

## State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

### Public Utilities Commission Memorandum

**To:** Service List – Docket No. 4111

**From:** Cynthia G. Wilson-Frias, Senior Legal Counsel

**Re:** **Docket No. 4111 – Review of Amended Power Purchase Agreement between Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid and Deepwater Wind Block Island, LLC Pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26.1-7 (as amended)**

#### PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

**Date:** July 9, 2010

Thank you for your participation yesterday. The following represents the procedural schedule.

The parties to the docket are: National Grid, Deepwater Wind, Town of New Shoreham, Economic Development Corporation, Conservation Law Foundation, Rhode Island Building and Construction Trades Council, and Division of Public Utilities and Carriers (collectively “Dkt. 4111 Parties”), Attorney General, Toray, Polytop, TransCanada, and Citizen Intervenors (collectively “New Parties”). OSPRI was granted intervention on the condition that a Rhode Island attorney enter an appearance on its behalf by 4:00 p.m. on Monday, July 12, 2010. Otherwise, OSPRI will not be a party to the docket.

#### PPA REVIEW SCHEDULE

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| 7/13/10 | (1) Deadline for Written Responses to Motion for Stay<br>(2) Deadline for Filing Dispositive/”Substantive” Motions*   |
| 7/15/10 | (1) 9:30 AM – Oral Argument on Motion for Stay<br>(2) Filing of Dkt. 4111 Parties’ Pre-Filed Direct Testimony<br>(3) Filing of Written Pleadings in Support of Motion to Dismiss with Memoranda                           |
| 7/16/10 | New Parties shall identify their respective witnesses, provide CVs, and provide a short statement of the scope and subject of the witness’ testimony, referring to the portion of the law to which the testimony applies. |
| 7/19/10 | (1) Objections to Motion to Dismiss<br>(2) Deadline for Filing Responses to any Motions filed 7/13/10   |

- (3) Last Day for Parties to Issue Discovery Requests to Dkt. 4111 Parties (discovery sent prior to 7/19/10 should be responded to in seven days)
- 7/20/10
  - (1) Filing of New Parties' Pre-Filed Direct Testimony
  - (2) Filing of EDC's Testimony
  - (3) Filing of Advisory Opinions by DEM and EDC
- 7/21/10
  - (1) 10:00 AM – Oral Argument on Motion to Dismiss and any other Dispositive/"Substantive" Motions
  - (2) Pre-hearing conference following Oral Argument Hearing
- 7/22/10
  - (1) 10:00AM – Public Comment Hearing – Block Island School Gymnasium
  - (2) 6:00PM – Public Comment Hearing – Public Utilities Commission Hearing Room A
- 7/22/10 Last Day for Parties to Issue Discovery Requests to New Parties (discovery sent prior to 7/22/10 should be responded to in seven days)
- 7/26/10 9:30 AM – Hearings - Rebuttal Testimony Commence – Hearing Room A
- 7/26/10 Deadline for Dkt. 4111 Parties to file Discovery Responses
- 7/29/10 Deadline for New Parties to file Discovery Responses
- 8/2/10 9:30 AM – Hearings – Cross-Examination of Witnesses - Commence – Hearing Room A
- 8/11/10 Open Meeting
- 8/16/10 Written Order to be Issued

\*Other Dispositive/"Substantive" Motions (these are Motions related to the statute itself and not related to interpretation of statutory provisions specifically related to the Amended PPA)

cc: Commissioners/Staff  
Division