



**GOVERNMENT OF PUERTO RICO
PUBLIC SERVICE REGULATORY BOARD
PUERTO RICO ENERGY BUREAU**

IN RE: PUERTO RICO ELECTRIC POWER
AUTHORITY INITIAL RATE REVIEW

CASE NO.: CEPR-AP-2015-0001; NEPR-AP-
2018-0003

SUBJECT: PREPA's Motion for a Working
Meeting on February 25 or 26, 2019.

RESOLUTION AND ORDER

On February 21, 2019, the Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority ("PREPA") submitted before the Puerto Rico Energy Bureau ("Energy Bureau") a document titled *PREPA's Motion for a Working Meeting on February 25 or 26, 2019, to Discuss PREPA'S Plans for Implementation of Certain Reconciliations in Coordination with the April 1, 2019, Implementation of "Permanent" Rates* ("Motion"). In the Motion, PREPA requested an interim expedited meeting before the scheduled March 15, 2019 compliance monitoring hearing in the instant case, to discuss certain reconciliations associated with the April 1, 2019 implementation of PREPA's new permanent rates.

Upon review of the Motion, the Energy Bureau **GRANTS** PREPA's request for a Technical Hearing to be held on **February 27, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.** at the Energy Bureau's Hearing Room, located at World Plaza Building, 268 Ave. Muñoz Rivera, Eighth Floor, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

However, after reviewing the Motion, the Energy Bureau **DETERMINES** to defer the reconciliation of the Provisional Rate, the fuel and purchased power costs associated with storm recovery and the CILT and subsidies to at least July 1, 2019. The Energy Bureau based its determination on the fact that there will not be enough time to thoroughly evaluate such reconciliations and issue a Resolution before the implementation of the permanent rate on April 1, 2019.¹ In addition, deferring the reconciliation process will have the added value of having the finalized information from August 1, 2016 to March 31, 2019. As such, it will only be necessary to make one adjustment to the initial corresponding rider factors.

Based on the foregoing, the Technical Hearing will concentrate in establishing the initial rider factors to be implemented on April 1, 2019. Notwithstanding the foregoing, during the Technical Hearing PREPA must be prepared to answer questions related to both, the rider implementation and the reconciliation, including the supporting documents for each. PREPA must submit to the Energy Bureau, on or before the date of the Technical Hearing, all data, documents and/or electronic files used in the calculations associated with the Attachment 1 to the Motion, all spreadsheets shall be in native form with formulas intact.

¹ During the ongoing Compliance Hearing process, PREPA has stated on several occasions that the programming changes on its billing system require time to implement.

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Finally, PREPA must submit separate supporting documents for the rider implementation and for the subsequent reconciliation. Whenever PREPA used external data or inputs in such supporting documents, PREPA must provide the source of such data or information.

Be it notified and published.

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CERTIFICATION



I hereby certify that the majority of the members of the Puerto Rico Energy Bureau has so agreed on February 25, 2019. I also certify that on this date a copy of this Resolution and Order was notified by electronic mail to the following: astrid.rodriguez@prepa.com, jorge.ruiz@prepa.com, n-vazquez@prepa.com, n-ayala@prepa.com, c-aquino@prepa.com, j-morales@prepa.com, hriviera@oipc.pr.gov, maribel.cruz@acueductospr.com, pga@caribe.net, jfeliciano@constructorespr.net, nydinmarie.watlington@cemex.com, epenergypr@gmail.com, aconer.pr@gmail.com, glenn.rippie@r3law.com, john.ratnaswamy@r3law.com, michael.guerra@r3law.com, pnieves@vnblegal.com, abogados@fuerteslaw.com, jorgehernandez@escopr.net, ecandelaria@camarapr.net, agraitfe@agraitlawpr.com, francisco.rullan@aae.pr.gov, mgrpcorp@gmail.com, manuelgabrielfernandez@gmail.com, mmuntanerlaw@gmail.com, licenciadamasferrer@gmail.com and wilma.lopez@aae.pr.gov. I also certify that today, February 25, 2019, I have proceeded with the filing of the Resolution and Order issued by the Puerto Rico Energy Bureau and I have sent a true and exact copy to the following:

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For the record, I sign this in San Juan, Puerto Rico, today February 25, 2019.

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