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October 13, 2017

Richard Combs, Director  
Legislative Counsel Bureau  
401 S. Carson St.  
Carson City, Nevada 89701-4747

Re: Docket Nos. 17-07001, 17-07002 & 17-07003

Dear Mr. Combs:

Pursuant to NRS 704.069(2), the Public Utilities Commission of Nevada ("PUCN") conducted consumer sessions of general interest in Washoe and Clark Counties. The sessions were conducted September 12, 2017, in Clark County and September 14, 2017, in Washoe County. Sessions were conducted for each county and copies of the transcripts for those sessions are included on the enclosed USB Flash Drive. Also, included on the Flash Drive are comments and information that were provided by consumers who attended.

Pursuant to NAC 703.164 (1), the PUCN also held a general consumer session in Elko County (Docket No. 17-07003).

The sessions were publicly noticed in newspapers of general circulation and advertised in utility bill inserts as well as in press releases issued by the PUCN.

If you or any members of the Legislative Commission have questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at (775) 684-6177.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Mullen  
Executive Director

Encl.

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Agenda Item: VII B (LC)  
Meeting Date: 02-27-18

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF NEVADA

Rulemaking to amend, adopt, or repeal regulations	)	
pertaining to portfolio energy credits.	)	Docket No. 16-07032
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NOTICE OF INTENT TO ACT UPON A REGULATION,  
NOTICE OF WORKSHOP, AND NOTICE OF HEARING FOR THE ADOPTION,  
AMENDMENT AND REPEAL OF REGULATIONS OF THE  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF NEVADA

On August 10, 2016, the Public Utilities Commission of Nevada ("Commission") voted to open a rulemaking to amend, adopt, or repeal regulations pertaining to portfolio energy credits. This rulemaking is designated as Docket No. 16-07032.

The Commission is conducting the Rulemaking pursuant to the Nevada Revised Statutes ("NRS") and Nevada Administrative Code ("NAC") Chapters 233B, 703, and 704, including but not limited to NRS 703.025 and 704.210.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commission will hold a public WORKSHOP pursuant to NRS 233B.061(2) to be held as follows:

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2017  
10:00 A.M.  
Hearing Room A  
Public Utilities Commission of Nevada  
9075 West Diablo Drive, Suite 250  
Las Vegas, Nevada 89148

VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE TO:

Hearing Room A  
Public Utilities Commission of Nevada  
1150 East William Street  
Carson City, Nevada 89701

The purpose of the workshop is to solicit comments from all interested persons on the proposed regulation regarding portfolio energy credits. A period will be provided for comments

by the general public and discussion of those comments. Public comments may be limited to two (2) minutes per person at the discretion of the Presiding Officer.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commission will hold a public HEARING pursuant to NRS 233B.061(3) to be held as follows:

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2017  
2:00 P.M.  
Hearing Room A  
Public Utilities Commission of Nevada  
9075 West Diablo Drive, Suite 250  
Las Vegas, Nevada 89148

VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE TO:

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Public Utilities Commission of Nevada  
1150 East William Street  
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The purpose of the hearing is to receive comments from all interested persons on the proposed regulation regarding portfolio energy credits. A period will be provided for comments by the general public and discussion of those comments. Public comments may be limited to two (2) minutes per person at the discretion of the Presiding Officer. If no person who is directly affected by the proposed regulation appears at the hearing to request time to make an oral presentation, the Commission may proceed to act upon any written submissions.

The following information is provided pursuant to the requirements of NRS 233B.0603:

The proposed regulation is needed to increase the marketability of Nevada-generated Public Energy Credits ("PECs").

The proposed regulation is expected to have no adverse or beneficial immediate or long-term economic effects on the businesses that it is to regulate.

The proposed regulation is expected to have no adverse or beneficial immediate or long-

term economic effects on the public.

The Commission uses the simplified Delphi method in determining the impact on small businesses, whereby experts review the text of the proposed regulation and determine the likely impact of the proposed regulation on small businesses. These experts share their responses with each other and form a consensus view.

Under the proposed regulation, the Commission may incur costs associated with a hearing, however, any such costs should be minimal.

The proposed regulation does not overlap or duplicate any state or local regulations.

The proposed regulation is not more stringent than a federal regulation that regulates the same activity.

The proposed regulation does not establish any new fee or increase an existing fee.

Persons wishing to comment upon the proposed action of the Commission may appear at the scheduled workshop and hearing or may address their comments, data, views, or arguments in written form to the Commission at 1150 East William Street, Carson City, Nevada, 89701 or 9075 West Diablo Drive, Suite 250, Las Vegas, Nevada, 89148 on or before WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2017. Written comments should include proposed revisions, if any, to the proposed regulation.


A copy of this notice and the proposed regulation to be adopted, amended, or repealed will be on file at the State Library, 100 North Stewart Street, Carson City, Nevada 89701, for inspection by members of the public during business hours. Additional copies of the notice and the proposed regulation to be adopted, amended, or repealed are on file and available for public viewing at the Commission's website at <http://puc.nv.gov>, the offices of the Commission at 1150 East William Street, Carson City, Nevada, 89701 and 9075 West Diablo Drive, Suite 250, Las

Vegas, Nevada, 89148, and in all counties in which an office of the agency is not maintained, at the main public library, for inspection and copying by members of the public during business hours. This notice and the text of the proposed regulation are also available in the State of Nevada Register of Administrative Regulations, which is prepared and published monthly by the Legislative Counsel Bureau pursuant to NRS 233B.0653 and on the Internet at <http://www.leg.state.nv.us>. Copies of this notice and the proposed regulation will also be mailed to members of the public upon request. A reasonable fee may be charged for copies if it is deemed necessary. This does not apply to a public body subject to the Open Meeting Law.

Upon adoption of any regulation, the Commission, if requested to do so by an interested person, either before adoption or within 30 days thereafter, will issue a concise statement of the principal reasons for and against its adoption or incorporate therein its reason for overruling the consideration urged against its adoption.

Pursuant to NRS 233B.060(1), the Presiding Officer in this matter anticipates placing the proposed regulation on a Commission Agenda no earlier than December 13, 2017, for the Commission's consideration as to whether to adopt the regulation.

By the Commission,



TRISHA OSBORNE,  
Assistant Commission Secretary

Dated: Carson City, Nevada

10/30/17

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