1	BEFORE THE
2	ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION
3	REGULAR OPEN MEETING
4	(PUBLIC UTILITIES)
5	Chicago, Illinois
6	Tuesday, May 20, 2014
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9	Met pursuant to notice at 10:30 a.m. at
10	160 North LaSalle Street, 8th Floor, Chicago, Illinois
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13	PRESENT;
14	MR. DOUGLAS P. SCOTT, Chairman
15	MR. JOHN T. COLGAN, Commissioner
16	MS. ANN McCABE, Commissioner (via teleconference)
17	MR. MIGUEL DEL VALLE, Commissioner
18	MS. SHERNIA E. MAYE, Commissioner
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- 1 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Pursuant to the provisions of the
- Open Meetings Act, I now convene a Regular Open Meeting
- 3 of the Illinois Commerce Commission. With me in Chicago
- 4 are Commissioner Colgan, Commissioner del Valle, and
- 5 Commissioner Maye. I am Chairman Scott. We have a
- 6 quorum.
- 7 We should also have Commissioner McCabe on the
- 8 phone.
- 9 Commissioner, are you there?
- 10 COMMISSIONER McCABE: Yes, I am.
- 11 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Very good.
- 12 Under the Commission's rules we have to vote
- 13 to allow Commissioner McCabe to participate by phone. I
- 14 move to allow Commissioner McCabe's participation by
- 15 phone. Is there a second?
- 16 COMMISSIONER COLGAN: Second.
- 17 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Seconded by Commissioner Colgan.
- 18 All in favor, say aye.
- 19 (Ayes heard.)
- 20 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any opposed?
- 21 (No response.)
- 22 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: The vote -- The vote is 4 to
- 23 nothing, and Commissioner McCabe may participate in
- 24 today's meeting by phone.
- 25 Before moving into the agenda, according to

- 1 Section 1700.10 of Title 2 of the Administrative Code,
- 2 this is the time we allow members of the public to
- 3 address the Commission. Members of the public wishing
- 4 to address the Commission must notify the Chief Clerk's
- office at least 24 hours prior to the Commission
- 6 meetings. According to the Chief Clerk's office, we
- 7 have no requests to speak at today's meeting.
- 8 The first item of business on today's agenda
- 9 is the approval of minutes from our May 2nd Special Open
- 10 Meeting. I understand that amendments have been
- 11 forwarded.
- 12 Is there a motion to amend the minutes?
- 13 COMMISSIONER COLGAN: So move.
- 14 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Is there a second?
- 15 COMMISSIONER MAYE: Second.
- 16 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Moved by Commissioner Colgan.
- 17 Seconded by Commissioner Maye.
- 18 All in favor, say aye.
- 19 (Ayes heard.)
- 20 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any opposed?
- 21 (No response.)
- 22 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: The vote is 5 to nothing, and the
- amendments are adopted.
- Is there now a motion to approve the minutes
- 25 as amended?

- 1 COMMISSIONER MAYE: So move.
- 2 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Is there a second?
- 3 COMMISSIONER COLGAN: Seconded.
- 4 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Moved by Commissioner Maye.
- 5 Seconded by Commissioner Colgan.
- 6 All in favor, say aye.
- 7 (Ayes heard.)
- 8 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any opposed?
- 9 (No response.)
- 10 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: The vote is 5 to nothing, and the
- 11 May 2nd Special Open Meeting minutes, as amended, are
- 12 approved.
- 13 Items 2 and 3 will be taken together. These
- 14 items are investigations into ComEd's cost of service
- 15 for low-use customers in each residential class and
- 16 ComEd's supply rate subsidies for non-residential space
- 17 heat and lighting customers. In both cases, Staff
- 18 recommends entry of an Order initiating an investigation
- 19 under Section 9-250 of the Public Utilities Act.
- 20 Commissioner McCabe, did you have a question
- 21 regarding the timing of these?
- 22 COMMISSIONER McCABE: Yes.
- 23 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Torsten Clausen is coming up to
- 24 the desk.
- 25 Go ahead with your question, Commissioner.

- 1 COMMISSIONER McCABE: I just want to get an idea
- 2 how long these investigations will take.
- 3 MR. CLAUSEN: Yeah. I think I can only talk about
- 4 one of the two, the one that talks about the supply rate
- 5 subsidies for non-residential space heating and lighting
- 6 customers. Since, you know, that the supply rates
- 7 usually get set once a year right before June 1, even
- 8 though there is no statutory timeline for these 9-250
- 9 investigations, I don't see a problem getting these done
- 10 in the 11-month or even earlier time frame so that
- 11 whatever comes out of this proceeding will then make it
- 12 its way into the calculations over the next time supply
- 13 rates are being calculated, which will be in the spring.
- 14 And I'll let Staff talk about the other.
- 15 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Is there anybody that can speak to
- 16 No. 2?
- 17 MR. SCOTT STRUCK (via teleconference): Yes. This
- 18 is Scott Struck. Regarding the low-use study, a lot of
- 19 it will depend upon what ComEd presents and how the
- 20 parties respond to it.
- 21 Again, there's no statutory deadline as far as
- 22 when these cases have to get done. But as a practical
- 23 matter, there are two milestones that are relevant.
- 24 The first is if the change needed to be
- 25 reflected in the formula rates that are effective 2015,

- 1 this will need to get done and an Order would have to be
- 2 entered by the end of November. After that, there won't
- 3 be any changes. So in this case, we're going with the
- 4 facts for the rates into '16 and making it a little bit
- 5 tight to get it done by November. Then we would
- 6 probably have a rehearing case scheduled around the
- 7 testimony. We're looking for a more complete record. A
- 8 more realistic expectation would be it gets done
- 9 sometime next spring.
- 10 COMMISSIONER McCABE: Thank you.
- 11 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Anything else, Commissioner?
- 12 COMMISSIONER McCABE: No, thank you.
- 13 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Torsten and Scott, thank you very
- 14 much.
- Is there any other discussion on these items?
- 16 (No response.)
- 17 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Is there a motion to enter the
- 18 Orders?
- 19 COMMISSIONER DEL VALLE: Move.
- 20 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Is there a second?
- 21 COMMISSIONER COLGAN: Second.
- 22 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Moved by Commissioner del Valle.
- 23 Seconded by Commissioner Colgan.
- 24 All in favor, say aye.
- 25 (Ayes heard.)

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1 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any opposed?
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- 2 (No response.)
- 3 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: The vote is 5 to nothing and the
- 4 Orders are entered. We will use this 5 to nothing vote
- 5 for the remainder of today's Regular Open Meeting unless
- 6 otherwise noted.
- 7 Items 4 through 6 can be taken together.
- 8 These items are our reconciliation of revenues collected
- 9 by Ameren under coal tar riders with prudent costs
- 10 associated with coal tar cleanup expenditures in
- 11 Zones 1, 2, and 3. ALJ Yoder in each case recommends
- 12 entry of an Order approving the reconciliation.
- 13 Is there any discussion?
- 14 (No response.)
- 15 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Are there any objections?
- 16 (No response.)
- 17 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Orders are
- 18 entered.
- 19 Item 7 is Docket No. 13-0538. This is Betty
- 20 Hammond's complaint against ComEd as to billing and/or
- 21 charges in South Chicago Heights. ALJ Sainsot
- 22 recommends entry of an Order dismissing the complaint
- 23 for want of prosecution.
- Is there any discussion?
- 25 (No response.)

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          CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?
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          CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Order is entered
     and the complaint dismissed.
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               Item 8 is Docket No. 13-0620. This is Carla
     Street Beauty Solution Supply's complaint against ComEd
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     as to billing and/or charges in Chicago. ALJ Riley
     recommends entry of an Order dismissing the complaint
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     with prejudice.
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               Is there any discussion?
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          CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?
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          CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Order is entered
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     and the complaint dismissed.
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               Items 9 and 10 can be taken together.
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     items are applications for licensure as an agent, broker
     and consultant under Section 16-115C of the Public
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     Utilities Act. In both cases ALJ Kimbrel recommends
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     entry of an Order granting the requested certificate of
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          CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?
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- 1 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Orders are
- 2 entered.
- 3 Item 11 is Docket No. 14-0291. This is Ameren
- 4 Transmission Company's petition for an Order pursuant to
- 5 Section 8-509 of the Public Utilities Act authorizing
- 6 the use of Eminent Domain power and requiring an
- 7 easement across 26 parcels of land for the purpose of
- 8 its Illinois Rivers Project. ALJ Albers recommends
- 9 entry of an Order granting the requested relief on all
- 10 parcels except one that had been sold during the
- 11 negotiations.
- 12 Is there any discussion?
- 13 (No response.)
- 14 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?
- 15 (No response.)
- 16 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Order is entered
- 17 and the requested relief is granted in part.
- 18 Item 12 is Docket No. 14-0316. This is
- 19 ComEd's petition to make housekeeping revisions and a
- 20 compliance change to its filed rate formula.
- This item has been withdrawn from today's
- 22 agenda.
- 23 Items 13 and 14 can be taken together. These
- 24 items are petitions for confidential and/or proprietary
- 25 treatment of petitioners' continued compliance reports.

- 1 The ALJ in both cases recommends entry of an Order
- 2 granting the requested relief.
- 3 Is there any discussion?
- 4 (No response.)
- 5 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?
- 6 (No response.)
- 7 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Orders are
- 8 entered.
- 9 Item 15 is Docket No. 14-0342. This is Con
- 10 Edison Solutions' petition for confidential and/or
- 11 proprietary treatment of its annual report. Petitioner
- 12 has filed a motion seeking leave to withdraw its
- 13 petition, which ALJ Albers recommends we grant.
- 14 Is there any discussion?
- 15 (No response.)
- 16 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?
- 17 (No response.)
- 18 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Motion to
- 19 Withdraw is granted.
- Items 16 and 17 can be taken together. These
- 21 items are petitions for confidential and/or proprietary
- 22 treatment of petitioners' various reports. The ALJ in
- 23 both cases recommends entry of an Order granting the
- 24 requested relief.
- Is there any discussion?

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               Items 18 and 19 can be taken together. These
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     items are Nicor, North Shore Gas & Peoples Gas Company's
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     applications pursuant to Section 8-104 of the Public
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     Utilities Act for consent to and approval of an energy
     efficiency plan. It both cases, ALJ Benn recommends
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     entry of an Order directing the Company to file a
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     modified plan consistent with the findings therein
     within 30 days of the date of the Order.
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          CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?
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          CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Orders are
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     entered.
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     items are our amendments of 83 Illinois Administrative
     Code 710 and 711. In both cases, ALJ Riley recommends
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     entry of an Order adopting the amendments.
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               Is there any discussion?
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          CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?
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          CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Orders are
     entered and the amendments adopted.
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               Item 22 is Docket No. 13-0563. This is
     Digizip.com's Petition for Withdrawal of its certificate
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     of authority to operate as a reseller of interexchange
     telecommunications services in the state of Illinois,
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     which ALJ Baker recommends we grant.
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          CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?
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               Item 23 is Docket No. 13-0637.
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     Lightyear Network Solutions' Application for
     Cancellation of its certificates of local, interexchange
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     and prepaid calling service authorities. ALJ Baker
     recommends entry of an Order granting the requested
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               Is there any discussion?
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          CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?
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- 1 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Order is
- 2 entered.
- 3 Item 24 is Docket No. 14-0306. This is
- 4 CenturyLink MRC's Petition to Withdraw its certificates
- 5 of service authority and interexchange service
- 6 authority. ALJ Riley recommends entry of an Order
- 7 granting the requested relief.
- 8 Is there any discussion?
- 9 (No response.)
- 10 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?
- 11 (No response.)
- 12 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Order is
- 13 entered.
- 14 Item 25 is Docket No. 14-0103. This is
- 15 Nextlink Wireless' petition for confidential and/or
- 16 proprietary treatment of its 2013 annual report. ALJ
- 17 Yoder recommends entry of an Amendatory Order correcting
- 18 the misspelling of the applicant's name in the May 13,
- 19 2014 Order, which granted the requested relief.
- Is there any discussion?
- 21 (No response.)
- 22 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?
- 23 (No response.)
- 24 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Amendatory Order
- 25 is entered.

- 1 Item 26 is Docket No. 14-0286. This is
- 2 RCLEC, Incorporated's petition for confidential and/or
- 3 proprietary treatment of its annual report.
- 4 ALJ Jorgenson recommends entry of an Order granting the
- 5 requested relief.
- Is there any discussion?
- 7 (No response.)
- 8 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?
- 9 (No response.)
- 10 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Order is
- 11 entered.
- 12 Item 27 is Docket No. 11-0033. This is Amcor
- 13 Flexibles' complaint against ComEd pursuant to Sections
- 14 9-250 and 10-108 of the Public Utilities Act and Section
- 15 200.170 of the Rules of Practice. Amcor has filed a
- 16 Motion to Stay and Application for Rehearing, which
- 17 ALJ Teague Kingsley recommends we deny.
- 18 Is there any discussion?
- 19 (No response.)
- 20 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Are there any objections to deny
- 21 the motions?
- 22 (No response.)
- 23 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Motion to Stay
- 24 and Application for Rehearing are denied.
- Judge Dolan, are there any other matters to

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come before the Commission today?
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          JUDGE DOLAN: Not today.
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          CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Thank you, sir.
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               Hearing none, this meeting stands adjourned.
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1	STATE OF ILLINOIS)) SS.
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5	Sharon Valli, being first duly sworn, on oath
6	says that she is a Certified Shorthand Reporter doing
7	business in the City of Chicago, County of Cook and the
8	State of Illinois;
9	That she reported in shorthand the proceedings
10	had at the foregoing Meeting;
11	And that the foregoing is a true and correct
12	transcript of her shorthand notes so taken as aforesaid
13	and contains all the proceedings had at the said
14	Meeting.
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18	SHARON VALLI, CSR
19	CSR No. 084-004551
20 21 22 23	SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 21st day of May, A.D., 2014.
24	NOTARY PUBLIC