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July 24, 2018

Luly E. Massaro Clerk Public Utilities Commission 89 Jefferson Boulevard Warwick, RI 02888

Re:

PUC Docket No. 4808 – PUC Review of the Narragansett Electric Co. d/b/a National Grid's Revenue Requirement under R.I.G.L. § 39-3-11 in light of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act

Dear Luly:

Enclosed for filing are an original and 10 copies of Lieutenant Governor Daniel J. McKee's Motion to Intervene in this matter.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call.

Very truly yours,

Michael R. McElroy

MRMc:tmg

cc: Service List

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

RE: PUC REVIEW OF THE

NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC CO. d/b/a

NATIONAL GRID'S REVENUE

REQUIREMENT UNDER R.I.G.L. § 39-3-11

IN LIGHT OF THE TAX CUTS AND JOBS ACT:

DOCKET No. 4808

#### UNOPPOSED MOTION TO INTERVENE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DANIEL J. McKEE

Now comes Daniel J. McKee ("McKee"), by his undersigned counsel, and hereby moves to intervene in this matter.

- 1. McKee is the Lieutenant Governor of the State of Rhode Island.
- 2. As the Lieutenant Governor, McKee serves as the Chairperson of the Small Business Advocacy Council pursuant to R.I.G.L. § 42-91-2(a).
- 3. As set forth in R.I.G.L. § 42-91-3(a): "The purpose of the council shall be to develop those specific and comprehensive recommendations for executive and legislative action as may be necessary and proper to maintain and encourage the continued viability of small businesses in the state."
- 4. Small businesses are the backbone of the Rhode Island economy. According to the Small Business Profile for Rhode Island published in 2016 by the United States Small Business Administration, Office of Advocacy, small businesses significantly impact Rhode Island's economy. As of 2013, small businesses represented 95.7% of all employers and employed 54.8% of the private-sector labor force. Rhode Island has 96,688 small businesses that employ 223,651 people.

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5. McKee, acting in his capacities as the Lieutenant Governor and the Chairperson

of the Small Business Advocacy Council, respectfully moves to intervene as a full party in this

docket.

6. Commission Rule 1.13 provides in pertinent part that "any person claiming a right

to intervene or an interest of such nature that intervention is necessary or appropriate may

intervene in any proceeding before the Commission." The Rule goes on to further state that such

a right or an interest may be:

". . . an interest which may be directly affected and which is not adequately

represented by existing parties and as to which movants may be bound by the Commission's action in the proceeding. (The following may have such an

interest: consumers served by the applicant ...)."

7. Rule 1.13 also provides that such right or interest may be "any other interest of

such nature that movant's participation may be in the public interest."

8. All parties in this docket have stated that they do not oppose this Motion.

WHEREFORE, pursuant to Rule 1.13, Lieutenant Governor Daniel J. McKee

respectfully moves for intervention as a full party in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Lieutenant Governor Daniel J. McKee

By his attorneys

Date: July 24, 2018

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on the 24	day of July, 2018, I sent a true copy of the foregoing	to
the attached service list.		8
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# Docket No. 4808 – National Grid – Impact of Tax Cut and Jobs Act on Revenue Requirement

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