PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF NEVADA

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [omitted material] is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §1, NRS 703.025, 704.210 and 704.940.

A REGULATION relating to utilities; authorizing the landlord of a mobile home park who assesses and collects from tenants a service charge for gas or electric service to deposit and keep the money collected from such charges in any separate account approved by the Public Utilities Commission of Nevada; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Section 1. NAC 704.983 is hereby amended to read as follows:

- 704.983 1. If the landlord of a mobile home park assesses and collects from his or her tenants a service charge for gas or electric service pursuant to subsection 5 of NRS 704.940, the landlord shall deposit the money for each type of utility service in a separate interest-bearing account in a financial institution which is insured by the Federal Government [.] or in any other type of separate account approved by the Commission upon a petition requesting such approval which is filed by the landlord pursuant to NAC 703.540. The landlord shall [retain]:
- (a) **Retain** for at least 3 years each statement issued to the landlord by the **[financial]** institution for each such account **[.]**; and
- (b) Keep the money for the service charges in the separate account and expend it only for the purposes set forth in NRS 704.940.
- 2. Any interest earned [in such an] on the money kept in the separate account must be retained in that account and may be expended:

(a)	In the manner statutorily authorized for expenditure of the principal; and
(b)	Only for expenses relating to the utility service for which the money was collected.