

## REGULATORY AGENDA – JANUARY 15, 2008

**Agency Name and Address:**

Public Utilities Commission  
 89 Jefferson Boulevard  
 Warwick, RI 02888

**PART I - Rules Promulgated *JUNE 16, 2007 through JANUARY 15, 2008:***

ERLID	Type Filing	Title	Effective Date
4694	Amendment	Rules and Regulations Governing the Implementation of a Renewable Energy Standard	July 25, 2007

**PART II - Expected Rule-making Activity *JANUARY 16, 2008 through JUNE 15, 2008:***

Type Filing	Title/Subject Area	Objective	Legal Basis	Anticipated Schedule	Agency Contact	Interested Parties
Amendment or repeal	Rules Governing the Acceptance of Credit Cards by Utility Companies	To standardize the procedures and financial responsibility for the cost associated with the acceptance of credit cards	R.I.G. L. 39-1 et seq., 39-1 et seq. and 42-35 et seq.	June 2008	Luly Massaro 401-780-2107	Public utilities and Division of Public Utilities and Carriers and public utilities
Amendment	Rules and Regulations Governing the Termination of Residential Electric, Gas and Water Utility Service	To administer termination rules to implement changes mandated by law to add a payment plan option for very low income customers and add “Infant and Financial Hardship Protection”	R.I.G.L. 39-1 et seq., specifically 39-2-1(d)(1)-(2), 43-35 et seq. and Law Ch. 07-419	March 2008	Luly Massaro 401-780-2107	State Energy Office, Division of Public Utilities and Carriers, gas and electric utilities