Resolution Honoring Maryland Public Service Commissioner Anne E. Hoskins

WHEREAS, The Honorable Anne E. Hoskins will, on July 31, 2016, complete her service as a member of the Maryland Public Service Commission (PSC) and as chair of the National Association of Utility Regulatory Commissioners Committee on International Relations; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Hoskins was appointed to the Maryland Public Service Commission in 2013 and has served with distinction for three years; and

WHEREAS, Prior to her appointment to the Maryland PSC, Commissioner Hoskins had an accomplished career in State and federal government and in the private sector; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Hoskins has served on the NARUC Committee on International Relations and contributed greatly to the work of the Committee on Gas and on the NARUC Board of Directors; and

WHEREAS, Since becoming a member of NARUC, Commissioner Hoskins has been an active member of the Committee on International Relations, serving one year as co-vice chairman before being named chair; and

WHEREAS, As co-vice chair and chair, Commissioner Hoskins has elevated the profile of the Committee on International Relations by collaborating with other committees to present joint panels at NARUC meetings and by scheduling innovative programming such as a hands-on tariff training that demonstrated NARUC’s international work; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Hoskins has worked to increase the relevance and visibility of NARUC’s Terry Barnich Award for promotion of international cooperation and dialogue among utility regulators through her efforts to expand the eligibility criteria for the award and to move it beyond the confines of the Committee on International Relations; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Hoskins has become a preeminent ambassador for NARUC’s international programs, taking on regulatory adventures in Macedonia, Romania, Tanzania, Turkey, Spain, and elsewhere around the globe; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Hoskins has built relationships with regulators around the world, openly sharing experiences to support those counterparts in their efforts to improve the electricity sectors of their countries; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Hoskins advocated expanded member participation in NARUC International Programs and supported expanded, innovative training on best practices in setting tariffs for international regulators; and

WHEREAS, Through her dedication, creativity, intelligence, and gracious manner, Commissioner Hoskins has gained the respect and affeciton of the NARUC staff and the Staff Subcommittee on International Relations; now, therefore be it
RESOLVED, That the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its 2016 Summer Meetings in Nashville, Tennessee, extend its gratitude to Commissioner Hoskins for her leading role on NARUC’s Committee on International Relations and for her efforts to forge closer ties between utility regulators in the United States and their colleagues around the globe and express its best wishes for her future endeavors.

Sponsored by the Committee on International Relations.
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