

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

IN RE: PUERTO RICO ELECTRIC POWER
AUTHORITY RATE REVIEW

CASE NO.: NEPR-AP-2023-0003

SUBJECT: Hearing Examiner's Order
Summarizing October 23 Conference

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ROI responses: At our conference on October 23, 2025, I discussed the possibility of my admitting all ROI responses into evidence, subject to later objections. I am dropping that plan. Unless and until I notify otherwise, the requirement relating to introducing such information into evidence remains in place.

Panels on debt and pension: I am leaning toward eliminating the panels on debt and pension, on grounds that whatever facts the Commissioners need to make decision, those facts exist in documents that will go into the record. Parties can discuss any legal or policy issues in their proposed orders (which will substitute for post-hearing briefs). Anyone opposed to either the elimination of these two panels or the notion of proposed orders in place of post-hearing briefs, submit the opposition by formal pleading by **Monday, October 27, 2025 5p.**

Panel on Emergency Response Plan: There will be a distinct panel on Emergency Response Plan. On Monday morning, **October 27**, I will circulate informally a tentative agenda of topics. I invite parties' additions to that list, to be submitted by informal email (no advocacy, just a list) by Tuesday, **October 28, 2025 5p.** By that same time I would like PREPA, LUMA, and Genera to identify the participants, no more than two each.

Renamed panel: I have renamed the "Overhead and Miscellaneous" panel as "Multi-Utility Cost Areas."

Panel agendas: I will publish an agenda for each panel by **November 4, 2025.**

Updated panel list with date ranges: I will circulate Monday, **October 27, 2025.**

Private meetings on cross-examination: I ask for any objections to my having private meetings with various parties to learn about their cross-examination plans. In these meetings I might express opinions about the usefulness of particular lines of cross-examination. These meetings could result in a useful sharpening of cross-examination strategy and reduction in cross-examination time. If there are any objections to my having

these meetings, I will drop the idea. No one should feel hesitant to object. Object to this informal idea by informal email, copied to all.

Be notified and published.



Scott Hempling
Hearing Examiner

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the Hearing Examiner, Scott Hempling, has so established on October 23, 2025. I also certify that on October 23, 2025, I have proceeded with the filing of the Order, and a copy was notified by electronic mail to: mvalle@gmlex.net; arivera@gmlex.net; jmartinez@gmlex.net; jgonzalez@gmlex.net; nzayas@gmlex.net; Gerard.Gil@ankura.com; Jorge.SanMiguel@ankura.com; Lucas.Porter@ankura.com; mdiconza@omm.com; golivera@omm.com; pfriedman@omm.com; msyassin@omm.com; msyassin@omm.com; katuska.bolanos-lugo@us.dlapiper.com; Yahaira.delarosa@us.dlapiper.com; margarita.mercado@us.dlapiper.com; carolyn.clarkin@us.dlapiper.com; andrea.chambers@us.dlapiper.com; regulatory@genera-pr.com; legal@genera-pr.com; mvazquez@vvlawpr.com; gvilanova@vvlawpr.com; dbilloch@vvlawpr.com; ratecase@genera-pr.com; jfr@sbgblaw.com; hrivera@jrsp.pr.gov; gerardo_cosme@solartekpr.net; contratistas@jrsp.pr.gov; victorluisgonzalez@yahoo.com; Cfl@mcvpr.com; nancy@emmanuelli.law; jrinconlopez@guidehouse.com; Josh.Llamas@fticonsulting.com; Anu.Sen@fticonsulting.com; Ellen.Smith@fticonsulting.com; Intisarul.Islam@weil.com; alexis.ramsey@weil.com; kara.smith@weil.com; rafael.ortiz.mendoza@gmail.com; rolando@emmanuelli.law; monica@emmanuelli.law; cristian@emmanuelli.law; luis@emmanuelli.law; jan.albinolopez@us.dlapiper.com; Rachel.Albanese@us.dlapiper.com; varoon.sachdev@whitecase.com; javrua@sesapr.org; Brett.ingerman@us.dlapiper.com; brett.solberg@us.dlapiper.com; agraitfe@agraitlawpr.com; jpouroman@outlook.com; epo@amgprlaw.com; loliver@amgprlaw.com; acasellas@amgprlaw.com; matt.barr@weil.com; Robert.berezin@weil.com; Gabriel.morgan@weil.com; corey.brady@weil.com; lramos@ramoscruzlegal.com; tlauria@whitecase.com; gkurtz@whitecase.com; ccolumbres@whitecase.com; isaac.glassman@whitecase.com; tmacwright@whitecase.com; jcunningham@whitecase.com; mshepherd@whitecase.com; jgreen@whitecase.com; hburgos@cabprlaw.com; dperez@cabprlaw.com; howard.hawkins@cwt.com; mark.ellenberg@cwt.com; casey.servais@cwt.com; bill.natbony@cwt.com; zack.schrieber@cwt.com; thomas.curtin@cwt.com; escalera@reichardescalera.com; riverac@reichardescalera.com;

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I sign this in San Juan, Puerto Rico, on October 23, 2025.




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