

LITIGATION

Overview

The PUCN's Office of General Counsel ("GC") is responsible for representing the PUCN in all proceedings in state and federal court. GC also represents the PUCN before various state and federal regulatory agencies, including the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC") and Federal Communications Commission ("FCC"). Finally, GC represents the PUCN in legislative proceedings.

GC provides legal advice and recommendations to the Commissioners as needed to ensure that PUCN actions conform to applicable law and that PUCN decisions are legally sound.

Representation of the PUCN

GC has represented the PUCN in the following proceedings during the period between July 1, 2016, and June 30, 2018:

Court Cases

Switch, LTD. v. PUCN, (U.S. District Court District of Nevada, Case No. 2:16: CV-0629-JCM-CWH)

Wynn Las Vegas, LLC v. PUCN (Eighth Judicial District Court, Case No. A-16-730642-J)

Great Basin Water Co. v. PUCN and Attorney General's Bureau of Consumer Protection (First Judicial District Court, Case No.:17 OC 00245 1B)

Bonanza LV Holdings et al v. Nevada Power Company and PUCN (Nevada Supreme Court, Case No. 70153)

Rural Telephone Company v. PUCN (First Judicial District Court Case No. 15OC001881B)

Rural Telephone Company v. PUCN (Nevada Supreme Court Case No. 69612)

Vote Solar v. PUCN (First Judicial District Court, Case No. 16-OC-00052 1B)

Vote Solar v. PUCN (Nevada Supreme Court, Case No. 74663)

PUCN v. Shoshone Estates (First Judicial District Court, Case No. 16-OC-00223 1B)

TASC v. PUCN (Second Judicial District Court, Case No. CV16-00351)

TASC v. PUCN (First Judicial District Court, Case No. 16-OC-00072)

Molarius v. PUCN (Third Judicial District Court, Case No. 15-CV-01444)

FERC

Docket No. EL15-22 Nevada Power Company (“NPC”) 206 Proceeding

Docket No. ER15-861-000 California Independent System Operator Corporation

Docket No. ER15-1196-000 Nevada Power Company Open Access Transmission Tariff EIM

Docket No. ER15-1196-003

Docket No. ER15-1196-004

Docket No. ER15-1196-005

Docket No. ER15-1196-006

Docket No. RP16-299-000 FERC Initiates Investigations of Four Interstate Pipeline Companies' Rates

Saguaro v. FERC DC Circuit Court of Appeals, Docket No. 17-1050

Tuscarora v. FERC U.S. District Court of Appeals, DC Circuit, Case No. 16-1160

Tuscarora seeks judicial review of the following FERC orders in RP16-299L

Docket No. EC16-130-000 NPC submits Joint Application for Approval under Section 203 of the Federal Power Act.

Docket No. ER16-1887 Apple Energy LLC

Docket No. EC16-130-000 Nevada Power Company, Sierra Pacific Power Company, South Point Energy Center, LLC

Docket No. 16-117 Vote Solar

Docket No. ER16-1649-000 California Independent System Operator

Docket No. ER16-2445-000 California Independent System Operator

Docket No. CP17-471-000 Paiute Pipeline Company

Docket No. ER17-1502-000 Sierra Pacific Power Company

Docket No. ER17-2015 Sierra Pacific Power Company

Docket No. ER17-2024 Nevada Power Company

Docket No. EL18-139-000 Nevada Power Company Petition (Saguaro Power Company)
QF90-203-019

FCC

Docket No. 14-192 Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance

Docket No. WC 1-90

Connect America Fund

Docket No. WC 15-58

ETC Annual Reports

Docket No. CC 01-92

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