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

IN RE: THE PERFORMANCE OF THE PUERTO RICO ELECTRIC POWER AUTHORITY

CASE NO.: NEPR-MI-2019-0007

SUBJECT: Urgent Request for Brief Extension of Time to file Request for Clarifications

and/or Reconsideration.

RESOLUTION AND ORDER

On June 11, 2021, LUMA Energy, LLC as Management Co, and LUMA Energy ServCo, LLC as ServCo (collectively, "LUMA"), filed before the Energy Bureau of the Puerto Rico Public Service Regulatory Board ("Energy Bureau") a document titled *Urgent Request for Brief Extension of Time Until Wednesday June 16, 2021, to File Motion for Clarifications and/or Partial Reconsideration of Resolution and Order of May 21, 2021* ("Urgent Request").

Through the Urgent Request, LUMA states that the Energy Bureau established that LUMA would have until June 11, 2021 ("Deadline") to file a request for clarification or reconsideration of the May 21, 2021 Resolution and Order.¹ Further, LUMA states that its personnel has been working diligently to finalize the aforementioned request, but will not be able to conclude its analysis and comments by the established deadline based on unanticipated incidents that have delayed its efforts to conclude the filing. LUMA expressed that it is cognizant of the importance of granting the Energy Bureau time to consider requests for extension of time, and while it intended to submit the filing by the established deadline, it did not envision an extension until close of business of June 11, 2021. Therefore, LUMA requested an extension of three business days, until June 16, 2021, to file a request for clarifications or reconsiderations to the May 21, 2021 Resolution and Order.

Upon review of LUMA's arguments, the Energy Bureaus **DENIES** the Urgent Request. The Energy Bureau is aware of recent events that may have disrupted LUMA's personnel in preparing the required filing under this case. However, the Energy Bureau has emphasized in numerous occasions the importance of timely compliance with the Energy Bureau's orders. Further, the Energy Bureau has warned LUMA that filing a time extension request at the end of the Deadline is not conducive to proper case management. LUMA's actions removed the Energy Bureau's discretion to evaluate the merits of the Urgent Request.

¹ See In Re: The Performance of the Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority, Case No. NEPR-M-2019-0007, May 21, 2021.

Based on the foregoing, the Energy Bureau **IMPOSES** LUMA a fine of **five hundred** dollars (\$500.00) for each day, or part thereof, LUMA delays submitting its request for clarification of the May 21, 2021 Resolution and Order, commencing on June 12, 2021.

Be it notified and published.

Edison Avilés Deliz Chairman

Lillian Mateo Santos Associate Commissioner Ángel R. Rivera de la Cruz Associate Commissioner

Ferdinand A. Ramos Soegaard Associate Commissioner

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the majority of the members of the Puerto Rico Energy Bureau has so agreed on June 15, 2021. Associate Commissioner Sylvia B. Ugarte Araujo dissented without a written opinion. I also certify that on June 15, 2021 a copy of this Resolution and Order was notified by electronic mail to the following: margarita.mercado@us.dlapiper.com, mvazquez@diazvaz.law and kbolanos@diazvaz.law. I also certify that today, June 15, 2021, I have proceeded with the filing of the Resolution and Order issued by the Puerto Rico Energy Bureau.

For the record, I sign this in San Juan, Puerto Rico, today June 15, 2021.

Sonia Seda Gaztambide