**BEFORE**

**THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

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| In the Matter of the Commission’s Investigation into PALMco Power OH, LLC dba Indra Energy and PALMco Energy OH, LLC dba Indra Energy’s Compliance with the Ohio Administrative Code and Potential Remedial Actions for Non-Compliance. | )  )  )  )  )  )  )  ) | Case No. 19-957-GE-COI |

**NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION FOR REHEARING**

**BY**

**OFFICE OF THE OHIO CONSUMERS’ COUNSEL**

The Office of the Ohio Consumers’ Counsel (“OCC”) through this notice, withdraws its February 28, 2020 Application for Rehearing of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio’s (“PUCO”) January 29, 2020 Opinion and Order in this matter.[[1]](#footnote-2)

On March 11, 2020, the PUCO opened a second investigation regarding PALMco’s[[2]](#footnote-3) alleged unconscionable acts or practices with respect to its provision of competitive retail electric and natural gas service to Ohio consumers.[[3]](#footnote-4) The PUCO Staff, OCC, and PALMco subsequently engaged in extensive settlement negotiations. On September 21, 2021, a Joint Stipulation and Recommendation (“PALMco 2 Settlement”) signed by the PUCO Staff, PALMco, and OCC was filed in the PALMco 2 case.

Section III.8 of the PALMco 2 Settlement states:

In consideration for PALMco’s commitments in paragraphs III.1) through 7), OCC agrees to file a notice to withdraw its pending application for rehearing in Case No. 19-0957-GE-COI after this Stipulation has been approved by the PUCO without Material Modification (as defined below) no later than twenty (20) business days after OCC receives unredacted copies of Exhibits A & B of this Stipulation.

On October 20, 2021, the PUCO approved the PALMco 2 Settlement without modification.[[4]](#footnote-5) PALMco subsequently provided to OCC the unredacted Exhibits A & B to the PALMco 2 Settlement.

In accordance with Section III.8 of the PALMco 2 Settlement, OCC withdraws its February 28, 2020 Application for Rehearing of the PUCO’s January 29, 2020 Opinion and Order.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of this Notice of Withdrawal was provided to the persons listed below electronically this 26th day of November 2021.

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1. On March 25, 2020, the PUCO issued an Entry on Rehearing granting OCC’s February 28, 2020 Application for Rehearing for the purpose of further consideration. The PUCO has not yet issued a final order on rehearing. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
2. PALMco Power OH, LLC d/b/a Indra Energy and PALMco Energy OH, LLC d/b/a Indra Energy. [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
3. *In the Matter of the Commission’s Investigation Into PALMco Power OH, LLC dba Indra Energy and PALMco Energy OH, LLC dba Indra Energy’s Compliance with the Ohio Administrative Code and Potential Remedial Action*, Case No. 19-2153-GE-COI (“PALMco 2”), Entry (March 11, 2020). [↑](#footnote-ref-4)
4. Case No. 19-2153-GE-COI, Finding and Order (October 20, 2021). [↑](#footnote-ref-5)