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The meeting will be held on
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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

- G.** Docket No. QO17091011 – In the Matter of the Approval of Contract Between Rutgers University, Department of Marine and Coastal Sciences and the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities, Office of Clean Energy.



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I. AUDITS

A. Energy Agent Initial Registrations

EE21020284L	Alfa Energy, LLC	I – EA
EE21020278L	Worthington Energy Consultants, LLC	I – EA

These matters relate to an application for an initial registration as an energy agent for one year.

Energy Agent and/or Private Aggregator Renewal Registrations

EE21010035L	Aurora Energy Advisors, LLC	R – EA
EE21020486L	National Utility Service, Inc. d/b/a NUS Consulting Group	R – EA
EE20020159L	NuEnergen, LLC	R – EA
EE21010058L	Bradley R. Lewis d/b/a CreativEnergy Options	R – EA
EE21020482L	Electricity Ratings, LLC	R – EA
EE21020122L	Broadleaf, LLC d/b/a Broadleaf Energy	R – EA
EE21020102L	Advantage Energy Partners, LLC	R – EA

I. AUDITS (CONT'D)

EE20020160L	America Approved Commercial, LLC d/b/a America Approved Energy Services	R – EA
EE20020141L	H.P. Technologies, Inc.	R – EA
EE20060443L	Burton Energy Group, Inc.	R – EA
EE21020133L	Connect Energy Resources, LLC	R – EA
EE20110714L GE20110715L	Charity Plus Power, Inc.	R – EA/PA
EE20020118L GE20020119L	Kismet Energy d/b/a Kizmet Energy Solutions	R – EA/PA
EE21020095L GE21020096L	NORESCO, LLC	R – EA/PA/EC
EE21020130L GE21020131L	Muirfield Energy, Inc.	R – EA/PA/EC
EE19080901L GE19080902L	Diversegy, LLC	R – EA/PA/EC
EE21010043L GE21010041L	EMEX, LLC d/b/a EMEX Power, LLC	R – EA/PA/EC
EE21020116L GE21020117L	American PowerNet Management, LP	R – EA/PA/EC
EE21020598L GE21020599L	Big Bang Energy Group d/b/a VETAL	R – EA/PA/EC

These matters relate to an application for a renewal registration as an energy agent, private aggregator and/or energy consultant for one year.

Electric Power Supplier Initial License

EE21020489L GE21020491L	ENGIE Power and Gas, LLC f/k/a Plymouth Rock Energy, LLC	I – EGSL
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These matters relate to an application for an initial license as an electric power and natural gas supplier for one year.

II. ENERGY

- A. [Docket No. GF20120749 – In the Matter of the Petition of Elizabethtown Gas Company to Issue Long-Term Debt and Security therefor and for Authority to Issue and Sell Short-Term Indebtedness, all through December 31, 2023.](#)

Elizabethtown Gas Company seeks Board authorization to issue and sell First Mortgage bonds and unsecured bonds as long-term debt in various amounts and at any time before December 31, 2023. The total aggregate amount of long-term debt outstanding is not to exceed \$700,000,000. Additionally, the company seeks authority to issue, renew, or extend short-term debt in various amounts and at any time before December 31, 2023. The total aggregate amount of short-term debt outstanding is not to exceed \$300,000,000.

III. CABLE TELEVISION

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

IV. TELECOMMUNICATIONS

- A. [Docket No. TM21010049 – In the Matter of the Verified Joint Petition of 11:11 Systems, Inc. and Engine Communications Infrastructure, Inc. for Grant of the Authority to Complete a Series of Transactions Resulting in the Transfer of Control of Two Authorized Carriers.](#)

11:11 Systems, Inc. (“11:11”) and Engine Communications Infrastructure, Inc. (“ECI”), both authorized CLEC’s in New Jersey, filed a petition with the Board for the approval to consummate a transaction in which the direct ownership and control of both 11:11 and ECI would be transferred. Following the transaction, both 11:11 and ECI would continue to provide services in New Jersey at the same rates, terms, and conditions to customers.

V. WATER

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

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 January 27, 2021 and February 11, 2021 Agenda Meetings.



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1. **AUDITS**

- A. [Docket No. EO21030642 – In the Matter of the Alleged Failure of United Energy Insights, LLC d/b/a United Energy Consultants to Comply with Certain Provisions of N.J.S.A. 48:3-78 et seq., and the New Jersey Administrative Code, N.J.A.C. 14:4-1.1 et seq.](#)

Energy Agent and Private Aggregator Initial Registrations

[EE20100666L](#) United Energy Insights, LLC EA
d/b/a United Energy Consultants

This matter involves potential violations under the Electric Discount and Energy Competition Act, N.J.S.A. 48:3-49 et seq. and more specifically, N.J.S.A. 48:3-78 and N.J.S.A. 48:3-79 et seq. and N.J.A.C. 14:4-1.1 et seq. by United Energy Insights, LLC d/b/a United Energy Consultants (“UEC” or “the company”), who had been operating as an energy agent to arrange energy procurement for customers in New Jersey after the company’s registration expired. UEC has submitted an Offer of Settlement (“Offer”), regarding its alleged violations. In the Offer, UEC made a monetary offer in the amount of \$3,800.00 to resolve all issues concerning the violations alleged by Staff.

2. ENERGY

- A. [Docket No. EM20070475 – In the Matter of the Petition of Atlantic City Electric Company for the Approval of the Sale of Transformers and Other Equipment Pursuant to the “RESTORE” Agreement.](#)

The Board will consider Atlantic City Electric Company’s request for approval of the potential sale of transmission equipment pursuant to the RESTORE Agreement.

- B. [Docket No. ER20110693 – In the Matter of the Petition of Atlantic City Electric Company for Approval of Electric Base Rate Adjustments Pursuant to the PowerAhead Program \(11/2020\).](#)

The Board will consider Atlantic City Electric Company’s PowerAhead rate roll in. The Parties have executed a stipulation which if approved, will result in an increase in the monthly bill of a typical residential customer of \$0.11.

- C. [Docket No. ER20110694 – In the Matter of the Petition of Atlantic City Electric Company for Approval of Electric Base Rate Adjustments Pursuant to its Infrastructure Investment Program \(11/2020\).](#)

The Board will consider Atlantic City Electric Company’s Infrastructure Investment Program rate roll in. The parties have executed a stipulation which, if approved, will result in an increase in the monthly bill of a typical residential customer of \$0.25.

- D. [Docket No. GR20070502 – In the Matter of the Petition of Elizabethtown Gas Company to Revise the Remediation Adjustment Clause Component of its Societal Benefits Charge Rate.](#)

The Board will consider Elizabethtown Gas Company’s 2020 Remediation Adjustment Clause rates. The parties have executed a stipulation, which if approved by the Board, will result in a monthly decrease of \$0.67 for a typical residential heating customer using 100 therms per month.

- E. [Docket No. GR20060382 – In the Matter of the Petition of South Jersey Gas Company for Approval to Revise the Rider “H” Rate Associated with the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017.](#)

The Board will consider South Jersey Gas Company’s 2020 Rider H rates. The parties have executed a stipulation for final rates, which if approved by the Board, will result in no impact to customer bills.

3. CABLE TELEVISION

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

4. TELECOMMUNICATIONS

- A. [Docket No. TO20050360 – In the Matter of the Petition of Verizon New Jersey, Inc. to Delete Certain Measurements and Standards from the New Jersey Carrier-to-Carrier Guidelines and the New Jersey Incentive Plan.](#)

On May, 18, 2020, Verizon filed a petition (“Petition”) with the Board seeking the removal of five billing Metrics contained in the C2C Guidelines and the IP.

5. WATER

- A. [Docket Nos. BPU WR20110722 and OAL PUC 10953-2020S – In the Matter of the Petition of Middlesex Water Company for Approval to Change the Levels of its Purchased Water Adjustment Clause Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:9-7.1, et seq.](#)

The Board will consider an Initial Decision regarding Middlesex Water Company's (MWC) Purchased Water Adjustment Clause (PWAC). The Parties have executed a Stipulation, which if adopted by the Board, will increase MWC's PWAC from \$0.6024 per thousand cubic feet of water per quarter to \$1.0280 per thousand cubic feet of water per quarter. The bill for a residential customer, with a 5/8" meter, using 17,204 cubic feet of water per quarter will increase from \$154.27 per quarter to \$155.24 per quarter, an increase of \$0.97 per quarter, which is an increase of 0.63%.

6. RELIABILITY AND SECURITY

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

7. CUSTOMER ASSISTANCE

- A. [Docket Nos. BPU WC19101325U and OAL PUC 15778-19 – In the Matter of Sandeep Katyal, Petitioner v. Middlesex Water Company, Respondent – Billing Dispute.](#)

This matter involves a billing dispute between Sandeep Katyal and Middlesex Water Company. Mr. Katyal alleges he was improperly billed.

8. CLEAN ENERGY

- A. [Docket No. QO20110727 – In the Matter of the Clean Energy Program Authorization of Commercial and Industrial Program Energy Efficiency Incentives Exceeding \\$500,000 – Verizon New Jersey, Inc.](#)

The Board will consider whether to grant Verizon an incentive of \$1,299,460.83 through the Large Energy Users Program. The incentive would help fund the installation of energy conservation measures at 30 different Verizon locations across New Jersey.

8. CLEAN ENERGY (CONT'D)

- B. [Docket No. QO21020114 – In the Matter of the Clean Energy Program Authorization of Commercial and Industrial Program Energy Efficiency Incentives Exceeding \\$500,000 – West Windsor-Plainsboro High School North.](#)**

The Board will consider whether to grant the West Windsor-Plainsboro Board of Education an incentive of \$762,415.65 through the Pay For Performance – Existing Buildings Program. The incentive would help fund the installation of energy conservation measures at West Windsor-Plainsboro’s High School North in Plainsboro, New Jersey.

- C. [Docket No. QO21020092 – In the Matter of the Clean Energy Program Authorization of Commercial and Industrial Program Energy Efficiency Incentives Exceeding \\$500,000 – West Windsor-Plainsboro High School South.](#)**

The Board will consider whether to grant the West Windsor-Plainsboro Board of Education an incentive of \$799,429.91 through the Pay For Performance – Existing Buildings Program. The incentive would help fund the installation of energy conservation measures at West Windsor-Plainsboro’s High School South in Princeton Junction, New Jersey.

- D. [Docket No. QO21020093 – In the Matter of the Clean Energy Program Authorization of Commercial and Industrial Program Energy Efficiency Incentives Exceeding \\$500,000 – Merck Sharp and Dohme Corporation.](#)**

The Board will consider whether to grant Merck an incentive of \$1,421,988.06 through the Large Energy Users Program. The incentive would help fund the installation of energy conservation measures at two buildings in Rahway, New Jersey.

- E. [Docket No. QO20080539 – In the Matter of the Clean Energy Programs and Budgets for Fiscal Year 2021 – True-up, Revised Budgets and Program Changes.](#)**

The Board will consider recommendations to true-up the FY21 budget, along with budget revisions and program changes.

- F. [Docket No. QO20020109 – In the Matter of the United States Department of Energy – State Energy Program – July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2020; and](#)**

[Docket No. QO21020626 – In the Matter of the United States Department of Energy – State Energy Program – July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022.](#)

The Board will consider Staff’s request to submit its 2021–2022 State Energy Program Plan to the United States Department of Energy.

8. CLEAN ENERGY (CONT'D)

- G. Docket No. QO17091011 – In the Matter of the Approval of Contract Between Rutgers University, Department of Marine and Coastal Sciences and the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities, Office of Clean Energy – **Executive Session.**

The Board will consider an amendment to the contract between the Board and Rutgers University, Department of Marine and Coastal Sciences, Center for Ocean Observation Leadership for the period from April 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022.

- H. [Docket No. QO18121289 – In the Matter of the Board of Public Utilities Offshore Wind Solicitation for 1,100 MW – Evaluation of the Offshore Wind Applications; and](#)

[Docket No. QO21030665 – In the Matter of PSEG Renewable Generation, LLC and Ocean Wind, LLC – Request Approval of Equity Interest in the Ocean Wind Qualified Offshore Wind Project.](#)

The Board will consider the joint petition submitted by Ocean Wind, LLC and PSEG Renewable Generation, LLC for the acquisition by PSEG Renewable Generation, LLC of a 25% equity interest in the Ocean Wind, LLC Qualified Offshore Wind Project.

- I. [Docket No. QO20110700 – In the Matter of the Contract for a Statewide Evaluator of New Jersey's Energy Efficiency and Peak Demand Reduction Programs.](#)

The Board will consider Staff's recommendations to engage a contractor to serve as a Statewide Evaluation Manager to oversee the evaluation, measurement, and verification of New Jersey's expanded energy efficiency and peak demand reduction programs.

- J. Docket No QO19010040 – In the Matter of the Implementation of L. 2018, c. 17 Regarding the Establishment of Energy Efficiency and Peak Demand Reduction Programs; and

Docket No. GO20090618 – In the Matter of the Petition of South Jersey Gas Company for Approval of New Energy Efficiency Programs and Associated Cost Recovery Pursuant to the Clean Energy Act.

The Board will consider the petition from South Jersey Gas Company to implement three-year energy efficiency programs beginning on July 1, 2021.

- K. Docket No QO19010040 – In the Matter of the Implementation of L. 2018, c. 17 Regarding the Establishment of Energy Efficiency and Peak Demand Reduction Programs; and

Docket No. GO20090619 – In the Matter of the Petition of Elizabethtown Gas Company for Approval of New Energy Efficiency Programs and Associated Cost Recovery Pursuant to the Clean Energy Act and the Establishment of a Conservation Incentive Program.

The Board will consider the petition from Elizabethtown Gas Company to implement three-year energy efficiency programs beginning on July 1, 2021.

8. CLEAN ENERGY (CONT'D)

- L. [Docket No. QO18060646 – In the Matter of the Community Solar Energy Pilot Program; and](#)**

[Docket No. QO20080556 – In the Matter of the Community Solar Energy Pilot Program Year 2 Application Form and Process – Consolidated Billing EDC Report – Request for Extension of Time.](#)

The Board will consider a request from the New Jersey Electric Distribution Companies to extend the current deadline for delivery of a report on community solar consolidated billing.

- M. [Docket No. QO20120739 – In the Matter of the Petition of Virginia M. Brown to Review the Transfer of the SREC Registration to the Transition Incentive Program.](#)**

The Board will consider the petition of Ms. Virginia Brown seeking to reverse the transfer of her solar project to the Transition Incentive Program from the SREC Registration Program.

- N. [In the Matter of the Petition\(s\) of Vision Solar, LLC to Review the Transfer of the SREC Registration to the Transition Incentive Program.](#)**

- Docket No. QO21010005 – Kyle Sywanycz – NJSRRE1544523888
- Docket No. QO21010006 – Lawrence Ladutke – NJSRRE1544113143
- Docket No. QO21010007 – Kevin Devine – NJSRRE1544441311
- Docket No. QO21010022 – Lemnis Kirchmeier – NJSRRE1544501668
- Docket No. QO21010023 – Bernadette Dinitnger – NJSRRE1544543171
- Docket No. QO21010024 – Leonardo Lopez – NJSRRE1544501658
- Docket No. QO21010025 – Audrey Shanks – NJSRRE1544519753
- Docket No. QO21010026 – John Spears – NJSRRE1544521931
- Docket No. QO21010027 – Robert Steiner – NJSRRE1543570764
- Docket No. QO21010028 – Edwin Strunk – NJSRRE1543919023
- Docket No. QO21010029 – Danielle Cullen – NJSRRE1543911612
- Docket No. QO21010030 – Tony Moss – NJSRRE1544540635
- Docket No. QO21010031 – Anthony Robinson – NJSRRE1544497066
- Docket No. QO21010032 – Richard Garrett – NJSRRE1543841148

The Board will consider Vision Solar petitions seeking to reverse the transfer of fourteen of their customer's solar projects to the Transition Incentive Program from the SREC Registration Program.

- O. [Docket No. QO20110695 – In the Matter of the Petition to Review the Transfer of the SREC Registration \(NJSRRE1544354872\) to the TREC Program \(Maksymilan Kawalec\).](#)**

The Board will consider the petition of Dr. Maksymilan Kawalec seeking to reverse the transfer of his solar project to the Transition Incentive Program from the SREC Registration Program.

8. CLEAN ENERGY (CONT'D)

- P. Docket No. QO20080539 – In the Matter of the Clean Energy Programs and Budget for Fiscal Year 2021; and

Docket No. QO21030641 – In the Matter of the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Between the Economic Development Authority and the Board of Public Utilities.

The Board will consider an MOU regarding the use of funds generated by the Societal Benefits Charge to support the development of the offshore wind industry through the construction of the NJ Wind Port.

- Q. [Docket No. EO21030630 – In the Matter of the Verified Petition of Jersey Central Power and Light Company for Approval of an Electric Vehicle Program and an Associated Cost Recovery Mechanism.](#)

The Board will consider the designation of a presiding commissioner for Jersey Central Power and Light Company's light duty Electric Vehicle Filing.

9. MISCELLANEOUS

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION