

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN RE: NATIONAL GRID'S PROPOSED :  
2010 STANDARD OFFER SUPPLY PROCUREMENT : DOCKET NO. 4041  
PLAN AND 2010 RENEWABLE ENERGY SUPPLY :  
PROCUREMENT PLAN :

**ORDER**

WHEREAS, On November 19, 2009, Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid ("NGrid") filed with the Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") an information filing setting forth the projected Renewable Energy Supply ("RES") rate for 2010; and

WHEREAS, In this Docket, the Commission ordered Standard Offer Rates for the Small Customer Group to change effective with usage on an after March 1, 2010; and

WHEREAS, The current RES charge was approved for the period January 1, 2009 through December 31, 2009 based on 2009 RES related costs; and

WHEREAS, NGrid proposed a twelve-month rate of \$0.00117 per kWh inclusive of a projected under-recovery of 2009 costs and an alternative ten-month rate of \$0.00123 per kWh inclusive of a projected under-recovery of 2009 costs; and

WHEREAS, the Division of Public Utilities and Carriers submitted a recommendation that the Commission adopt the ten-month rate which will result in an increase of \$0.16 per month on the bill of a typical residential customer who uses 500 kWh per month;<sup>1</sup> and

WHEREAS, the Commission finds that the ten-month rate of \$0.00123 commencing with usage on and after March 1, 2010 will eliminate the need for multiple

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<sup>1</sup> Approval of the twelve-month rate commencing with usage on and after January 1, 2010 would result in a \$0.13 per month increase.

rate changes in a short period of time and would coincide with the change in the SOS rate for the Small Customer Group and with potential changes to all customers' distribution rates.

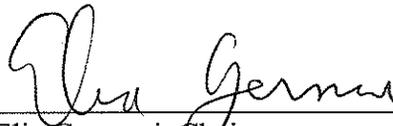
Accordingly, it is hereby

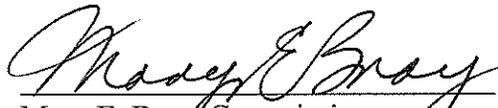
(19878) ORDERED:

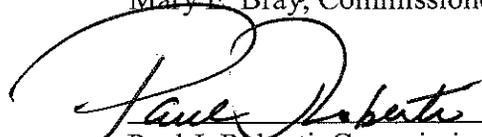
1. Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid's Renewable Energy Supply Charge for the period January 1, 2010 through February 28, 2010 shall remain \$0.00093 per kWh.
2. Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid's Renewable Energy Supply Charge for usage on and after March 1, 2010 shall be \$0.00123 per kWh.

EFFECTIVE AT WARWICK, RHODE ISLAND ON DECEMBER 23, 2009  
PURSUANT TO AN OPEN MEETING DECISION. WRITTEN ORDER ISSUED  
DECEMBER 23, 2009.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

  
Elia Germani, Chairman

  
Mary E. Bray, Commissioner

  
Paul J. Roberti, Commissioner

