



**NOTICE OF HEARING**

**DOCKET:** 21-00033

**IN RE:** *Application of Johnson City Energy Authority d/b/a BrightRidge for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to Provide Competing Wholesale Intrastate and Local Telecommunications Services in Tennessee*

**DATE:** **August 9, 2021**

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Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-4-201 *et seq.*, a hearing has been scheduled in the above-captioned matter for **Thursday, August 19, 2021 at 8:00 a.m. (CDT) (9:00 a.m. EDT)**. The Hearing will be held electronically via WebEx.

This Hearing will be conducted in accordance with the Tennessee Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-5-101 *et seq.* The Hearing Officer will conduct the Hearing and may render an initial order. All parties are entitled to be represented by counsel. Any motion to continue or reschedule the date of this Hearing must be made in writing and filed with the Office of the Chairman of the Commission by **Friday, August 13, 2021**.

Members of the public may participate in this docket by filing written comments with the Commission Docket Room at [TPUC.docketroom@tn.gov](mailto:TPUC.docketroom@tn.gov) by **12:00 noon CST on Wednesday, August 18, 2021**. The Hearing will be held live and be recorded. Members of the public may also join the electronic meeting to submit public comment by:

**At least Five (5) Minutes before 8:00 a.m. start time:**

- (1) Dial\*: (415) 655-0003 U.S. Toll;
- (2) Enter Access Code to be provided by separate notice;
- (3) Place your telephone on mute.

Should you have any questions, please contact Ectory Lawless, Dockets and Records Manager, at the email address above or at (615) 770-6580 or (615) 651-0754, or Aaron Conklin, Hearing Officer, at [aaron.conklin@tn.gov](mailto:aaron.conklin@tn.gov) or (615) 770-6896.

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**FOR THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION:**



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Aaron J. Conklin  
Hearing Officer

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cc: Interested Parties of Record