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BEFORE THE  
ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION  
Thursday, August 1, 2019  
Springfield, Illinois

Met pursuant to notice at 10:30 a.m. at  
527 East Capitol Avenue, Springfield, Illinois

PRESENT:

- CARRIE ZALEWSKI, Chairman
- D. ETHAN KIMBREL, Commissioner
- SADZI OLIVA, Commissioner
- MARIA S. BOCANEGRA, Commissioner
- BRIEN SHEAHAN, Commissioner

REPORTED BY:

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1                   CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Under the Opening  
2 Meetings Acts, I call the August 1, 2019, Regular  
3 Open Meeting to order.

4                   Commissioner Kimbrel is with me in  
5 Springfield.

6                   Commissioners Oliva, Bocanegra and  
7 Sheahan are in Chicago. We have a quorum.

8                   We have no requests to speak and so we  
9 move on to our Public Utility Agenda.

10                  There are edits to the July 17, 2019,  
11 Regular Open Meetings Minutes.

12                  Are there any objections to approving the  
13 minutes as edited?

14                  (No response)

15                  CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
16 minutes are approved.

17                  Moving on to our Electric Utility item.

18                  Items E-1 and E-2 concern the  
19 Commission's review of ComEd annual reliability  
20 reports.

21                  Are there any objections to considering  
22 these items together and approving the Orders?

23                  (No response)

24                  CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the

1 Orders are approved.

2           Items E-3 and E-4 concern proposed  
3 amendments to the Commission Rules in parts 421,  
4 451, and 455. The amendments clarify reporting and  
5 disclosure requirements for electric utilities and  
6 alternative electric suppliers, as well as  
7 requirements for the consumer education materials.  
8 These Orders approve the final adoption of the  
9 amendments upon receiving certifications of no --  
10 excuse me -- certificates of no objection from JCAR  
11 and authorized submission of the notices of adoption  
12 to the Secretary of State.

13           Are there any objections to considering  
14 these items together and approving the Orders?

15           (No response)

16           CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
17 Orders are approved.

18           Items -- Item E5 concerns docket 19-0071,  
19 which are the proposed amendments to the part 411 of  
20 the Commission Rules on electric liability, aimed to  
21 bring the rules into compliance with the amendments  
22 to the Public Utilities Act. The order adopts the  
23 amendments for second notice in relation to JCAR.

24           Are there any objections to approving the

1 order?

2 (No response)

3 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
4 order is approved.

5 Item E-6 concerns docket 19-0343, which  
6 is a Joint Motion to Dismiss a complaint against  
7 Spark Energy regarding agreement to provide services  
8 as an electric supplier.

9 Are there any objections to granting the  
10 motion to dismissing the complaints?

11 (No response)

12 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
13 motion is granted. Motion is approved.

14 Items E-7 through E-17 concern  
15 applications for authority to install distributed  
16 generation facilities in Illinois. The orders grant  
17 the certificates, finding the applicants meet the  
18 Commission's rules requirements.

19 Are there any objections to considering  
20 these items together and approving the orders?

21 (No response)

22 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
23 orders are approved.

24 Item E-18 concerns docket 19-0698, which

1 is a Petition to Cancel energy efficiency measure  
2 installer certificate. The order grants the  
3 petition and cancels the certificate.

4 Are there any objections to approving the  
5 order?

6 (No response)

7 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
8 order is approved.

9 Items E-19 through E-32 concern  
10 applications for authority to install efficiency  
11 measures. The orders grant the certificates finding  
12 that the occupancy application meet the  
13 requirements.

14 Are there any objections to considering  
15 these items together and approving the orders?

16 (No response).

17 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
18 orders are approved.

19 We now move on to our Gas items.

20 Item G-1 concerns docket 18-1512, which  
21 is a complaint against People's Gas to a faulty  
22 meter in Chicago. The Order denies the complaint,  
23 finding that the Complainant did not demonstrate  
24 that the meter was faulty and that she is not

1 responsible for charges.

2 Are there any objections to approving the  
3 Order?

4 (No response).

5 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
6 order is approved.

7 Item G-2 concerns docket 19-0576, which  
8 is a Joint Motion to Dismiss a complaint against  
9 People's Gas regarding billing.

10 Are there any objections to granting the  
11 motion?

12 (No response).

13 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
14 motion is granted. The complaint is dismissed.

15 Item G-3 concerns docket 19-0290, which  
16 is Ameren Illinois' Petition for Reconciliation  
17 under the Rider VBA or Volume Balancing Adjustment.  
18 The Order approves the reconciliation.

19 Are there any objections to approving the  
20 Order?

21 (No response)

22 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
23 Order is approved.

24 Item G-4 concerns docket 19-0342, which

1 is a Petition for Approval of Affiliate Services  
2 Agreements of Liberty Utilities. The Order approves  
3 the agreements.

4 Are there any objections to approving the  
5 Order?

6 (No response).

7 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
8 Order is approved.

9 Moving on to our Telecommunications  
10 Items.

11 Item T-1 concerns docket 19-0487, which  
12 is a Motion to Withdraw without prejudice a  
13 complaint regarding billing, a billing dispute  
14 involving AT&T landline services in Chicago.

15 Are there any objections to granting the  
16 motion?

17 (No response)

18 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
19 motion is approved.

20 Moving on to our Water and Sewer Items.

21 Item W-1 concerns docket 18-0297, which  
22 is Aqua Illinois' petition to extend a certificate  
23 of public convenience and necessity in Lake County  
24 and to approve proposed rates and tariffs. The

1 Order grants the certificate for the areas specified  
2 in the appendix and approves the proposed order.

3 Are there any objections to approving the  
4 Order?

5 (No response)

6 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
7 Order is approved.

8 We have no Miscellaneous Items.

9 We have no Petitions for Rehearing.

10 We have two items in Other Business.

11 Item 0-1 concerns approval of July 2019  
12 solicitation of bids to sell renewable energy  
13 credits from New Brownfield Photovoltaic Projects.

14 Are there any objections to approving the  
15 Procurement Administrator recommendation on  
16 selection of the winning bids?

17 (No response)

18 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
19 recommendations are approved.

20 Item 0-2 concerns approval of batches,  
21 contracts, and confirmations under the Adjustable  
22 Block Program.

23 Are there any objections to approving the  
24 Procurement Administrator submissions?



1 (No response)

2 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the  
3 submissions are approved.

4 This concludes our Public Utilities  
5 Agenda.

6 Judge Teague-Kingsley, do we have any  
7 other matters to come before the Commission today?

8 JUDGE TEAGUE-KINGSLEY: No, Madam  
9 Chairman.

10 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Thank you.

11 Do any of the Commissioners have any  
12 other business to discuss?

13 (No response)

14 CHAIRMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, without  
15 objection, this meeting is adjourned.

16 Thank you.

17 (Meeting adjourned at 10:39 a.m.)

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