

BEFORE THE GUAM PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF:) GPA Docket 18-06
)
The Application of the Guam Power for) ORDER OF RATIFICATION
Approval of Phase II Renewable)
Acquisition.)
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This matter comes before the Guam Public Utilities Commission [PUC], upon the ORDER signed herein by Acting Chairman Andrew L. Niven on February 22, 2018.

In the PUC Counsel Report dated February 16, 2018, Counsel recommended that the PUC approve GPA’s request to award KEPCO-LG CNS a renewable acquisition for two 30MW renewable solar energy plants. Counsel found that the plants will provide substantial savings to GPA over the term of the renewable energy contracts, as the rates for such renewable energy are significantly lower than the current and projected LEAC rates.

The energy prices under the renewable energy contracts proposed with KEPCO escalate at no more than the 1% annually.

The Acting Chairman determined that he should approve the award of the two 30MW renewable solar energy plants to KEPCO-LG CNS, pursuant to 12 GCA §12105 (b), based upon GPA’s stated desire to proceed ahead as soon as possible in order to realize the savings from the renewable energy projects.

The Order of the Acting Chairman was subject to ratification by the Commission.

The Commission has reviewed the PUC Counsel Report dated February 19, 2018 and determines that it was appropriate for the Acting Chairman to approve the project. GPA has demonstrated a need to proceed with the award as soon as possible to achieve the projected savings from the renewable energy.

The Chairman’s Order is hereby ratified and approved.

Dated this 29th day of March, 2018.

Jeffrey C. Johnson
Chairman

Joseph M. McDonald
Commissioner

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