

STATE OF MICHIGAN
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, to)
issue a report on the state's supply, engineering, and)
deliverability of natural gas, electricity, and propane,)
and contingency planning, as requested by the)
Governor.)
_____)

Case No. U-20464

At the July 2, 2019 meeting of the Michigan Public Service Commission in Lansing,
Michigan.

PRESENT: Hon. Sally A. Talberg, Chairman
Hon. Norman J. Saari, Commissioner
Hon. Daniel C. Scripps, Commissioner

ORDER

On February 7, 2019, the Commission issued an order in this docket (February 7 order) in response to a request from Governor Gretchen Whitmer for the Commission to review the state's energy supply and preparedness for emergency situations, following a string of energy events that resulted because of the cold weather emergency that occurred just days prior to the issuance of the order.

In the February 7 order, the Commission directed the Executive Secretary to electronically serve a copy of the order on specified entities and also directed the Commission Staff (Staff) to conduct, in accordance with the Governor's request, a review of the state's supply, engineering, and deliverability of natural gas, electricity, and propane and to assist the Commission in

developing an initial report to be filed in this docket by 5:00 p.m. (Eastern time (ET)) on July 1, 2019, with a final report to follow by 5:00 p.m. (ET) on September 13, 2019.

To further facilitate this directive from the Governor, the Commission also indicated that it would be reaching out to affected industries and other stakeholders to obtain essential information and thus solicited comments from interested persons on a draft outline setting forth the proposed scope for this energy assessment,¹ with comments due no later than 5:00 p.m. (ET) on February 19, 2019. February 7 order, p. 3. The Commission further stated that, following feedback, the final outline that was to be used as the scope for the energy assessment would be filed in this docket by March 5, 2019, and concluded with next steps and whereabouts for interested persons to stay apprised of future developments. *Id.*, p. 4.

Following feedback from numerous interested persons on the draft outline, and conforming with the February 7 order, the Commission filed the final outline in this docket on March 5, 2019, along with an explanatory memorandum containing additional steps moving forward.

Thanks to the tremendous work by the Staff and the collaboration and cooperation by numerous stakeholders, the Commission timely provided its initial report to the Governor, with a copy filed in this docket, on July 1, 2019. As previously announced, the Commission now invites interested persons to comment on this initial report.

Comments on the initial report must be filed in this docket no later than 5:00 p.m. (ET) on August 9, 2019.² Written comments should be sent to: Executive Secretary, Michigan Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 30221, Lansing, MI 48909. Electronic comments may be e-mailed

¹ The draft outline was filed in the docket on February 12, 2019, with a copy of the same, along with an explanatory memorandum attached, on February 14, 2019.

² The Commission will make a good faith effort to consider any comments received after this deadline.

to mpscedockets@michigan.gov. Comments should reference this docket (Case No. U-20464).

All information submitted to the Commission in this matter will become public information available on the Commission's website and subject to disclosure.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that any person interested in commenting on the initial report filed on July 1, 2019, may do so in accordance with this order. Comments on the initial report must be filed in this docket no later than 5:00 p.m. (Eastern time) on August 9, 2019.

Written comments should be sent to: Executive Secretary, Michigan Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 30221, Lansing, MI 48909. Electronic comments may be e-mailed to

mpscedocket@michigan.gov. Comments on the initial report should reference this docket (Case No. U-20464), and all information submitted to the Commission in this matter will become public information available on the Commission's website and subject to disclosure.

The Commission reserves jurisdiction and may issue further orders as necessary.

MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Sally A. Talberg, Chairman

Norman J. Saari, Commissioner

Daniel C. Scripps, Commissioner

By its action of July 2, 2019.

Barbara S. Kunkel, Acting Executive Secretary

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STATE OF MICHIGAN)

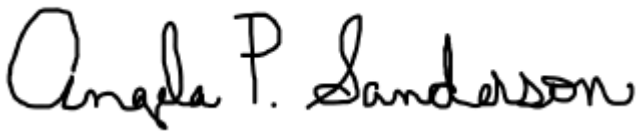
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County of Ingham)

Brianna Brown being duly sworn, deposes and says that on July 2, 2019 A.D. she electronically notified the attached list of this **Commission Order via e-mail transmission**, to the persons as shown on the attached service list (Listserv Distribution List).


Brianna Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 2nd day of July 2019.



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