1	BEFORE THE
2	ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION
3	PUBLIC UTILITIES REGULAR OPEN MEETING
4	Thursday, September 22, 2022
5	Chicago, Illinois
6	Met pursuant to notice at 11:30 AM at 160 North
7	LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois.
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9	PRESENT:
10	CARRIE ZALEWSKI, Chairwoman (via Chicago office)
11	ETHAN KIMBREL, Commissioner (via Chicago office)
12	MICHAEL CARRIGAN, Commissioner (via Springfield office)
13	ANN MCCABE, Commissioner (via Chicago office)
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21	BRIDGES COURT REPORTING BY: Quinn Dean
22	Electronic Reporter

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           CHAIR ZALEWSKI: Under the Open Meetings Act, I
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    call the September 22nd, 2022 Regular Open Meeting to
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    order.
                     Commissioners Kimbrel and McCabe are
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    with me in the Chicago office, and Commissioner
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    Carrigan is joining us from Springfield.
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    quorum.
             We have no requests to speak. There is no
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    Transportation Agenda, so we're going to go ahead and
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    move on to the Public Utility Agenda.
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                     There are edits to the September 1st,
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     2022, Regular Open Meeting minutes.
                     Are there any objections to approving
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    the minutes as edited?
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                     (No verbal response.)
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                     Hearing none, the minutes are approved.
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                     Under our electric items, Item E-1
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    concerns a motion to withdraw by Liberty Power
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    Holdings, LLC, seeking emergency relief to protect the
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    confidential version of its report of electric rates.
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                     Are there any objections to granting
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     the motion to withdraw?
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                     (No verbal response.)
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1	Hearing none, the motion is granted.
2	Item E-2 concerns an application for a certification to
3	install, maintain, and repair electric vehicle charging
4	stations. The order grants the certificate finding
5	that the Applicant meets the requirements.
6	Are there any objections to approving
7	the order?
8	(No verbal response.)
9	Hearing none, the order is approved.
10	Item E-3 concerns a complaint against
11	Ameren Illinois as to billing and charges in Effingham,
12	Illinois. The parties have filed a stipulation and
13	joint motion to dismiss, noting that they have settled
14	the matter and asking the Commission to dismiss the
15	complaint with prejudice.
16	Are there objections to granting the
17	motion to dismiss?
18	(No verbal response.)
19	Hearing none, the motion is granted.
20	There are no gas items.
21	Under our telecommunications items,
22	Item T-1 concerns an application for authority to

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    provide resold cellular radio wireless telephone
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    service in Illinois.
                           The order grants the certificate,
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     finding that the Applicant meets the certification
    requirements.
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                     Are there any objections to approving
     the order?
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                     (No verbal response.)
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                     Hearing none, the order is approved.
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                     Under our water and sewer items,
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     Item W-1 concerns Illinois American Water Company's
    application for a certificate of public convenience and
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    necessity to provide water distribution and wastewater
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    collection service to Royal Oaks and for the approval
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    of the purchase of assets. The order grants the
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    certificate and approves the purchase of assets.
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    order finds that the Company demonstrated a need for
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    the service to the proposed certificated areas.
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    order also finds that the Company is capable of
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    efficiently managing and supervising this service.
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                     Are there any objections to approving
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    the order?
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                     (No verbal response.)
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                     Hearing none, the order is approved.
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                     Under our petitions for hearing,
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     Item PR-1 concerns Docket Number 21-0850 and ComEd's
    verified petition for approval of revisions to Rider DG
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    rebate.
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              The Illinois Competitive Energy Association or
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     ICEA, is seeking a rehearing on two issues.
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                     First, as to whether Section 16-107.6(c)(2)
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     supersedes the prohibition against tying
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    Sections 452.120 and 452.270 of Commission rules, and
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    second, the Commission's decision that ComEd is
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    prohibited from a, quote, "program offered by the
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    applicable electric utility, " end quote, that confirms
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    a customer's ARES supply rate is time variant.
                     The ALJ recommends that the Commission
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    deny the request for rehearing because ComEd's proposed
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    Rider DG rebate properly implements section 16-107.6 of
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    the act.
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                     Before I call the vote, just a quick
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    call for comments.
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                     (No verbal response.)
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                     If not, I'm going to go ahead and call
    a role for this item.
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                            So if you are in favor of
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denying the rehearing, please say "aye" and oppose, say
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     "nay."
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                     Commissioner Kimbrel?
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           COMMISSIONER KIMBREL:
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           CHAIR ZALEWSKI: Commissioner Carrigan?
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           COMMISSIONER CARRIGAN:
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           CHAIR ZALEWSKI: Commissioner McCabe?
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           COMMISSIONER MCCABE:
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           CHAIR ZALEWSKI:
                            I vote aye. So the three ayes
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    have it, and the petition for rehearing is denied.
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                     Under other business items, Item 0-1
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     concerns approval of batches, contracts, and
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     confirmations under the Illinois Adjustable Block
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    Program.
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                     Are there any objections to approving
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     the program administrator submissions?
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                     (No verbal response.)
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                     Hearing none, these submissions are
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     approved.
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                     This concludes our agenda.
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                     Judge Teague Kingsley, do we have other
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    matters to come before the Commission today?
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           JUDGE TEAGUE KINGSLEY:
                                   No, Madam Chairman.
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           CHAIR ZALEWSKI: Do Commissioners have other
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    business to discuss?
                     (No verbal response.)
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                     I just would like to introduce my two
 6
    new interns.
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                     First, today we have in the room with
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    us, Taylor Desgrosseilliers, who is a 3L at
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    Northwestern Law School.
                               She's interested in
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    environmental and energy law, and prior to law school,
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     she worked in D.C. for a few years.
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                     And the second intern I'd like to
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     introduce is Carly Rogers, who is a 3L at Chicago-Kent
    College of Law where she is working towards her
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    environmental and energy law certificate. She received
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    her bachelor's degree from Arizona State University,
    and she is particularly interested in the transition to
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    clean energy and environmental justice.
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                     We are excited to have them both with
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    my office.
                 There is plenty of work to be done, so we
    appreciate their help as well.
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                     If there are no further comments and if
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     there's no objection, then the meeting is now
     adjourned.
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                  Thank you.
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                      (WHEREUPON, the above-entitled matter
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                       was adjourned at 11:36 AM.)
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