

PUC Public Meeting Summary

A Public Meeting Summary for 6/7/12



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Approved applications for Bucks County Food Tours (**Bucks County**); Burgit City Taxi Inc. (**Luzerne County**); LLG Transportation LLC (**Philadelphia County**); **Bennett Motor Express LLC**; **Telestride LLC**; **Hiko Energy LLC**; **Best Power LLC**; **Sprague Operating Resources LLC**; and **Hess Small Business Services LLC**.

Approved an application as amended for Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDOT) (**Allegheny County**).

Approved an application for discontinuance or abandonment of service for **Global NAPS South Inc.**

Dismissed the application of Quality Transport Services Inc.

Approved increases in rates for Noga Ambulance Service Inc. (**Allegheny, Butler, Mercer, Lawrence and Beaver counties**); Capital City Cab Service (**Dauphin, Cumberland, Perry and York counties**); Robert P. Scott Professional Moving Van Service Co. Inc. (**Bucks and Philadelphia counties**); Walls/Delaware Valley Havertown/Westtown Movers LLC (**Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery and Philadelphia counties**); EZ Moving LLC (**Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, and Philadelphia counties**); Movin' Murdy Inc. (**Allegheny County**); Garttmeyer Moving & Storage Inc. (**Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery and Philadelphia counties**); and Alpha International Movers Inc. (**Monroe and Pike counties**).

Adopted the proposed opinions and orders denying Union's exceptions, adopting the administrative law judge's (ALJ's) decision, to the extent consistent with the opinion and order, and rescinding the 1975 order in its entirety

in the case of United Transportation Union, Pennsylvania State Legislative Board vs. **Norfolk Southern Railway**; denying the complainant's exceptions and adopting the initial decision in the case of Guy Laren vs. **Philadelphia Gas Works**; denying the complainant's exceptions to the initial decision and adopting the ALJ's initial decision, to the extent it is consistent with the opinion and order in the case of Daniel Schutzer vs. **Columbia Gas of Pennsylvania**; issuing for comment the settlement agreement of **Windstream Pennsylvania LLC** pertaining to an informal investigation of the company's "no proration" billing practice; granting the petition, in part, and denying it, in part, modifying the order entered March 1, 2012, and referring the matter to the Bureau of Technical Utility Services for processing regarding the application of **American Eagle Bus & Limo Inc.**; granting the joint petition for **approval of an interconnection agreement** between Time Warner Cable Information Service and **Windstream Communications**; granting the joint petition for **approval of an interconnection agreement** between Consolidated Communications of Pennsylvania and **TCG Pittsburgh**; denying the exceptions and adopting the initial decision regarding **Pennsylvania Electric Co.'s** application for approval to locate and construct the Bedford North-Osterburg East 115-kV high-voltage transmission line project situated in Bedford and East St. Clair townships, **Bedford County**; and adopting the non-unanimous settlement without modification regarding a proposed increase in rates for **Aqua Pennsylvania Inc.**

Adopted the proposed final order approving the **universal service and energy conservation plan** of **West Penn Power Co.**

Adopted the proposed orders granting the petition of **PPL Electric Utilities Corp.** for a

finding that a second building to shelter control equipment at the Hosensack 230-69-kV substation to be constructed in Lower Milford Township, **Lehigh County**, as reasonably necessary; approving the letter of notification of **Pennsylvania Electric Co.** with respect to the East Towanda-Moshannon 230-kV transmission line loop to the Marshall Substation in Jackson Township, **Lycoming County**; approving the 2012 price stability index/service price index filing of **Lackawaxen Telecommunication Services Inc.**; granting the petition of **National Fuel Gas Distribution** for an extension of time to submit its evaluation report for the **universal service** and **energy conservation programs** from Aug. 1, 2012, to March 31, 2013; consolidating, suspending and investigating the tariff supplements of **Equitable Gas Co.** regarding the heating value of gas, as well as proposing additional modifications establishing a voluntary purchase of receivables program; granting the petitions for reconsideration and clarification filed by the **Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors**, the **Pennsylvania Independent Oil & Gas Association**, the **Marcellus Shale Coalition** and the **Associated Petroleum Industries of Pennsylvania** pending a review of, and consideration on, the merits relating to Chapter 23 of **Act 13 of 2012**, the **Unconventional Gas Well Impact Fee Act**.

Adopted the proposed rulemaking order issuing for comment proposed regulations that would provide a consistent definition of **unaccounted-for-gas** (UFG) and the terms of a metrics system for natural gas distribution system losses of the state's **natural gas distribution companies** (NGDCs).

Registered a securities certificate for PPL Electric Utilities Corp.

Approved the 911 system renewal plan for Cameron County.

Adopted the special agent's initial decision denying the complaint in the case of Margaret Walzer vs. **Duquesne Light Co.**

Adopted the ALJ's recommended decisions accepting the **Section 1307(e) annual distribution system improvement charge reconciliation statement** insofar as it is undisputed for **Newtown Artesian Water Co.**; accepting the **Section 1307(e) distribution system improvement charge reconciliation statement** insofar as it is undisputed for **Pennsylvania American Water Co.**; accepting the **Section 1307(e) statement of over/under collection of distribution system improvement charge** insofar as it is undisputed for **Columbia Water Co.**; accepting the **Section 1307(e) generation service supply rate reconciliation statement** insofar as it is undisputed for **Citizens' Electric Co. of Lewisburg**; accepting the **Section 1307(e) generation supply adjustment reconciliation statement** insofar as it is undisputed for **PECO Energy Co. – Electric**; and accepting the **Section 1307(e) consolidated distribution system, charge true-up for 2011 and 2010/2009 E-Factor** for the first nine months of billing insofar as it is undisputed for **Aqua Pennsylvania Inc.**

Adopted the final order finalizing the Implementation Order as a continued step in implementing the **Gas and Hazardous Liquids Pipelines Act (Act 127)**.

Adopted the motion of Chairman Powelson in the case of Bureau of Transportation and Safety (BTS) vs. Handy Delivery Inc. (**Centre County**).

Adopted the joint motion of Vice Chairman Coleman and Commissioner Witmer in the case of Gary Gaskins vs. **Verizon Pennsylvania Inc.**

Adopted the motion of Commissioner Gardner dismissing the complaint for lack of standing in the case of Brandon Russell vs. **Verizon North LLC**.

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