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**NOTICE: ATTORNEY/WITNESS ATTESTATION REQUIREMENTS FOR
VIRTUAL HEARINGS**

Pursuant to its duties under Public Utilities Article (“PUA”), *Annotated Code of Maryland*, § 3-104, the Commission hereby requires attorneys that participate in virtual evidentiary hearings and sponsor a witness to attest – either verbally or in writing – that the witness they represent is alone in a separate room and not in communication with any other individual.

An attorney may provide the attestation verbally at the outset of a hearing.

This requirement applies to all evidentiary hearings conducted by the Commission and the Public Utility Law Division, as well as to any delegated proceeding.

By Direction of the Chairman,

/s/ Andrew S. Johnston

Andrew S. Johnston
Executive Secretary