I. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE RESOLUTIONS

EC-1 Resolution Honoring Vivian Witkind Davis, Ph.D.

WHEREAS, After 28 years of dedicated public service, Vivian Witkind Davis, Ph.D., dog lover, wine connoisseur extraordinaire, NRRI honcho, and critical information and analysis source for the NARUC telecommunications committee, is finally retiring; *and*

WHEREAS, During her service with the National Regulatory Research Institute she has steadily increased her responsibilities starting in 1978 as a Graduate Research Associate, shifting in 1982 to a Senior Research Associate, in 1992 to Senior Research Specialist, Telecomm, in 1998 to the Associate Director of Telecommunications and Water, in 1999 to the Associate Director of Research, in 2002 to both, the Associate Director and the Manager of NRRI Outreach, and finally, in 2005 to the NRRI Interim Director; *and*

WHEREAS, As NRRI Interim Director, Dr. Witkind Davis brought NRRI into the 21st century assuring electronic printing for all NRRI publications, creating an e-mail Executive Briefing for Commissioners with "hot links", pressing for the formation of the electronic Library and overseeing the updating of the NRRI web site to make it more client-friendly; *and*

WHEREAS, Those that know Vivian best consider her gracious, charming and a great boss; *and*

WHEREAS, Others that have been helped by Vivian know she is meticulous, thorough and prompt in responding to requests for assistance; *now therefore be it*

RESOLVED, That the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened in its 2006 Annual Convention in Miami, Florida, extends its sincere appreciation to Dr. Witkind Davis for her outstanding public service, her consistent good humor, her unfailing courtesy, and conveys to her its best wishes for her future endeavors.

Sponsored by the Executive Committee Recommended by the NARUC Board of Directors November 14, 2006 Adopted by the Committee of the Whole November 15, 2006