

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY**

**NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

**February 6, 2014**

**IN RE:**

**APPLICATION OF B&W PIPELINE, LLC FOR  
A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND  
NECESSITY TO OPERATE A NATURAL GAS  
PIPELINE SYSTEM IN PICKETT, MORGAN  
AND FENTRESS COUNTIES**

**DOCKET NO.  
13-00151**

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**ORDER CONVENING A CONTESTED CASE  
AND APPOINTING A HEARING OFFICER**

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This matter came before Chairman James M. Allison, Vice Chairman Herbert H. Hilliard and Director Kenneth C. Hill of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on February 3, 2014 for the purpose of determining whether to convene a contested case proceeding and appoint a Hearing Officer. On December 9, 2013, B&W Pipeline, LLC filed an Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate a natural gas pipeline in Pickett, Morgan and Fentress Counties in Tennessee.

During the Authority Conference, the Directors voted unanimously to convene a contested case proceeding and to appoint the Authority's General Counsel or her designee to act as Hearing Officer to prepare this matter for hearing, including establishing a procedural schedule, entering a protective order and ruling on intervention requests and discovery issues.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

**Chairman James M. Allison, Vice Chairman Herbert H. Hilliard and Director Kenneth C. Hill concur.**

**ATTEST:**

  
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**Earl R. Taylor, Executive Director**