

Commission Business Meeting Notes

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Thank you for joining us for today's post-meeting summary. These Commission Business Meetings are held each Wednesday at 2 p.m. or at the call of the Chairman and all agendas and materials are posted to the Docket Management System prior to each meeting. If you have questions about Commission business, we encourage you to reach out to us at robert.bockman@psc.sc.gov or via social media by following the SC Utility Consumer program on Twitter at @UtilityConsumer and on Facebook at SC Utility Consumer.

Today's business meeting started at 10:30 a.m. with item one on the utilities agenda: a request for approval of the third amendment to an interconnection agreement. Commissioner Whitfield made the motion to approve this request, which carried.

Item two was a request for approval of the transfer of assets between two companies. Commissioner Belser noted that the request transaction is necessary for the debtors involved to exit Chapter 11 bankruptcy, and moved that the Commission approve the transaction. Her motion carried.

Item three involved a request from ORS for a motion of clarification and to hold remaining procedural due dates in abeyance in Docket No. 2014-346-WS. Commissioner Howard moved to grant the motion for clarification and to request that ORS continue its investigation, with a report due back to the Commission within 30 days. Commissioner Belser noted that she is recused from this item and from item four on today's agenda.

Item four, in Docket No. 2014-346-WS, was a request from ORS to direct Daufuskie Island Utility Company, Inc. to afford its customers additional notice. Commissioner Howard moved to grant the ORS request and to order the Company to give notice to its customers of the proposed rates in the present case, and to compel the Commission Clerk's Office to issue a notice letter to the company. This motion carried.

Item five was a request in Docket No. 2020-4-G. Commissioner Ervin made the motion to find Piedmont's gas purchasing policies during the review period as reasonable and prudent and to adopt the Joint Proposed Order filed by ORS and Piedmont. His motion carried.

Item six, in Docket No. 2020-157-E, involved a request for a certificate of environment compatibility and public convenience and necessity. Commissioner Hamilton noted that, in reviewing the submitted documentation, he saw potential effects upon properties, and asked in a motion that the company clarify whether property owners would be affected by this proposed change and whether they have been informed, if so. He asked that the company respond to these questions within seven days.

Finally, item seven involved Docket No. 2020-158-E and a request for the acceptance of the filing of a power purchase agreement between Duke Energy Progress, LLC and Whitetail Holdings, LLC, and for the

granting of confidential treatment, due to commercially sensitive information contained within the filing. Commissioner Belser made the motion to grant these requests, which carried.

In addition to these items, Commissioners were also briefed on sixty-one other issues related to utilities in South Carolina. The complete list of these items, as well as links to dockets and all materials, is available on the Docket Management System at dms.psc.sc.gov.

On today's transportation agenda, item one was a request for a class-e transportation certificate, which was granted following a motion made by Commissioner Hamilton.

Item two was a request for an extension of time until September 2020 to comply with Commission rules and regulations; Commissioner Whitfield made the motion to grant this request, which carried.

In addition to the items upon which action was taken, Commissioners were also advised on five other issues pertaining to transportation dockets. Those can be reviewed on the Docket Management System.

The next regular Commission Business Meeting will be held at 2 p.m. on July 29th. You can access the livestream broadcast of that meeting by visiting our site at www.psc.sc.gov and clicking on "livestream." If you have questions about today's proceedings, please follow us on social media—on Twitter at @PSCofSC and at @UtilityConsumer or on Facebook at Public Service Commission of South Carolina or SC Utility Consumer—or call the offices of the PSC at 803.896.5100. Thank you.