue of approximately \$82 million. On
4/9/18, a Formal Complaint was filed by the OSBA. The OCA

filed a Formal Complaint on 4/12/18.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission adopt the proposed Order.

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