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GAS-1 (EL-2) - Resolution Honoring David Hadley Commissioner Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission

WHEREAS, David W. Hadley served as Commissioner of the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission (IURC) since 2000. He was appointed to the IURC in February 2000 by the Governor O'Bannon. He was reappointed by Governor O'Bannon in 2002 and reappointed by Governor Daniels in 2006; *and*

WHEREAS, Prior to his appointment, Commissioner Hadley served as an executive officer for the Indiana AFL-CIO, business development specialist with the Indiana Department of Workforce Development, a union coal miner where he held numerous leadership positions and served as a legislative affairs representative for the United Mine Workers of America, and as a high school social studies teacher; *and*

WHEREAS, Commissioner Hadley served as Chairman of National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners' ("NARUC") Clean-Coal Subcommittee. He also served as a member of the NARUC Committee on Gas and the NARUC Committee on International Relations. In his work with the Committee on International Relations, Commissioner Hadley traveled to assist Commissions in Eastern Europe and Africa; *and*

WHEREAS, Commissioner Hadley has served on the Board of Directors of the Organization of Midwest ISO States and the Organization of PJM States; *and*

WHEREAS, Commissioner Hadley has served as Vice Chairman of the Gas Technology Institute's Public Interest Advisory Committee; *and*

WHEREAS, Commissioner Hadley and the Clean-Coal Subcommittee have been at the forefront of this nation's efforts to foster development of this abundant natural resource. In addition to providing economic benefits to the nation, clean-coal holds the promise of ameliorating adverse environmental consequences of coal, reducing our nation's dependence on foreign energy supplies, and enhancing economic development in coal producing regions; *and*

WHEREAS, Commissioner Hadley, in furtherance of his duties for the IURC, has assiduously attempted to balance the interests of customers, utilities, and investors while advancing good public policy; *and*

WHEREAS, Commissioner Hadley has been a leading advocate of development of programs that provide benefits to all customers such as demand-side management, cost-effective development of resources, and, especially, programs that provide assistance to the most vulnerable low-income consumers; *now therefore be it*

RESOLVED, That the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened in its 2006 Annual Convention in Miami, Florida,

extends its sincere appreciation to Commissioner David W. Hadley for his outstanding public service, his consistent good humor, his abilities to build consensus on contentious matters, and conveys to him its best wishes for his new position as Vice President of the Midwest ISO and to all of his future endeavors.

Sponsored by the Committees on Gas and Electricity

Recommended by the NARUC Board of Directors November 14, 2006

Adopted by the Committee of the Whole November 15, 2006