

LOUISIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In re: After-Action Review of SWEPCO's April 2 and 26, 2025 outages, pursuant to General Order dated April 13, 2017 (Docket No. R-32786).

NOTICE OF PROCEEDING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that this proceeding is being opened pursuant to the Commission's directive at the May 19, 2025 Business and Executive Session. Commissioner Campbell gave the following directive, which was unopposed:

I direct that an After-Action Review of SWEPCO's outages on April 2 and 26, 2025 be performed in accordance with LPSC General Order No. R-32786, Attachment A, Section III. In conducting this review, the Staff, assisted by consultant and special counsel retained for Southwest Power Pool monitoring, shall review and report on the following:

1. The causes, including the root causes, of SWEPCO's outages and SPP's load shed orders;
2. Recommendations for remedying any of the causes identified;
3. Whether notifications to and communications with the Commission and customers regarding the outages were in compliance with General Order No. R-32786, and any other applicable orders or requirements;
4. Recommendations for improvements to communications protocols;
5. Whether any fines, penalties, or monetary damages are warranted pursuant to Section VIII of Attachment A of General Order No. R-32786, or pursuant to any other provision of law.

The Staff shall deliver its After-Action Report by July 9, 2025, which should be placed on the agenda to be discussed at the August 2025 Business & Executive Session.

Therefore, this Notice initiates the above docket and provides notice of same.

Baton Rouge, Louisiana, this 20th day of May 2025.



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