MINUTES

COMMISSION MEETING

April 13, 2018

The New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission Meeting began at 2:04 p.m. on Friday, April 13, 2018. Chairman Martin Honigberg, Commissioner Kathryn Bailey and Commissioner Michael Giaimo were present. The following matters were addressed.

1. Approval of the January 29, 2018 Commission Meeting Minutes

A motion was made by Commissioner Giaimo to approve the minutes of the January 29, 2018 Commission Meeting, Commissioner Bailey seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

2. DRM 17-139; Rulemaking, Puc 1300, Utility Pole Attachments

Commission Vote to Adopt Final Proposal

Chairman Honigberg asked Attorney David Wiesner to briefly explain the background of the Puc 1300 Utility Pole Attachment Rules. Attorney Wiesner explained that the draft final proposal has differences from the March 15th version that was circulated to stakeholders for comment. Revisions include clarifying language regarding requests for access and attachment agreements as well as changes in the provisions regarding overlashing.

Attorney Wiesner also noted that, if these rules are approved, a request for an amended fiscal impact statement will be filed with the LBA after which the Final Proposal will be submitted to OLS with the expectation that it would be heard by the JLCAR Committee at the May 18, 2018 meeting.

Commissioner Bailey made a motion to approve the Final Proposal for Puc1300 rules as submitted by staff, The motion carried unanimously.

3. New Business

None.

4. Miscellaneous Administrative Matters

Chairman Honigberg stated the next Commission meeting will be determined at a later date.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Commissioner Bailey and seconded by Commissioner Giaimo. The motion to adjourn was approved by unanimous vote. The meeting adjourned at 2:09 p.m.