BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

Case No. 07-375-EL-CSS

ENTRY

The Attorney Examiner, in carrying out the authority granted by Rule 4901-1-14, Ohio Administrative Code (O.A.C.), finds:

- (1) On April 4, 2007, Anthony T. McFarland (complainant) filed a complaint against The Dayton Power and Light Company (DP&L or respondent). DP&L filed an answer on April 19, 2007, generally denying the material allegations of the complaint. Also in its answer, DP&L requested that the Commission dismiss the complaint or, in the alternative set this matter for mediation.
- (2) A prehearing settlement conference was scheduled for this case on November 1, 2007, by Attorney Examiner entry issued October 18, 2007. DP&L appeared at the November 1, 2007 settlement conference, but Mr. McFarland did not. Subsequent attempts by the Attorney Examiner to reach Mr. McFarland by telephone have been unsuccessful.
- (3) Accordingly, Mr. McFarland is directed to file by April 15, 2008, a statement identifying dates in May or June 2008 that he would be prepared to attend a prehearing settlement conference at the Commission offices in Columbus. In the event that Mr. McFarland does not file a statement identifying dates for a settlement conference, the Attorney Examiner will recommend to the Commission that this complaint be dismissed for lack of prosecution.

It is, therefore,

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ORDERED, That Mr. McFarland file a statement indicating proposed settlement conference dates in accordance with finding (3). It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this entry be served upon Mr. McFarland by certified mail and regular mail, and upon DP&L by regular mail.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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Secretary