

**RESOLUTION
R-18-135**

CITY HALL: April 19, 2018

BY: COUNCILMEMBERS WILLIAMS, HEAD, GUIDRY, BROSSETT AND GRAY

**IN RE: 2018 TRIENNIAL INTEGRATED RESOURCE PLAN
OF ENTERGY NEW ORLEANS, INC.**

DOCKET NO. UD-17-03

RESOLUTION AMENDING INITIATING RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Constitution of the State of Louisiana and the Home Rule Charter of the City of New Orleans ("Charter"), the Council of the City of New Orleans ("Council") is the governmental body with the power of supervision, regulation, and control over public utilities providing service within the City of New Orleans ("City"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to its powers of supervision, regulation, and control over public utilities, the Council is responsible for fixing and changing rates, and charges of public utilities, and making all necessary rules and regulations to govern applications for the fixing and changing of rates and charges of public utilities; and

WHEREAS, Entergy New Orleans, LLC ("ENO") or ("Company") is a public utility providing electric and natural gas service to all of New Orleans; and

WHEREAS, on August 10, 2017, the Council in Resolution No. R-17-430 adopted an initiating resolution which outlines the 2018 Integrated Resource Plan ("IRP") process and timeline, Intervenor and public participation, policy objectives for consideration in the IRP and other matters as deemed necessary by the Council; and

WHEREAS, on March 26, 2018, the Deep South Center for Environmental Justice ("DSCEJ") and the Alliance for Affordable Energy ("AAE") filed a in this docket requesting the removal of certain language regarding the nature of discussions among the parties at technical

meetings pursuant to the schedule adopted by the Council and since amended by the Hearing Officer's Order dated March 26, 2018; and

WHEREAS, no party to the proceeding has expressed an objection to the request made in DSCEJ and AAE's letter; and

WHEREAS, the Council wishes to remove the following paragraph found on page 3 of Resolution R-17-430:

WHEREAS, the Council clarifies that the technical meetings among the parties to attempt to reach consensus on the Planning Scenarios and Planning Strategies shall be treated as settlement negotiations subject to all applicable procedural and evidentiary protections thereof; and

WHEREAS, all other provisions of Resolution R-17-430 should remain in full force and effect except those that have been subsequently amended by the Hearing Officer or the Council; and now therefore:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS

THAT:

1. The following paragraph found on page 3 of Resolution R-17-430 shall be deleted in its entirety:

WHEREAS, the Council clarifies that the technical meetings among the parties to attempt to reach consensus on the Planning Scenarios and Planning Strategies shall be treated as settlement negotiations subject to all applicable procedural and evidentiary protections thereof; and

2. All other provisions of Resolution R-17-430 shall remain in full force and effect except those that have been subsequently amended by the Hearing Officer or the Council.

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION WAS READ IN FULL, THE ROLL WAS CALLED ON THE ADOPTION THEREOF AND RESULTED AS FOLLOWS:

YEAS: Brossett, Gray, Guidry, Head, Ramsey, Williams - 6

NAYS: 0

ABSENT: Cantrell - 1

AND THE RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED.

THE FOREGOING IS CERTIFIED
TO BE A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY

Lera W. Johnson
CLERK OF COUNCIL