

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

IN RE: THE NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC COMPANY :  
d/b/a NATIONAL GRID'S APPLICATION TO CHANGE : DOCKET NO. 4770  
ELECTRIC AND GAS BASE DISTRIBUTION RATES :

IN RE: THE NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC COMPANY :  
d/b/a NATIONAL GRID'S PROPOSED POWER : DOCKET NO. 4780  
SECTOR TRANSFORMATION VISION AND :  
IMPLEMENTATION PLAN :

**NOTICE OF HEARING**

Pursuant to the provisions of the R.I. Gen. Laws §§ 39-1-11, 39-1-18(c)(4), 42-35-9, the Public Utilities Commission's (PUC) Rules of Practice and Procedure 1.8, 1.15, 1.18, and 1.20, the PUC will conduct a hearing on **Wednesday, July 18, 2018 at 10:00 A.M.** in Hearing Room A of the PUC office building, located at 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island. The purpose of this hearing is to address administrative matters such as consideration of pending Motions for Protective Treatment of Confidential Information and admissibility of additional exhibits into the record (parties' responses to requests for information made at the hearings, also known as record requests). These dockets pertain to National Grid's request to increase its electric and gas distribution rates and proposal to implement certain power sector transformation elements and the associated cost recovery.

For the PUC's review and ruling on Motions for Protective Treatment of Confidential Information, the scope of the confidentiality is whether the requested information is exempt from public disclosure under the Access to Public Records Act. For purposes of the disclosure of information to other parties through discovery, the PUC will consider its Rules of Practice and Procedure 1.18(e) and the Rhode Island Superior Court Rules of Civil Procedure. The PUC will rule on the Motions at the hearing.

The additional exhibits considered will include the parties' responses to record requests made during the evidentiary hearings. Those responses are due on or before July 13, 2018, and may be found on the PUC's website at the URLs below. Objections to the admission of additional exhibits may be made orally at the hearing. The PUC will consider and rule on the admissibility of the additional exhibits at the hearing.

The docket, including the motions and exhibits are available for examination at the PUC's office. The dockets can also be accessed under the PUC's website at <http://www.ripuc.org/eventsactions/docket/4770page.html> (Docket No. 4770) and <http://www.ripuc.org/eventsactions/docket/4780page.html> (Docket No. 4780). Reference is made to Chapters 39-1, 39-3 and 42-35 of the Rhode Island General Laws.

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Luly E. Massaro, Commission Clerk  
July 12, 2018