



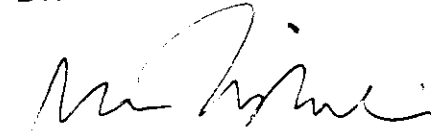
Consistent with the Board's November Order, I **HEREBY DIRECT** that all documents shall be served by electronic mail, while still providing hard copies to the Board for those documents which must be filed with the Board, with hard copies to each party upon request.

I **HEREBY DIRECT** that this Order be posted on the Board's website.

This provisional ruling is subject to ratification or other alteration by the Board as it deems appropriate during the proceedings in this matter.

DATED: January 9, 2014

BY:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joe Fiordaliso", written over a horizontal line.

Joseph L. Fiordaliso  
Commissioner

IN THE MATTER OF THE BOARD'S ESTABLISHING A GENERIC PROCEEDING TO  
REVIEW THE PRUDENCY OF COSTS INCURRED BY PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND  
GAS COMPANY IN RESPONSE TO MAJOR STORM EVENTS IN 2011 AND 2012  
Docket Nos. AX13030197 & EO13070607

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## PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

January 21, 2014: Deadline for filing requests for intervention/participation and comments on Preliminary Schedule

January 31, 2014: Deadline for first round of discovery

February 18, 2014: Deadline for responses to first round of discovery

February 28, 2014: Deadline for second round of discovery

March 2014: Public hearings

March 14, 2014: Deadline for responses to second round of discovery

Date to be determined: Settlement discussions/discovery conference

March 28, 2014: Deadline for Rate Counsel and Interveners to file direct testimony

April 11, 2014: Deadline for discovery on Rate Counsel and Intervener testimony

April 25, 2014: Deadline for rebuttal testimony by Company and Interveners

May 6, 2014: Deadline for discovery on rebuttal testimony – all parties

May 29, 2014: Deadline for responses to discovery on rebuttal testimony – all parties

Evidentiary hearings with live sur-rebuttal (subject to Commissioner's availability in June 2014)

Dates to be determined: Deadlines for filing initial and reply briefs

August 2014: Anticipated Board action