

# PUC Public Meeting Summary

A Public Meeting Summary for 10/14/11



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**Approved applications** for Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDOT) (**Butler County**); Blakeney Transportation Service (**Berks, Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Philadelphia, Lancaster, and Montgomery counties**); Conveyance Care Inc. (**Philadelphia County**); Youth Transit Authority LLC (**Philadelphia County**); Alphabuyer LLC; Can Do Inc. – Water Division (**Luzerne County**); **Insource Power Inc.**; **Dome-Tech Inc.**; **Digizip.com Inc.**; **Shop My Power Inc.**; and **5Linx Enterprises Inc.**

**Approved applications as amended** for Lambert Worldwide Services LLC (**Philadelphia and Delaware counties**); Keyser Van Service (**Lackawanna County**); and **Amerigreen Energy Inc.**

**Approved the license amendments** for **South Jersey Energy Co.**; **Consumer Energy Solutions Inc.**; and **Customer Acquisition Specialists of America Inc.**

**Denied the applications** of Wyoming Valley Professional Ambulance Service Inc. (**Luzerne County**); **Ameriquist Ambulance Inc.**; **Nikos Movers Inc.**; Tayba Medical Transportation (**Philadelphia County**); **Ivoir Transportation LLC**; and **Branded Retail Energy Co. LLC**.

**Approved applications for discontinuance or abandonment of service** for Capitol Bus Co. (**Dauphin County**); Pennsylvania Coach Lines Inc. (**Westmoreland and Allegheny counties**); Michael James Himes (**Lancaster County**); Timothy S. Powell (**Jefferson County**); and **Conversant Technologies Inc.**

**Sustained complaints, canceled certificates and/or imposed fines in Bureau of Transportation and Safety (BTS) vs.** Daryl High (**Cumberland County**); **BTS vs. Carrier Express Inc.** (**Allegheny County**); **BTS vs. E&M Express Inc.** (**York County**); **BTS vs. Frame's Motor Freight**

**Inc. (Chester County)**; and **BTS vs. Cindy Richards Delivery (Cumberland County)**.

**Made public** the auditor's report remand rider-1 for **PPL Electric Utilities Corp.** for the 13 months ended Dec. 31, 2009, 12 months ended Nov. 30, 2008, and four months ended Nov. 30, 2007; and the auditor's report on the generation supply service rate for the 12 months ended Dec. 31, 2009, for **Wellsboro Electric Co.** and **Citizens' Electric Co.**

**Adopted the proposed opinions and orders** granting the petition for reinstatement of Tropiano Airport Shuttle Inc. (**Philadelphia, Bucks, Chester, Delaware and Montgomery counties**); denying the exceptions of the company and modifying the administrative law judge's (ALJ's) recommended decision on remand regarding the rate increase request of City of Bethlehem (**Lehigh and Northampton counties**); denying the exceptions and modifying the ALJ's initial decision in the case of Peter Coppola vs. **PECO Energy Co.**; approving the settlement agreement regarding informal investigation of termination of electric service by **PPL Electric Utilities Corp.**; granting the exceptions of the Office of Consumer Advocate, denying all other exceptions, adopting the recommended decision as modified and granting in part and denying in part **UGI Utilities Inc. – Electric Division's** petition for approval of a proposed energy efficiency and conservation plan; approving the Joint Petition in Partial Settlement regarding Columbia Gas of Pennsylvania Inc's proposed modification to Tariff Rule No. 163 containing rates calculated to produce \$17 million in additional operating revenues, granting the Exceptions of BI&E, and holding in abeyance the litigated issue regarding the current Customer Assistance Plan-Plus.; tentatively denying the petition for rescission and amendment of the order of Global Medical Transportation Services,



in the application of **Kuhn Transportation LLC** for the initial right, to transport, as a common carrier, persons, by motor vehicle, in paratransit service, between points in Pennsylvania; granting the complainant's exceptions, granting the prosecutory staff's exceptions, reversing the ALJ's initial decision and referring the matter to the Office of Administrative Law Judge (OALJ) for further proceedings in the case of Phillip Robinson vs. **Shrewsbury Borough Municipal Authority**; granting the joint petition for approval of an interconnection agreement between Times Warner Cable and **Pymatuning Independent Telephone Co.**; granting the joint petition for approval of interconnection agreements between **Net Talk.com Inc.** and **Verizon Pennsylvania Inc and Verizon North Inc.**; and granting the joint petition for approval of interconnection agreements between **Digzip.com Inc.** and **Verizon PA, Inc.** and **Verizon North Inc.**

**Adopted the proposed tentative order** approving the universal service and energy conservation plans of **Met-Ed, Penelec** and **Penn Power**; and directing interested parties to provide comments on the Commission's Office of Competitive Market Oversight recommendations intended to serve as guidance to the **electric distribution companies** in developing the format and structure of their upcoming default service plans.

**Adopted the proposed orders** approving the letter of notification of **PPL Electric Utilities Corp.** with regards to the reconstruction of the Pennsylvania portion of the Manor-Graceton 230-kV transmission line in Manor Township, **Lancaster County**, and Chanceford, Lower Chanceford and Peach Bottom townships, **York County**; and approving the letter of notification of **PPL Electric Utilities Corp.** with regard to the reconstruction of the Pennsylvania portion of the Otter Creek-Conastone 230-kV transmission line in Chanceford, East Hopewell and Hopewell townships, **York County**.

**Approved rate increases** for Exter Ambulance Association (**Berks County**); Myers Coach Lines Inc. (**Allegheny** and **Butler counties**); Gardner Moving Co. (**Allegheny County**); Mooney's Relocation Specialists Inc. (**Montgomery County**); Tristate Household Goods Tariff Conference Inc.; and Glose Moving & Storage Inc. (**Lehigh County**).

**Granted the petitions of Peoples TWP LLC** for approval to defer the start date of its customer assistance program from Sept. 1, 2011, to Jan. 1, 2012, due to unanticipated computer programming delays; of **Yourtel America Inc.** for limited designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier for purposes of low-income federal Universal Service Fund support; requesting that the simplified tariff procedures of the **Tristate Household Good Tariff Conference Inc.** be modified by increasing the threshold amount therein from \$200,000 to \$500,000; and for bona fide retail request deployment extensions due to extreme weather events for **Verizon Pennsylvania Inc.** and **Verizon North Inc.**

**Found** the Office of Small Business Advocate's (OSBA) petition seeking intervention into an investigation into the **Exelon Energy Co.** and **Constellation Energy** merger be dismissed as moot, and assigned OSBA's complaint requesting the investigation to OALJ, and ordered OSBA's petition for declaratory orders regarding the status of electric generation suppliers and natural gas suppliers licenses held in abeyance.

**Approved securities certificates for Peoples TWP LLC.**

**Approved the 911 system renewal plans for Lehigh County.**

**Adopted the ALJ's initial decisions** sustaining the high bill complaint and ordering the company to recalculate the complainant's monthly bill from February 2007 through March 9, 2010, and issue a correct billing in the case of John Szatkiewicz vs. **Duquesne Light Co.**; denying the complaint in the case of Julius Taylor vs. **Verizon Pennsylvania Inc.**; approving the settlement without modification with regards to proposed changes in rates for **Newtown Artesian Water Co.**; denying the complaint in William F. Pizoli vs. **Duquesne Light Co.**; and accepting the statement of energy efficiency reconciliation files by **PECO Energy Co. – Electric** in so far it is undisputed.

**Adopted the ALJ's recommended decisions** approving the settlement in **Duquesne Light Co.'s** petition for approval of changes to its energy efficiency and conservation and demand response plan, requesting certain modifications; accepting the transmission service charge reconciliation

statement of **Duquesne Light Co.** in so far as it is undisputed; approving the settlement without modification regarding the annual purchased gas cost filing of **UGI Penn Natural Gas Co.**; approving the settlement without modification regarding the annual purchased gas cost filing of **UGI Central Penn Natural Gas Inc.**; approving the settlement without modification regarding the annual purchased gas cost filing of **UGI Utilities Inc. – Gas Division**; and accepting the annual transmission service charge reconciliation for the 12 months ended March 31, 2011, for **Pennsylvania Electric Co.**

**Adopted the motion of Vice Chairman Coleman** regarding the case of Richard Adams v. **UGI Utilities Inc. – Gas.**

**Adopted the motion of Commissioner Witmer** regarding the case of Windell C. Wiggins vs. **PECO Energy Co.**

**Adopted the motion of Vice Chairman Coleman** and **Commissioner Witmer** regarding the case of A. Moses v. **Verizon Pennsylvania.**

**Adopted the motion of Commissioner Gardner** regarding the case of Dennis Vicario vs. **Philadelphia Gas Works.**

**Adopted the motion of Commissioner Witmer** regarding licensing requirements for **natural gas suppliers.**

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