

Resolution Honoring Chair Arnetta McRae

WHEREAS, Arnetta McRae was appointed to the Delaware Public Service Commission in July 1996 and assumed her current position as Chair in July 2001; *and*

WHEREAS, She previously worked as a counsel for the DuPont Company in Wilmington, Delaware, for 18 years where she provided legal services for domestic and international business units; *and*

WHEREAS, Chair McRae is dedicated to public utility regulation and showed her commitment and leadership in the following roles:

- As a member of the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC);
- As the most recent former Chair of NARUC's International Relations Committee;
- As a former President of the Mid Atlantic Conference of Regulatory Utilities Commissioners (MACRUC);
- As a founding member of the Board of Directors of the Organization of PJM States, Inc. (OPSI);
- As one of the State of Delaware's representatives to the Eastern Interconnect State Planning Council (EISPC);
- As one of the State of Delaware's representatives to the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI);
- As a member of NARUC's Subcommittee on Utility Marketplace Access Partnership;
- As a member of the National Regulatory Research Institute's Board of Directors;
- As a member of New Mexico State Center for Public Utilities' Advisory Council; *and*

WHEREAS, Chair McRae has shared her expertise in utility regulation by participating in various exchanges by visiting as well as hosting her regulatory peers from several African, Asian, and European countries; *and*

WHEREAS, Chair McRae is dedicated to public education, arts, and civic service and showed her commitment and leadership in the following roles:

- As a member of the Board of Education of New Castle County Vocational Technical School District in Delaware;
- As a past president of the Delaware School Boards Association and a past member of the Board of Directors and Northeast Region Director of the National Black Caucus of School Board Members;
- As a member on the Chief Executive Officer's Advisory Council of the Girl Scouts of Chesapeake Bay Council;
- As a former member of the Board of Directors of the Grand Opera House in Wilmington, Delaware; *and*

WHEREAS, Chair McRae holds a BS in Business Administration from Morgan State University in Baltimore, Maryland, and a JD from Case Western Reserve University School of Law in Cleveland, Ohio; *now, therefore, be it*

RESOLVED, That the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its 2011 Summer Committee Meetings in Los Angeles, California, expresses its sincere appreciation to Chair McRae for her years of dedicated public service and her leadership of the Committee on International Relations; *and be it further*

RESOLVED, That the Committee on International Relations and all NARUC members convey their best wishes to Chair McRae as she continues to lead the Delaware Public Service Commission as well as continues her involvement in NARUC activities.

*Sponsored by the Committee on International Relations
Adopted by the NARUC Board of Directors July 20, 2011*