# TITLE 170 INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

## Proposed Rule

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### DIGEST

Amends <u>170 IAC 1-1.5-1</u> to exempt a video franchise application or notice of change form filed under <u>IC 8-1-</u> <u>34</u> from the ex parte rules of the commission. Effective 30 days after filing with the Publisher.

IC 4-22-2.1-5 Statement Concerning Rules Affecting Small Businesses

## 170 IAC 1-1.5-1

SECTION 1. <u>170 IAC 1-1.5-1</u> IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

#### 170 IAC 1-1.5-1 Definitions

Authority: <u>IC 8-1-1-3</u> Affected: <u>IC 8-1-1-5</u>; <u>IC 8-1-2-42</u>; <u>IC 8-1-2-61.5</u>; <u>IC 8-1-34</u>

Sec. 1. (a) As used in this rule, "commission" refers to the Indiana utility regulatory commission.

(b) As used in this rule, "filing a report" means the filing of written testimony or the presentation of oral testimony, or both, by a technical employee in a pending proceeding.

(c) As used in this rule, "proceeding" means a formally docketed proceeding before the commission. The term does not include any of the following:

- (1) A rulemaking.
- (2) A thirty (30) day filing under <u>IC 8-1-2-42(a)</u>.
- (3) A filing under <u>IC 8-1-2-61.5</u>.
- (4) A petition under <u>170 IAC 7-4</u>.
- (5) An informal investigation.
- (6) An investigation and disposition by the consumer affairs division of the commission.
- (7) An application or notice of change form filed under IC 8-1-34.

(d) As used in this rule, "technical employee" means a professional employee of the commission working in the accounting, economic, engineering, or other professional technical advisory staff division. The term includes the utilities director.

(Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission; <u>170 IAC 1-1.5-1</u>; filed Dec 9, 1996, 10:00 a.m.: 20 IR 938; readopted filed Jul 11, 2001, 4:30 p.m.: 24 IR 4233)

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