

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

Public Utilities Commission

Minutes of Open Meeting Held June 5, 2018

An Open Meeting of the Public Utilities Commission was held on Tuesday, June 5, 2018 at 1:00 P.M. in Hearing Room A, 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island to discuss, deliberate and/or vote on the following dockets.

Present: Chairperson Margaret Curran, Commissioner Marion Gold, Commissioner Abigail Anthony, Cynthia Wilson-Frias, Linda George, Alan Nault, Todd Bianco and Luly Massaro.

- I. Chairperson Curran called the Open Meeting to order at 1:00 P.M. in the first-floor hearing room of the Public Utilities Commission. A quorum was present.
- II. **Docket No. 4692– The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid –** The PUC reviewed, National Grid’s proposed Standard Offer Service Rates for the Industrial Group for the months of July 2018 through September 2018 and the responsive position of the Division of Public Utilities and Carriers. From its examination of the filing, the PUC noted that Company conducted a robust bidding process, most of the additional cost is the result from the forward capacity market. Also, the website to the RFP for bidders should be updated. After review, Commissioner Gold moved to approve the Company’s proposed Standard Offer Service rates as submitted. Chairperson Curran seconded the motion and the motion unanimously passed. **Vote 3-0.**
- III. **Docket No. 4827 – AT&T –** The PUC considered AT&T’s request for a waiver of the denial by the Number Pooling Administration to release 200 numbers to provide service to a customer in the Westerly rate center, Yale New Haven Health. After review, Chairperson Curran moved to grant the requested waiver by AT&T. Commissioner Anthony seconded the motion and the motion unanimously passed. **Vote 3-0.**
- IV. **Docket No. 4820 – Coventry Solar, LLC –** The PUC review Coventry Solar’s application for eligibility certification of the Lewis Farm Road Solar generation unit, a 0.750 MW AC (0.990 MW DC) located in Coventry, Rhode Island, and the PUC consultant’s recommendation. After review, Commissioner Gold moved that eligibility be granted with the conditional requirement the Company provide written documentation verifying commercial operation and evidence of the generation unit’s NEPOOL-GIS Asset Identification. Chairperson Curran seconded the motion and the motion unanimously passed. **Vote 3-0.**
- V. There being no further business to discuss, Chairperson Curran adjourned the Open Meeting at 1:14 P.M. A web video of the Open Meeting discussion can be viewed at <http://www.ustream.tv/channel/WqQyXw296dg>.