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March 18, 2004

Re: Provider of Last Resort (POLR) Roundtable; Docket No. M-00041792

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES:

The Commission has established a POLR Roundtable to provide a forum for the discussion of issues related to POLR service in Pennsylvania. Interested parties were asked to notify the Secretary's Bureau by March 11, 2004 if they wished to participate in the POLR Roundtable. The Commission will host a series of meetings at which interested parties may present their views on this topic and respond to questions from the Commission.

Attached is a meeting schedule and issues list for the POLR Roundtable. All meetings are open to the public, and each meeting date has been reserved for certain participant groups to make presentations. Any interested parties who intend to make a presentation at their designated meeting should notify the Commission in writing by April 5, 2004. Presentation formats other than written comments are acceptable, and may include additional material. Those parties intending to make presentations are required to submit three copies thereof and any written comments to the Commission one week in advance of their meeting date. Please note, however, that all parties are welcome to submit written comments one week in advance of their designated meeting dates but are not required to make a presentation at the meetings.

All written comments and presentations must be filed with the Secretary's Bureau at the above referenced docket number, with copies served on the Law Bureau and Office of Communications via electronic mail (PDF format preferably, to rfyoung@state.pa.us and cypage@state.pa.us). Please allot 10 minutes for any presentations to be made at POLR Roundtable meetings.

The issues list is offered as a guide in the POLR Roundtable meetings and parties may respond to all or some of the issues in their written comments and presentations. Issues not included in this list may be addressed by the parties. Parties may file one set of succinct reply comments, which will be due on June 7th. The Commission may allow reply presentations, at its discretion, at the June 16, 2004 meeting.

Comments and presentations may be served on the other parties to this proceeding, but it is not required. A participant list and all filed comments and presentations will be made available to the participants and public through the Commission's website at www.puc.paonline.com on or about the designated meeting date. If you have any questions, please contact Deputy Chief Counsel Robert F. Young at (717) 787-4945 or by email at rfyoung@state.pa.us.

Very truly yours,

James J. McNulty
Secretary

Attachments