

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**DRM 22-023**

**RULEMAKING**

**New Hampshire Code of Administrative Rules Chapter 1300  
Utility Pole Attachments**

**ORDER OF NOTICE**

Following review of statutory authorities, and in collaboration the New Hampshire Department of Energy (DOE), on March 7, 2022, the Commission voted pursuant to RSA 541-A to initiate a formal rulemaking for N.H. Code Admin. Rules Chapter Puc 1300, Utility Pole Attachment Rules. The Commission adopted an initial proposal to readopt the existing Puc 1300 rule set with amendments. Amendments include removal of the existing the access standards that the DOE will adopt in its own rule set, renumbering, and other housekeeping style revisions to the remainder of the rule set to clarify the purpose, provide applicable definitions, and provide appropriate cross references to the rule set to be adopted by the DOE.

A Notice of Rulemaking, as required by RSA 541-A:6, was filed with the Office of Legislative Services on April 7, 2022, and has been sent to all persons who have made a timely request for advance notice of these rulemaking proceedings. The Notice of Rulemaking establishes a joint public hearing with the DOE to be held at the Commission on June 10, 2022 at 1:00 p.m., as well as a deadline for the submission of written comments of June 21, 2022. This Order of Notice, including a copy of the Notice of Rulemaking and initial proposal adopted by the Commission on March 7, 2022, will be posted on the Commission's website at:

<https://www.puc.nh.gov/Regulatory/Docketbk/2022/22-023html> or copies may be obtained

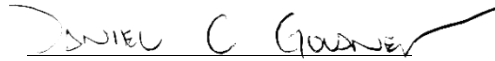
from the Commission as set forth in the Notice.

**Based upon the foregoing, it is hereby**

**ORDERED**, that a Public Hearing, pursuant to RSA 541-A:11, be held before the Commission located at 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10, Concord, New Hampshire, on June 10, 2022 at 1:00 p.m., and that the deadline for submission of materials in writing or by e-mail shall be June 21, 2022, as set forth in the Notice; and it is

**FURTHER ORDERED**, a copy of this Order of Notice shall be posted on the Commission's website and bulletin board no later than April 14, 2022.

So ordered, this thirteenth day of April, 2022.



Daniel C. Goldner  
Presiding Officer  
Chairman

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