Resolution Honoring Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board Member Murray E. Doehler

Whereas Murray E. Doehler soon will complete his service as a member of the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board and as co-vice chair of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners Committee on International Relations;

Whereas Murray Doehler was named to the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board in 2005 and has served with distinction for nearly 13 years;

Whereas Murray Doehler has been an active member of and an advocate for CAMPUT: Canada's Energy and Utility Regulators, has served as chair of the organization, and has worked tirelessly to convince U.S. utility regulators to attend CAMPUT meetings;

Whereas Murray Doehler has served his community as a member of the City of Halifax Board of Aldermen, chair of the Halifax District School Board, and a professor (of the year) at St. Mary's University;

Whereas Murray Doehler's civic involvement has included the Red Cross, Neptune Theatre, Cathedral Church of All Saints, the Anglican Diocese of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, Symphony Nova Scotia, and Entrepreneurs with Disabilities Network;

Whereas despite the demands of his many professional and civic responsibilities, Murray Doehler has been an active and engaged member of the Committee on International Relations, ably moderating panel discussions with no advance notice and serving as co-vice chairman since January 2016;

Whereas Murray Doehler was an active member of the International Confederation of Energy Regulators (ICER) since 2009, generously allocating his time to read and evaluate articles for both the triennial ICER Distinguished Scholar Award and the biannual *ICER Chronicle*;

Whereas before becoming an energy regulator, Murray Doehler was engaged in international work in Vietnam, Thailand, Fiji, Tonga, Niue, Federated States of Micronesia, Marshall Islands, Palau, Tuvalu, Samoa, and the Cook Islands (perhaps coincidentally, all a bit warmer than Nova Scotia, eh?);

Whereas Murray Doehler was honored in 2011 by his colleagues at the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board with the coveted *Where's Waldo Award*, in recognition of the difficulty of determining his precise location at any given time, and he is known to this day as MIA Murray;

Whereas one might think that Murray Doehler holds a second job with Tourism Nova Scotia, given his unceasing promotion of the province's many attractions (You have to go to Aspotogan; it's much nicer than Peggy's Cove, eh?);

Whereas Murray Doehler has been a gracious and generous host to NARUC members who visit Halifax (This place has the best mussels you will ever taste, eh?);

Whereas despite holding professional credentials as both an accountant AND an engineer, Murray Doehler is known for his sense of humor and appreciation of a good time (A president's reception is just a dressed-up kitchen party without the music, eh?); *and*

Whereas according to reliable sources, there are stories we could tell, but shouldn't - and won't, eh?; *now, therefore be it*

Resolved that the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its Summer Policy Summit in Scottsdale, Arizona, extends its gratitude to Murray Doehler for his leading role on NARUC's Committee on International Relations and for his efforts to develop closer ties between utility regulators in the United States and Canada, and expresses its best wishes for his future endeavors.

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