

**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission,	:	
Bureau of Investigation and Enforcement	:	
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v.	:	C-2024-3052351
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HTC Associates, Inc.,	:	
A/K/A Hi-Tech Construction Company, Inc.	:	

SCHEDULING ORDER

A prehearing conference was held on April 2, 2025. The Complainant, the Bureau of Investigation and Enforcement (I&E) of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (Commission), was represented by Grant Rosul, Esquire. The Respondent, HTC Associates, Inc. (HTC or Company), was represented by Patrick T. Duffy, Esquire.

A discussion was held regarding various procedural matters. As to setting a hearing date, the parties agreed to confer with each other and propose hearing dates in August 2025, as well as a deadline by which to complete discovery. Subsequently, the parties have provided these dates to me.

The purpose of this Order is to memorialize what was agreed upon by the parties as a result of the discussion at the prehearing conference and set forth other procedures that will govern the hearing.

THEREFORE,

IT IS ORDERED:

1. **Date and time of hearing.** That an evidentiary hearing in this matter will be held on Tuesday, August 5, 2025, in Harrisburg and will commence at 10:00 a.m. A separate hearing notice will be issued consistent with this date and time and will assign a hearing room in the Keystone Building, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

2. **Discovery.** That on or before July 22, 2025, the parties shall conclude discovery in this matter.

3. **Presenting exhibits.** That if you intend to present any documents or exhibits at the hearing, you must email one (1) copy to the undersigned Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) at gchiodo@pa.gov and one (1) copy each must be sent to every other party pursuant to how the parties agreed between themselves to accept service. All copies must be received at least five (5) business days before the hearing.

Proposed exhibits should be properly pre-marked for identification purposes. Do not include account numbers or any other personally identifiable information (PII), such as social security numbers, in your documents or exhibits. It is the parties' responsibility to redact any PII contained within a document or exhibit before submitting it into the record. Do not file your proposed documents or exhibits with the Secretary's Bureau. Note that attachments to your Complaint or Answer are not admitted into the record unless submitted separately.

4. **Stipulations.** That the parties shall stipulate to any matters they reasonably can to expedite this proceeding, lessen the burden of time and expenses in litigation on all parties and conserve administrative hearing resources. 52 Pa. Code §§ 5.232, 5.234.

5. **Commission Regulations.** That any evidentiary hearing in this matter constitutes a formal legal proceeding and will be conducted in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Administrative Practice and Procedure, as well as the rules of evidence as applied to administrative hearings.

6. **Modifications.** That any provision of this Order may be modified upon motion and good cause shown by any party in accordance with 52 Pa. Code § 5.223(a).

7. **Settlement.** That, in accordance with the Commission's policy to encourage settlements, the parties are again encouraged to continue settlement negotiations to resolve the issues in this proceeding, if possible.

Date: April 23, 2025

_____/s/_____
Gail M. Chiodo
Deputy Chief Administrative Law Judge

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