

# COMMENTER FORM

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Pursuant to Nevada Administrative Code ("NAC") 703.491, a person who is not a party to a contested case may participate as a commenter if the person files comments during the contested case. To participate as a commenter, file one copy of this form with the Public Utilities Commission of Nevada ("Commission") by the due date in the initial notice of the proceeding in which you wish to participate, or before the scheduled hearing on the contested case. Comments must adhere to the requirements of NAC 703.491 and NAC 703.560 to be made part of the record in the proceeding. (A commenter need not use this specific form to file comments.)

The Commission is a quasi-judicial body, similar to a court of law, and is required by the law to make its decisions based upon the evidence in the record. Evidence is submitted by parties to Commission proceedings. Pursuant to NAC 703.491, a commenter is not a party to Commission proceedings. **While written comments may be made part of the record in the proceeding, they will not be treated as evidence. Therefore, written comments cannot be considered by the Commission when making a decision in a particular docket.** The Attorney General's Bureau of Consumer Protection ("BCP") represents the interests of ratepayers before the Commission. Such representation often includes the submission of evidence as a party to Commission proceedings. If you have questions about the BCP's representation of ratepayers, please contact the BCP for more information.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** \*Indicates a required field. Complete and sign the form. Submit a copy of this form by mail or hand-delivery to either Commission office location, or electronically via the Commission's electronic filing system at <https://puc.nv.gov>.

\*Commenter Name:

Company:

Email:

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\*City:

\*State:

\*Zip:

\*Docket Number:

Pursuant to NAC 703.491, by filing these comments, the Commission will place you on the service list maintained for this proceeding and you will receive notifications of notices and orders issued by the Commission thereafter. By providing an email address, you are electing to receive notification by electronic mail **only**.

If you do not wish to be placed on the service list for this proceeding, you may voluntarily opt out by checking the box below.

**I do not wish to be placed on the service list for this proceeding.**

\*Comments: (attach additional pages if necessary)

**I acknowledge that by filings these comments in a Commission docket I am placing myself on a service list (unless opted out above), and I understand that both the information I file and the contact information I provide for myself will be publicly available.**

\*Signature

Date