

**State of Rhode Island**

**Public Utilities Commission**

**Minutes of Open Meeting Held on June 2, 2022**

An Open Meeting of the Public Utilities Commission (Commission or PUC) was held Thursday, June 2, 2022 at 2:45 P.M. in Hearing Room A, 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island to discuss, deliberate, and/or vote on the following dockets.

In attendance: Chairman Ronald Gerwatowski, Commissioner Abigail Anthony, Commissioner John Revens, John Harrington, Alan Nault and Luly Massaro.

I. Chairman Gerwatowski called the Open Meeting to order at 2:45 P.M. A quorum was present.

II. **Docket No. 4978 – The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a Rhode Island Energy (Company)** – The Company submitted on April 19, 2022, proposed base Last Resort Service Rates for the Industrial Group for the period July 1, 2022 through September 30, 2022. The proposed rates are submitted pursuant to the Company’s Last Resort Service Procurement Plan approved by the PUC in this docket on July 23, 2020. The filing includes a motion for protective treatment from public disclosure of attachments referred to as “Confidential LRS Procurement Records.” The Division filed a memorandum finding the LRS are correctly calculated and recommends approval. After review, the following motions were made:

Commissioner Revens moved to approve the motion for protective treatment of the confidential information. Commissioner Anthony seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously passed. **Vote 3-0.**

Commissioner Anthony moved to approve the Company’s proposed base LRS rates. Commissioner Revens seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously passed. **Vote 3-0.**

III. **Renewable Energy Resource Eligibility Applications** – The following Companies submitted application for eligibility as a renewable energy resource. These facilities have not yet achieved commercial operations. PUC consultant recommended conditional approval of:

**Docket No. 5238 – Shore Solar, LLC’s** application for eligibility of the Shore Solar, LLC generation unit, a 0.625 MW AC (0.744 MW DC) solar facility located in Johnston, Rhode Island as a New Renewable Energy Resource.

**Docket No. 5242 – 519 Solar LLC’s** application for eligibility of the 519 Solar LLC generation unit, a 0.200 MW AC (0.24910 MW DC) solar facility located in Chepachet, Rhode Island as a New Renewable Energy Resource.

After review, Chairman Gerwatowski moved to accept the consultant's recommendation to conditionally approve the applications. Commissioner Anthony seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously passed. **Vote 3-0.**

- IV. There being no further business to discuss, the Chairman adjourned the Open Meeting at 2:52 P.M.