

**ORIGINAL**

**GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER  
OF THE INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION  
2026-01**

Commissioner	Yes	No	Not Participating
Zay	√		
Deig	√		
Swinger	√		
Veleta	√		
Ziegner	√		

**WHEREAS**, House Enrolled Act 1002 (“HEA 1002”) was enacted by the Indiana General Assembly and signed into law by Governor Mike Braun on February 26, 2026; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 2 of HEA 1002 added Indiana Code (“IC”) section 8-1-2-4.7 regarding levelized billing plans for non-municipal electric utilities under the jurisdiction of the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission (“IURC” or “Commission”) for the approval of rates and charges; and

**WHEREAS**, for these electric utilities, and no later than April 1, 2026, IC 8-1-2-4.7(e)(2) requires the utilities to offer an opt-out mechanism for levelized billing plans, IC 8-1-2-4.7(f) requires the utilities to provide written notice regarding their levelized billing plans, and IC 8-1-2-4.7(g) requires the utilities to post information on their websites regarding their levelized billing plans; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to IC 8-1-2-4.7(e)(1), the utilities must begin applying a levelized billing plan to all active customer accounts that are eligible and have applied for assistance from a home energy assistance program, beginning with the first monthly billing cycle that begins after June 30, 2026; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to IC 8-1-2-4.7(e)(3), and not later than July 1, 2026, the utilities must amend or design their levelized billing plans to comply with the reconciliation mechanism described in IC 8-1-2-4.7(a)(3); and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to IC 8-1-2-38 and 39, public utilities must file their rates and charges and their rules and regulations with the Commission, and, pursuant to 170 IAC 4-1-13(f), public utilities must file their alternative billing plans and receive approval for those plans from the Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commission’s 30-day Administrative Filing Rule, 170 IAC 1-6, allows for the filing of rules and regulations with the Commission through an abbreviated approval process;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED** that regulated electric utilities shall file their levelized billing plans, rules, regulations, and tariffs, as applicable and as may be required by Ind. Code 8-1-2-4.7, for Commission approval through the Commission’s 30-day Administrative Filing Rule, 170 IAC 1-6.

**ZAY, DEIG, SWINGER, VELETA, AND ZIEGNER CONCUR:**

**APPROVED: MAR 04 2026**

**I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the resolution as approved.**

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**Dana Kosco, Secretary of the Commission**