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IN RE: PUERTO RICO ELECTRIC POWER
AUTHORITY RATE REVIEW

CASE NO.: NEPR-AP-2023-0003

SUBJECT: Request for Extension of Time

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE REPLY BRIEF ON REVENUE REQUIREMENT
AND RATE DESIGN BRIEFS**

TO THE HONORABLE ENERGY BUREAU:

COMES NOW, the Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority (“PREPA”), through its undersigned legal counsel, and respectfully moves the Puerto Rico Energy Bureau (“Energy Bureau” or “Bureau”) through its undersigned legal counsel, and respectfully moves the Puerto Rico Energy Bureau (“Energy Bureau” or “Bureau”) for a brief extension of time, until February 16, 2026, for all parties to file their Reply Briefs to the Initial Briefs on Revenue Requirement and Initial Briefs on Rate Design, currently due on February 9, 2026 and February 10, 2026, respectively. In support thereof, PREPA states as follows:

1. Under the current procedural schedule, all parties’ Reply Briefs to the Initial Briefs on Revenue Requirement are due on February 9, 2026, and the Initial Brief on Rate Design is due on February 10, 2026.

2. Following the conclusion of the evidentiary hearings, PREPA conducted a careful and comprehensive review of the proceedings in this case. As a result of that review, PREPA has identified areas of concern regarding certain aspects of the case and the reasoning reflected in specific decisions issued during

the course of the proceeding. These concerns are not raised lightly, but stem from PREPA's responsibility to ensure that the process affords all parties a fair opportunity to present their positions and that the record is developed in a manner consistent with the applicable statutory and regulatory framework.

3. These concerns arise at a threshold level and may affect the necessity of further merits briefing on revenue requirement or rate design by any party. PREPA will be filing a separate brief to articulate and substantiate these concerns for the Energy Bureau's consideration and determination.

4. In light of this impending filing, PREPA respectfully submits that requiring any party to proceed with reply and rate design briefing at this juncture would result in the expenditure of significant time and resources, many of which are borne directly or indirectly by public funds, before the Bureau has had an opportunity to assess the merits of PREPA's briefing on its legal concerns.

5. A brief, uniform extension applicable to all parties will afford the Energy Bureau adequate time to review and assess PREPA's arguments, and to determine the appropriate procedural course before additional resources are expended.

6. The requested extension is limited, reasonable, and sought in good faith, will not prejudice any party, and promotes procedural efficiency, fiscal responsibility, and orderly case management.

WHEREFORE, PREPA respectfully request that the Energy Bureau extend the deadline for all parties to file Reply Briefs on Revenue Requirement and the Initial

Brief on Rate Design to February 16, 2026, so as to allow the Bureau adequate time to review and assess PREPA's forthcoming filing, and to determine the appropriate procedural course before additional resources are expended.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED.

In San Juan, Puerto Rico this 9th day of February 2026.

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