

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

IN RE: NATIONAL GRID'S PROPOSED FY 2012 ELECTRIC INFRASTRUCTURE,  
SAFETY AND RELIABILITY PLAN RECONCILIATION FILING - DOCKET NO. 4218

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Pursuant to the provisions of R.I.G.L. 39-1-1 and 39-3-11, as amended, the Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") will conduct a hearing on **September 20, 2012 @ 9:30 A.M.** in Hearing Room A of the Public Utilities Commission, located at 89 Jefferson Blvd, Warwick, R.I.

In this docket, the Commission will examine the propriety of a filing by Narragansett Electric d/b/a National Grid seeking approval of proposed rate adjustments that arise out of the reconciliation of the Company's FY 2012 Electric Infrastructure, Safety and Reliability ("ISR") Plan pursuant to National Grid Tariff R.I.P.U.C. NG No. 2044. The 2012 ISR provides for the reconciliation and recovery of actual revenue related to the Plan's Capital Investment program to the actual billed revenue that is collected through CapEx Factors, and recovery of actual expenses related to the ISR Plan's Operations & Maintenance ("O&M") program and Vegetation Management program to actual billed revenue that is collected through the O&M Factors for the period April 1, 2011 to March 31, 2012. National Grid proposal to adjust the CapEx Factors and O&M Factors will result in a monthly rate increase of 1¢ from \$73.41 to \$73.42 to a typical residential bill with consumption of 500 kWh per month. The Commission may approve different rates that may be higher or lower than those proposed by National Grid. The Commission may rule immediately at the conclusion of the hearing.

The filing may be examined at the Commission's office and at the office of National Grid, 280 Melrose Street, Providence, Rhode Island. The filing can also be accessed under the Commission's Docket Menu at [www.ripuc.org](http://www.ripuc.org), Docket No. 4218. Reference is made to Chapters 39-1, 39-3 and 42-35 of the RI General Laws.

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Luly E. Massaro, Commission Clerk  
September 10, 2012