



**Minnesota Public Utilities
Commission
Decisions
PUC Agenda Meeting**

121 7th Place East
Suite 350
Saint Paul, MN 55101-2147

Thursday, August 13, 2015

9:30 AM

Large Hearing Room

INTRODUCTION

ORAL ARGUMENT ITEMS

DELIBERATION ITEMS

DECISION ITEMS

1. **E017/M-15-322 Otter Tail Power Company**
In the Matter of Otter Tail Power Company's 2014 Annual Safety, Reliability and Service Quality Report. (PUC: Fournier; DOC: Zajicek)
Accepted 2014 Annual Report with condition.

2. **** E,G999/CI-12-1344 All Rate-Regulated Utilities**
In the Matter of a Commission Inquiry into Privacy Policies of Rate-Regulated Energy Utilities.

How should the Commission respond to compliance filings addressing Personally Identifiable Information (PII) policies and notices? (PUC: **O'Grady**)

Acknowledged receipt of filings; granted Exec. Sec. authority to review and approve customer notices consistent with guidelines provided.

3. **** E132/CG-15-255 People's Energy Cooperative**
In the Matter of a Request for Dispute Resolution with People's Energy Cooperative Under the Cogeneration and Small Power Production Statute, Minn. Stat. § 216B.164

Should the Commission find that the monthly facility fee charged to cogeneration and small power accounts by People's Energy Cooperative is contrary to Commission Rules and/or Minn. Stat. § 216B.164?
Should the Commission take steps to review or investigate the fees of other utilities? (PUC: **Gonzalez, Mackenzie, Rebholz**)

Found People's failed to demonstrate monthly facility fee met the criteria of Minn. Stat. 216B.164; found complainant entitled to

costs, disbursements, and attorney's fees, if proved up in subsequent filing; found People's violated Minn. R. 7835.0300 and 7835.0400 by failing to file proposed fee changes; directed staff to open a docket to query utilities on facility-fee practices.

ADJOURNMENT

* One star indicates agenda item is unusual but is not disputed.

** Two stars indicate a disputed item or significant legal or procedural issue to be resolved. (Ex Parte Rules apply)

Please note: For the complete record, please see eDockets