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N THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF ATLANTIC CITY ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF A VOLUNTARY PROGRAM FOR PLUG-IN VEHICLE CHARGING	) ) )	ORDER MODIFYING THE PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE DOCKET NO. EO18020190

#### Parties of Record:

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#### BY COMMISSIONER UPENDRA J. CHIVUKULA:

By this Order, the Presiding Officer, Commissioner Chivukula amends the procedural schedule originally issued April 9, 2020.

### I. BACKGROUND

On February 23, 2018, Atlantic City Electric Company ("ACE" or "Company") filed a petition ("PIV Petition") with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("Board" or "BPU") for approval of a Voluntary Program for Plug-In Vehicle ("PIV") Charging ("PIV Program"). By Board Order dated March 26, 2018, the Board retained jurisdiction over the original matter, and designated myself as the presiding officer and authorized me to rule on all motions that arise during the pendency of these proceedings and modify any schedules that may be set as necessary to secure a just and expeditious determination of the issues.<sup>1</sup>

On or about December 17, 2019, ACE filed an amended petition ("Amended Petition"), proposing 13 offerings designed to accelerate PIV adoption in New Jersey.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In re the Petition of Atlantic City Electric Company for Approval of a Voluntary Program for Plug-In Vehicle Charging, BPU Docket No. EO18020190, Order dated March 26, 2018 ("March 2018 Order").

On April 9, 2020, as Presiding Officer, Commissioner Chivukula issued a prehearing order with procedural schedule and order on motions to intervene or participate and motion to stay ("April 9 Order").

On or about April 13, 2020 Rate Counsel filed a motion to dismiss a portion of ACE's Amended Petition. On or about May 4, 2020 ACE filed an opposition to Rate Counsel's motion which was joined by interveners, Zeco Systems, Inc., d/b/a Greenlots ("Greenlots") and the National Resource Defense Council ("NRDC"). On or about May 18, 2020 Rate Counsel filed a reply to ACE's opposition.

## II. DISCUSSION & FINDINGS

Board Staff requires additional time to provide a recommendation on the motions currently outstanding in this proceeding.

Having been granted the authority to amend the schedules within this proceeding by the Board, I <u>HEREBY AMEND</u> the procedural schedule originally set forth in the April 9 Order and <u>HEREBY ISSUE</u> the following amended procedural schedule (Exhibit A). I <u>HEREBY DIRECT</u> all parties to comply with its terms.

DATED: June 10, 2020 BY:

UPENDRA J. CHIVUKULA COMMISSIONER

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# **EXHIBIT A**

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# Amended Procedural Schedule

Bar Date – Pending Motions to Intervene	March 13, 2020
Motion for Interventions Decision	March 20, 2020
Motions Filed by any Party	April 13, 2020
Opposition to Motions filed	May 4, 2020
Reply to Opposition Motions Filed	May 18, 2020
First round discovery requests propounded	June 24, 2020
Decision on Motions	June 26, 2020
First round discovery responses	July 9, 2020
Discovery Settlement Conference	Week of July 20, 2020
Second round discovery requests propounded	July 27, 2020
Second Round responses	August 11, 2020
Discovery/Settlement Conference	August 17, 2020
Rate Counsel/Intervenor Direct Testimony Due	September 2, 2020
Discovery propounded on Rate Counsel/Intervenors Direct Testimony	September 10, 2020
Responses to Discovery on Testimony	September 25, 2020
Rebuttal Testimony filed by parties as appropriate	October 2, 2020
Discovery Requests propounded on Rebuttal Testimony	October 14, 2020
Public Hearing	TBA
Responses to discovery requests on Rebuttal Testimony	October 29, 2020
Settlement conference, if necessary	Week of November 2, 2020
Evidentiary Hearings, with oral surrebuttal	Week of November 9, 2020*
Initial Briefs Due	TBD by Commissioner at evidentiary hearings