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To: Sherri L. Golden, Secretary of the Board
New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (“NJBP”))

From: Noreen M. Giblin, Associate Counsel-State Regulatory
Public Service Electric and Gas Company

Date: Monday, December 23, 2034

Re: Nominations for NJBP Order No. 2222 Technical Conference / EO24020116

Set forth below is the nomination of James Hubertus of Public Service Electric and Gas Company for consideration as a panelist at the January 17, 2025 NJBP Technical Conference on FERC Order No. 2222.

Name: James (“Jim”) G. Hubertus
Title: Senior Director, Asset Strategy, Technology and Systems
Affiliation: Public Service Electric and Gas Company
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Desired Panel: Panel No. 2 (DER Aggregation – Technical and Infrastructure Matters)
Alternative Panel: Panel No. 1 (DER Aggregation Registration and Other Processes)

Professional Background

Jim has strong and broad utility experience. In his current role as Senior Director of Asset Strategy, Technology and Systems, Jim oversees the engineering standards for all of PSE&G’s electric transmission and distribution facilities, reliability centered maintenance, overall asset strategy and various aspects of NERC compliance.

He has worked at PSE&G for more than 27 years and has held a variety of leadership positions. He is a licensed professional engineer in the State of New Jersey and a graduate of Lafayette College.

Rationale

PSE&G is New Jersey’s largest electric utility with over 24,000 circuit miles of transmission and distribution infrastructure serving approximately 2.4 million electric customers. Proper and prudent asset management by PSE&G is key to customer safety, reliability, agility and affordability.

The rapidly evolving energy landscape, changing climate conditions, growing customer and community expectations, and evolving regulatory landscape highlight the need for optimizing asset management’s technical capabilities to maintain PSE&G’s Transmission and Distribution system reliability. PSE&G also has deep experience with operating large DER aggregations with its Pole Attached Solar Portfolio, with over 150,000 distributed solar panels that interact with PJM on a daily basis.

Jim has been actively involved in discussions with BPU Staff on grid modernization. As a participant on the Integrated Distribution/Distributed Energy Resources work group, Jim has provided his expertise on diverse topics such as non-wires alternatives, smart inverters, the barriers to increasing host capacity and grid flexibility and integrated load and generation considerations. He is involved in developing PSE&G’s strategy to implement FERC Order No. 2222 in a transparent, efficient, and cost-effective manner that simultaneously provides for continued safety and reliability of the transmission and distribution system. Finally, he is knowledgeable about the risks, challenges and opportunities that FERC Order 2222 presents to distribution utilities including reliability, communication, voltage control and data sharing, among other issues.