

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

IN RE: PREPA'S 10 YEAR PLAN
COMPETITIVE INFRASTRUCTURE
PROCUREMENT PROCESS

CASE NO.: NEPR-MI-2022-0005

SUBJECT: Motion to Submit Status Reports
and Request for Confidential Designation
and Treatment.

RESOLUTION

On June 16, 2023, the Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority ("PREPA") filed before the Energy Bureau of the Puerto Rico Public Service Regulatory Board ("Energy Bureau") a document titled *Motion to Submit Bi-Monthly Status Reports dated June 15, 2023 on the Emergency Generation and Black Start Generation Procurement in Compliance with the January 23 Order* ("June 16 Motion"). As part of its filing, PREPA requested confidential designation and treatment of the documents attached to the June 16 Motion, Annexes A and B.

PREPA alleges that the information disclosed in Annexes A and B includes information on evaluating proposals and the process is ongoing. Annex A is document titled *RFP 3784, Power Advocate Event 138790 New Black Start Units Yabucoa and Costa Sur Power Stations* which is Status Report on the black start generation procurement process. As Annex B, PREPA includes a document titled *RFP 3800, Power Advocate Event 139303 New Peaker Units for the Dagua, Jobos, and Palo Seco Power Stations*, which is a Status Report on the emergency generation procurement process.

Act 57-2014¹ 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 this protection.² Specifically, Act 57-2014 requires the Energy Bureau to treat as confidential the information submitted provided that "the Energy Bureau, after the appropriate evaluation, believes such information should be protected".³ 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."⁴

Upon review of PREPA's arguments and the applicable law, the Energy Bureau **GRANTS** confidential designation and treatment to Annexes A and B submitted, pursuant to Article 6.15 of Act 57-2014.

Be it notified and published.



¹ Known as *Puerto Rico Energy Transformation and RELIEF Act*, as amended.

² Section 6.15 of Act 57-2014, as amended.

³ *Id.*

⁴ *Id.*



Edison Avilés Deliz
Chairman



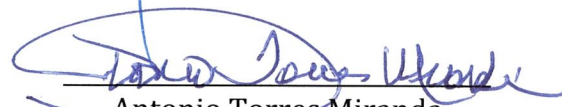
Lillian Mateo Santos
Associate Commissioner



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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 was notified by electronic mail to mvazquez@diazvaz.law; jmarrero@diazvaz.law; brannen@genera-services.com; kbolanos@genera-pr.com; regulatory@genera-pr.com; jfr@sbgblaw.com; alopez@sbgblaw.com; and I have moved forward filing the Resolution issued by the Puerto Rico Energy Bureau.

I sign this in San Juan, Puerto Rico, today, June 30, 2023.



Sonia Seda Gaztambide
Clerk

