Resolution Honoring Kenneth Moran

WHEREAS, Ken Moran prepared for his career by earning his Bachelor of Science in Mathematics from Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology and a Master of Science degree in Business Administration from Indiana University; *and*

WHEREAS, Ken started his 45-year telecommunications career in 1970 as an engineer with GTE and holds a Professional Engineering Certificate in the State of Indiana. He joined the Federal Communication Commission (FCC) a mere 8 years later, working his way through an impressive hierarchy of agency leadership positions to reach his current status as the Senior Deputy Chief of the Commission's Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau; and

WHEREAS, Ken is currently responsible for policy development, coordination, and implementation of the Commission's public safety, homeland security, and national security activities - overseeing the work of the Operations and Emergency Management Division, which has primary responsibility for emergency communications planning and disaster response activities as well as operation of the Commission's 24/7 watch office and its High Frequency Geo-location Center; *and*

WHEREAS, Mr. Moran also represents the Commission on various federal, State, and industry boards and committees; *and*

WHEREAS, NARUC oldsters will remember Mr. Moran's close and crucial collaboration with State Commissioners/Staff and NARUC establishing and using the Uniform System of Accounts for common carriers, in joint audits of telecom carriers, the joint meetings to establish depreciation rules and rate prescriptions, and with the Federal-State Joint Boards as they relate to sale and acquisition of telecom exchanges; *and*

WHEREAS, Mr. Moran was also a regular participant in the National Conference for Regulatory Commission Engineers for many years and was a member of its Executive Committee in the early 1980s. He also represented the FCC at NARUC's Staff Subcommittee on Communications during the 1980s and 1990s; *and*

WHEREAS, There is no question NARUC, and the country, owes Mr. Moran gratitude for his coordinated accounting policy work; *now*, *therefore be it*

RESOLVED, That the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its 2015 Winter Committee Meetings in Washington, D.C., extend their gratitude to Ken Moran for his service to NARUC, and the citizens of the United States and their best wishes to Ken in his future endeavors.

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