



STATE OF NEW JERSEY
Board of Public Utilities
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AGENDA FOR BOARD MEETING
The meeting will be held on
Wednesday, February 17, 2021 – 10:00 a.m.

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Executive Session

(Open Session will not reconvene until the conclusion of the Executive Session, which will commence at 10:00 a.m. The only business to be conducted in the 10:00 a.m. Open Session will be the reading of the public notice statement, roll call, and the exception, under the Open Public Meetings Act, for each item to be considered in Executive Session.)

8. CLEAN ENERGY

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I. AUDITS

- A. [Docket No. TE20100653 – In the Matter of the Verified Petition of Everstream Solutions, LLC for Approval to Provide Local Exchange and Interexchange Telecommunications Services Throughout the State of New Jersey.](#)

The Board will consider a petition filed by Everstream Solutions, LLC for an order of approval from the Board for authority to provide all forms of facilities-based Competitive Local Exchange Carrier, Interexchange and Exchange Access telecommunications services to business and wireless customers throughout the State of New Jersey. No parties have objected to this Petition.

B. Energy Agent, Private Aggregator and/or Energy Consultant Renewal Registrations

<u>EE20030230L</u>	Clear Energy Solutions, LLC	R – EA
<u>EE21010068L</u>	US Energy Source, LLC	R – EA
<u>EE21010067L</u>	Summit Energy Services, Inc. d/b/a Schneider Electric	R – EA
<u>EE20100683L</u>	Scott Eric Monetti d/b/a Oxford Energy	R – EA
<u>EE20080554L</u>	Infinity Power Partners, LLC	R – EA
<u>EE21010075L</u>	Noble Hill Brokerage, LLC	R – EA

I. AUDITS (CONT'D)

[EE20080552L](#)
[GE20080553L](#)

MountainView Partners, LLC
d/b/a M3 Energy

R – EA/EC

These matters relate to the above applicants being issued renewal registrations as an energy agent, private aggregator and/or energy agent consultant for one year.

II. ENERGY

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

III. CABLE TELEVISION

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

IV. TELECOMMUNICATIONS

- A. [Docket No. TM20110721 – In the Matter of the Verified Joint Petition of PEG Bandwidth NJ, LLC, Seller and Everstream Solutions, LLC, Purchaser, for Approval for Seller to Transfer Certain Assets to Purchasers.](#)

PEG Bandwidth NJ, LLC and Everstream Solutions, LLC filed a petition with the Board for the approval of a transfer of assets which included certain business customers, from PEG Bandwidth to Everstream. Upon closing of the Transaction, Everstream will become the service provider for those customers transferred and PEG Bandwidth will continue to operate under its existing Authority.

V. WATER

- A. [Docket No. WO20090593 – In the Matter of the Petition of SUEZ Water New Jersey, Inc. for Approval of an Affiliate contract to Paint the Hampton Storage Tanks in Hampton, New Jersey.](#)

The Board will consider a request by SUEZ Water New Jersey seeking to enter into a contract, with an affiliated company, to paint two water storage tanks in Hampton, New Jersey. Approval of the contract will enable SUEZ to complete the painting of two water storage tanks prior to the peak summer usage season.

VI. RELIABILITY AND SECURITY

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

VII. CUSTOMER ASSISTANCE

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

VIII. CLEAN ENERGY

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

IX. MISCELLANEOUS

A. Approval of Minutes for the December 2, 2020 Agenda Meeting.



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1. AUDITS

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2. ENERGY

- A. [Docket No. GR20070501 – In the Matter of the Petition of Elizabethtown Gas Company to \(1\) Revise its Weather Normalization Clause Rate; \(2\) Revise the Clean Energy Program Component of its Societal Benefits Charge Rate; and \(3\) Revise its On-System Margin Sharing Credit.](#)

The Board will consider Elizabethtown Gas Company's Weather Normalization Clause; Clean Energy Program; and its On-System Margin Sharing Credit rate adjustments. The parties have executed a stipulation for final rates, which if approved by the Board, will result in no change to customers' bills.

- B. [Docket No. ER20100628 – In the Matter of the Verified Petition of Jersey Central Power and Light Company for the Review and Approval of Costs Incurred for Environmental Remediation of Manufactured Gas Plant Sites Pursuant to the Remediation Adjustment Clause of its Filed Tariff \("2019 RAC Filing"\).](#)

The Board will consider Jersey Central Power and Light Company's 2019 Remediation Adjustment Clause filing. The parties have executed a stipulation, which if approved by the Board, will result in a monthly decrease of \$0.09 for the typical residential customer.

2. ENERGY (CONT'D)

- C. [Docket No. ER20010090 – In the Matter of the Petition of Rockland Electric Company's Annual RGGI Surcharge True-Up Filings for 2019.](#)

The Board will consider Rockland Electric Company's 2019 RGGI True up filing. The parties have executed a stipulation, which if approved by the Board, will result in a \$0.82 decrease to the typical residential customer's monthly bill.

- D. Docket No. ER21010001 – In the Matter of Federal Energy Items for 2021 - FERC Docket No. ER20-2308 PJM Interconnection L.L.C. re: Joint Stakeholders Amendments to Operating Agreement.

The Board will consider ratification of request for rehearing filed in this docket regarding the rejection of the joint stakeholder proposal to address transmission infrastructure at the end of useful service life.

- E. Docket No. ER21010001 – In the Matter of Federal Energy Items for 2021 – DOE Request for Information DE-FOA-0002389 – Department of Energy's Request for Information: Offshore Wind Transmission System Integration Research Needs.

The Board will consider ratification of a response to the Department of Energy's Request for Information DE-FOA-0002389 on Offshore Wind Transmission System Integration Research Needs, filed on January 24, 2021.

3. CABLE TELEVISION

- A. [Docket No. CX21020139 – In the Matter of Requests for an Investigation into the Operations of Altice USA, Inc. in New Jersey.](#)

This matter involves the review of requests filed by ten municipalities seeking an investigation into the operations of Altice USA, Inc. due to various complaints regarding service and infrastructure.

4. TELECOMMUNICATIONS

- A. [Docket No. TO21010048 – In the Matter of Compliance with Executive Order 190 by Cable and Telecommunication Services Providers.](#)

This matter involves the review of plans by the State's cable television and telecommunications service providers to ensure compliance with the Executive Order 190 issued by Governor Murphy, which addresses continuation of internet and voice services during the continuation of the State of Emergency due to the pandemic.

5. WATER

- A. [Docket No. WC21020108 – In the Matter of Donna Barone, on Behalf of Herself and All Other Similarly Situated, Plaintiffs, vs. Aqua New Jersey, Inc., Defendant.](#)

The Board will consider an Order by the Superior Court of New Jersey dismissing without prejudice and transferring a complaint alleging that Aqua New Jersey failed to provide water in December 2019 and January 2020 to the Board in order to determine if the Board wishes to invoke jurisdiction to conduct further proceedings in accordance with the Board's procedures, statutes and regulations. If the Board invokes jurisdiction, this complaint will be transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law for further proceedings.

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- B. Docket No. EO12090832V – In the Matter of the Implementation of L. 2012, c. 24, the Solar Act of 2012;

Docket No. QO19010068 – In the Matter of the New Jersey Solar Transition Pursuant to P.L. 2018, c. 17 – Application for Certification of Solar Facility as Eligible for TRECS Pursuant to Subsection (T) of the Solar Act of 2012; and

Docket No. QO20050345 – Holland Solar Farm, LLC/Hughesville Mill –Application for Subsection (T), Block 2, Lot 1.02.

The Board will consider the Holland Solar Farm, LLC petition requesting TREC eligibility for its Hughesville Mill Subsection (t) application.

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- D. [Docket No. QO20120740 – In the Matter of Eznergy NJ, LLC d/b/a Eznergy Solar Energy Solutions – Request Review Regrading Relief from Solar Renewable Energy Certificate \(SREC\) Denial Generation – Pelican Sport Center.](#)

The Board will consider Eznergy NJ, LLC d/b/a Eznergy Solar Energy Solutions on behalf of the Pelican Sport Center request to waive the revenue grade meter that meets ANSI C12 accuracy standards requirement located at N.J.A.C 14:8-2.9(c) for the creation of SRECs.

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- F. [Docket No. EO18020190 – In the Matter of the Petition of Atlantic City Electric Company for Approval of a Voluntary Program for Plug-In Vehicle Charging.](#)

The Board will consider the settlement stipulation of Atlantic City Electric's light duty Electric Vehicle Filing.

9. MISCELLANEOUS

- A. Docket No. EO21020265 – In the Matter of the Memorandum of Understanding Between the New Jersey Transit Corporation and the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities Regarding the Use of Funds Generated by SBC to Support the Development of Infrastructure Related to Battery Electric Buses.

The Board will consider signing a memorandum of understanding with NJ Transit to provide funds to assist in the retrofitting of a transit bus garage for electric buses.