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OPEN SESSION WILL BE MONDAY, MAY 19, 2025 AT 10:00 AM, LAFAYETTE CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT, 705 W. UNIVERSITY AVENUE, LAFAYETTE, LA 70506

Listed in this Bulletin are applications docketed for public hearing by this Commission. (Other docketed matters may be noticed individually under separate cover.) Any person wishing to intervene in any of the proceedings shall so notify the Commission in writing at its Baton Rouge Office in time for such notice to appear in the Commission's Office not later than Twenty-Five (25) days from date of this publication unless otherwise noted. The notice shall identify each proceeding and its docket number, set forth the interest of the intervenor or opponent and where possible the number and name of witnesses to be called and anticipated and any other known interested parties. Persons of record will subsequently be notified of time and place of hearing when fixed. (Copies of application or complaint will be furnished upon request.) In cases where applications for the transfer of Transportation certificates and permits are unopposed after expiration of the publication period and the Staff is satisfied that the transferor has operated the authority pursuant to requirements of LRS 45:166b and that the transferee is ready, fit and able to operate the authority, the authority shall be transferred after expedited hearing and the appropriate filings being made. Likewise, uncontested applications for Transportation certificates and permits will also be approved after expedited hearing and the staff is satisfied that the record after hearing does reveal that a prima facie case of fitness has been shown.

PART I - TRANSPORTATION

- A. RATE APPLICATIONS N/A
- B. REQUESTS FOR AUTHORITY N/A
- C. LETTERS OF NON-OPPOSITION

<u>DOCKET NO. S-37568</u> - American Environmental & Industrial Services LLC, ex parte. In re: Application for a Stock Transfer of 20% from Crouchet & Kott Investments, LLC & 10% from Ryan Torres to Konrad Holdings, LLC & Blake Environmental Investments, LLC involving Common Carrier Certificates Nos. 8333 & 8334. (Notice of intervention or protest shall be filed within 15 days of the date of this bulletin.)

D. CITATIONS

<u>DOCKET NO. T-37567</u> - Louisiana Public Service Commission vs. AD Movers, LLC. In re: Cancellation of Common Carrier Certificate No. 8127 for failure to maintain the required insurance coverage on file with the Commission pursuant to General Orders dated March 16, 2021 and October 13, 2023.

- E. ADJUDICATIONS N/A
- F. RULEMAKINGS N/A
- G. TARIFF FILINGS N/A
- H. RATE AUTHORITIES N/A
- I. MISCELLANEOUS N/A
- J. ORDERS

<u>GENERAL ORDER NO. 05-06-2025 (R-31106) - 5/6/2025</u> - 2025 General Orders. This General Order amends and supersedes General Order dated April 24, 2024. This matter was considered at the April 16, 2025 B&E.

SPECIAL ORDER NO. 19-2025 - 5/2/2025 - 2025 Transportation Special Orders. NOLA Valet Services, LLC dba NOLA VIP Services, ex parte. In re: Request for cancellation of LPSC NO. 8291. THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED LPSC No. 8291 hereby is, cancelled.

SPECIAL ORDER NO. 20-2025 - 5/2/2025 - 2025 Transportation Special Orders. DOC Energy Services, Inc., ex parte. In re: Request for cancellation of LPSC NOS. 8610 & 8611. THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED LPSC Nos. 8610 & 8611 hereby is, cancelled.

ORDER NO. T-37540 - 4/28/2025 - Louisiana Public Service Commission vs. Big Easy Limos Inc. In re: Cancellation of Registration & Insurance No. 1607 and Common Carrier Certificate No. 8442 for failure to file an Annual Report for 2024 and/or pay a late filing fee of \$500.00 and a citation fee of \$25.00 as required by General Order 2 dated July 01, 1921 and General Order dated March 18, 2021. Order No. T-37540 dismisses this matter with prejudice.

Part II - UTILITIES

A. RATE APPLICATIONS

<u>DOCKET NO. U-37574</u> - Hillside Partners, LLC, D/B/A Hillside Mobile Home Park, ex parte. In re: Application for an increase in water rates and establishment of service fees and charges. (Notice of intervention or protest shall be filed within 15 days of the date of this bulletin.)

- B. CITATIONS N/A
- C. REQUESTS FOR AUTHORITY

<u>DOCKET NO. S-37571</u> - E. Ritter Communications, LLC, d/b/a Ritter Communications and RightFiber, ex parte. In re: Request for authority to become a Telecommunications Service Provider to operate as an Interconnected Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) Provider statewide.

<u>DOCKET NO. S-37572</u> - Switch Mobile, LLC, ex parte. In re: Request for authority to become a Telecommunications Service Provider to operate as a Commercial Mobile Radio Service (CMRS) Provider statewide.

<u>DOCKET NO. S-37575</u> - Hillside Partners, LLC, D/B/A Hillside Mobile Home Park, ex parte. In re: Request for authority to provide wastewater services. (Notice of intervention or protest shall be filed within 15 days of the date of this bulletin.)

- D. LETTERS OF NON-OPPOSITION N/A
- E. ADJUDICATIONS N/A
- F. RULEMAKINGS N/A
- G. TARIFF FILINGS N/A
- H. SECTION 301 M. NOTICE AND INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT FILINGS

DOCKET NO. S-37569 - Broadview Networks, Inc., Business Telecom, LLC, DeltaCom, LLC, McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC, Network Telephone, LLC, PAETEC Communications, LLC, PAETEC iTel, LLC, Talk America, LLC, The Other Phone Company, LLC, US LEC Communications, LLC, Windstream Communications, LLC, Windstream FiberNet, LLC, Windstream KDL, LLC, Windstream New Edge, LLC, and Windstream NuVox, LLC, and Hunt Telecommunications, LLC, Nexus Systems, Inc., PEG Bandwidth LA, LLC, Southern Light, LLC, and Uniti Fiber GulfCo LLC. In re: Section 301(M) Notice of pro forma change in the indirect ownership of the parties. (Notice of intervention or protest shall be filed within 15 days of the date of this bulletin.)

I. MISCELLANEOUS

<u>DOCKET NO. X-37566</u> - Louisiana Public Service Commission, ex parte. In re: Annual Resource Adequacy Demonstrations pursuant to General Order dated July 16, 2024 (R-36263; MCO Docket). (This Docket is being opened for repository purposes only; no interventions or protest will be received.)

<u>DOCKET NO. U-37570</u> - Magnolia Water Utility Operating Company, LLC, ex parte. In re: Formula Rate Plan Annual Report for 2024.

<u>DOCKET NO. U-37573</u> - Washington - St. Tammany Electric Cooperative, Inc., ex parte. In re: Formula Rate Plan Annual Report for Test Year 2024.

J. ORDERS

GENERAL ORDER NO. 05-06-2025 (R-31106) - 5/6/2025 - Louisiana Public Service Commission, ex parte. In re: Rulemaking to study the possible development of financial incentives for the promotion of energy efficiency by jurisdictional electric and gas utilities. This General Order amends and supersedes General Order dated April 24, 2024. This vote occurred at the April 16, 2025 Business and Executive Session.

ORDER NO. U-37143 - 4/24/2025 - Entergy Louisiana, LLC, ex parte. In re: Request for exemption under the Commission's General Order dated October 10, 2013 (the Transmission Siting Order) regarding the West Bank 230kV Transmission Project. Order No. U-37143 approves the construction, completion, and siting of the portfolio of projects that comprise the West Bank 230kV project, consistent with the Commission's Order dated September 10, 2024 (Transmission Siting Order). This vote occurred at the Commission's March 2, 2025 Business and Executive Session.

ORDER NO. U-37208 - 4/25/2025 - Panola-Harrison Electric Cooperative, Inc., ex parte. In re: Request for modifications to its base rates and its standard Terms and Conditions. Order No. U-37208 approves the Joint Stipulation filed into the record on January 8, 2025, thereby authorizing Panola-Harrison Electric Cooperative, Inc. to implement a rate increase, subject to certain conditions. The vote occurred at the Commission's March 26, 2025 Business and Executive Session.

ORDER NO. U-37209-A - 4/25/2025 - South Coast Gas Company, Inc., ex parte. In re: Request for an interim Operating Revenue Rider. Order No. U-37209-A approves South Coast Gas Company, Inc.'s Motion to Amend Order U-37209, filed into the record on February 20, 2025, thereby increasing the Company's Interim Operating Revenue Rider. The vote occurred at the Commission's March 26, 2025 Business and Executive Session.

<u>ORDER NO. U-37345 - 4/25/2025</u> - CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. d/b/a CenterPoint Energy Entex, ex parte. In re: Request for renewal of rate stabilization plan rider for an additional three-year term. Order No. U-37345 approves the Staff Report and Recommendation filed into the record on January 31, 2025, thereby authorizing CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. d/b/a CenterPoint Energy Entex to renew its Rate Stabilization Plan for an additional three-year term, subject to certain conditions. The vote occurred at the Commission's March 26, 2025 Business and Executive Session.

<u>ORDER NO. U-37346 - 4/25/2025</u> - CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. d/b/a CenterPoint Energy Arkla, ex parte. In re: Request for renewal of rate stabilization plan rider for an additional three-year term. Order No. U-37346 approves the Staff Report and Recommendation filed into the record on January 31, 2025, thereby authorizing CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. d/b/a CenterPoint Energy Arkla to renew its Rate Stabilization Plan for an additional three-year term, subject to certain conditions. The vote occurred at the Commission's March 26, 2025 Business and Executive Session.

ORDER NO. U-37385 - 4/25/2025 - CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. dba CenterPoint Energy Arkla, ex parte. In re: Rate Stabilization Plan Earnings and Equity Report for the Twelve Months Ending June 30, 2024. Order No. U-37385 accepts the Joint Report and issues the Draft Order filed into the record on March 13, 2025, thereby authorizing CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. d/b/a CenterPoint Energy Arkla to prospectively increase its rates to generate a net increase in revenue of approximately \$6,488,614, subject to certain conditions. The vote occurred at the Commission's March 26, 2025 Business and Executive Session.

ORDER NO. U-37386 - 4/25/2025 - CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. dba CenterPoint Energy Entex, ex parte. In re: Rate Stabilization Plan Earnings and Equity Report for the Twelve Months Ending June 30, 2024. Order No. U-37386 accepts the Joint Report and issues the Draft Order filed into the record on March 13, 2025, thereby authorizing CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. d/b/a CenterPoint Energy Entex to prospectively increase its rates to generate a net increase in revenue of approximately \$5,577,232, subject to certain conditions. The vote occurred at the Commission's March 26, 2025 Business and Executive Session.

<u>ORDER NO. U-37407 - 4/25/2025</u> - Southwestern Electric Power Company, ex parte. In re: Application for approval of a natural gas Capacity Purchase Agreement. Order No. U-37407 approves the Uncontested Stipulated Settlement filed into the record on February 12, 2025, thereby certifying that Gateway Natural Gas 5-year Capacity Purchase Agreement entered into by SWEPCO is in the public interest, subject to certain conditions. The vote occurred at the Commission March 26, 2025 Business and Executive Session.