

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

IN RE: ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND DEMAND
RESPONSE TRANSITION PERIOD PLAN

CASE NO.: NEPR-MI-2022-0001

SUBJECT: Motion to Submit Translation of
Revised Exhibit 1 to EE Rider Petition in
Compliance with Bench Order of May 5,
2023 and Request for Confidential
Treatment and Designation.

RESOLUTION

On June 9, 2023, LUMA Energy, LLC and LUMA Energy ServCo, LLC ("collectively, LUMA"), filed a document titled *Motion to Submit Translation of Revised Exhibit 1 to EE Rider Petition in Compliance with Bench Order of May 5, 2023* ("June 9 Motion"), which included a translation into Spanish of the Revised Exhibit 1 of the EE Rider Petition under the seal of confidentiality. On the same date, LUMA submitted a redacted version of the document.

LUMA argues that the translated Exhibit 1 contains one paragraph with information on the collaboration of LUMA with a third party pertaining to potential external funding sources for EE and DR programs which is subject to a mutual non-disclosure agreement. LUMA stated this information must remain in confidence because it has independent financial value and thus, the information is a trade secret.

Act 57-2014 establishes that any person having the obligation to submit information to the Energy Bureau can request privilege or confidential treatment to any information that the party submitting understands deserves such protection.¹ Specifically, Act 57-2014 requires the Energy Bureau to confidentially treat the submitted information provided that "the Energy Bureau, after the appropriate evaluation, believes such information should be protected."² In such case, the Energy Bureau "shall grant such protection in a manner that least affects the public interest, transparency, and the rights of the parties involved in the administrative procedure in which the allegedly confidential document is submitted."³

Upon review of LUMA's arguments, the Energy Bureau **TAKES NOTICE** of the information contained and **GRANTS** confidential designation and treatment to the translated Exhibit 1 attached to the June 9 Motion, under Article 6.15 of Act 57-2014.

Be notified and published.



¹ Section 6.15 of Act 57-2014, as amended.

² *Id.*

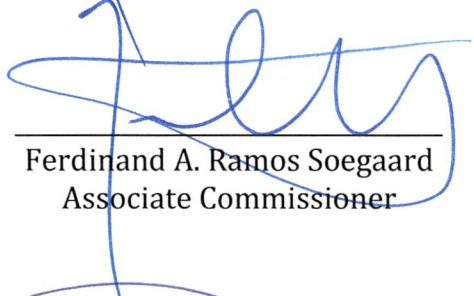
³ *Id.*



Edison Avilés Deliz
Chairman



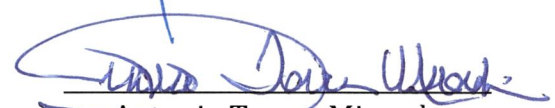
Lillian Mateo Santos
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Antonio Torres Miranda
Associate Commissioner

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the majority of the members of the Puerto Rico Energy Bureau has so agreed on June 27, 2023. I also certify that on June 30, 2023 a copy of this Resolution and Order was notified by electronic mail to agraitfe@agraitlawpr.com, info@sesapr.org; bfrench@veic.org; shanson@veic.org; ana.rodriquezrivera@us.dlapiper.com, laura.rozas@us.dlapiper.com; jmarrero@diazvaz.law, hrivera@jrsp.pr.gov. I also certify that today, June 30, 2023, 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 30, 2023.



Sonia Seda Gaztambide
Clerk

