BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

)	Case No. 10-388-EL-SSO
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ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) Ohio Edison Company (OE), The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company (CEI), and The Toledo Edison Company (TE) (collectively, FirstEnergy) are public utilities as defined in Section 4905.02, Revised Code, and, as such, are subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission.
- (2) On March 23, 2010, FirstEnergy filed an application, pursuant to Section 4928.141, Revised Code, for a SSO for the period between June 1, 2011, and May 31, 2014. This application is for an ESP, in accordance with Section 4928.143, Revised Code, and the application includes a stipulation agreed to by various parties regarding the terms of the proposed ESP.
- (3) On March 24, 2010, the attorney examiner issued an entry establishing a procedural schedule (March 24 Entry). The March 24 Entry also granted intervention to those parties who intervened in its recent market rate offer proceeding, Case No. 09-906-EL-SSO.
- (4) Additionally, the March 24 Entry scheduled the evidentiary hearing to commence on April 20, 2010, at 10:00 a.m., at the offices of the Commission, 180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor, Hearing Room 11-A, Columbus, Ohio, and stated that the local public hearings would be scheduled by subsequent entry.
- (5) Pursuant to the March 24 Entry and in order to provide customers of FirstEnergy a reasonable opportunity to provide public testimony in this proceeding, the following local public hearings will be conducted on the following dates:

- (a) Monday, April 19, 2010, at 6:00 p.m., at the Oliver R. Ocasek Government Center, 161 South High Street, Akron, Ohio 44308.
- (b) Monday, April 19, 2010, at 6:00 p.m., at the Michael V. Disalle Government Center, One Government Center, County Commissioners Hearing Room, 1st Floor, 640 Jackson Street, Toledo, Ohio 43624.
- (c) Tuesday, April 20, 2010, at 1:00 p.m., at the Frank J. Lausche State Office Building, 2nd Floor Auditorium, 615 West Superior Avenue, 6th and Superior, Cleveland, Ohio 44113.
- (d) Tuesday, April 20, 2010, at 6:00 p.m., at the Garfield Heights Civic Center, Lower Level, Council Chambers, 5407 Turney Road, Garfield Heights, Ohio 44125.
- (e) Wednesday, April 21, 2010, at 6:00 p.m., at the Austintown Middle School Auditorium, 800 South Raccoon Road, Austintown, Ohio 44515.
- (f) Wednesday, April 21, 2010, at 6:00 p.m., at the North Ridgeville Education Center, Community Room, 5490 Mills Creek Lane, North Ridgeville, Ohio 44039.
- (g) Thursday, April 22, 2010, at 6:00 p.m., at the Springfield City Hall, City Forum 1st Floor, 76 East High Street, Springfield, Ohio 45502.
- (h) Tuesday, April 27, 2010, at 6:00 p.m., at the Lakeland Community College, Performing Arts Theater, D Building - 1st Floor, 7700 Clocktower Drive, Kirtland, Ohio 44094.
- (6) Pursuant to Rule 4901:1-35-06(A), O.A.C., FirstEnergy should publish legal notice of the application and scheduled local and evidentiary hearings in a newspaper of general circulation in each county in its service territory. Publication of the notice should be completed by April 16, 2010. The hearing notice

should not appear in the legal notices section of the newspaper. The notice should read as follows:

LEGAL NOTICE

The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio has scheduled local hearings and an evidentiary hearing in Case No. 10-388-EL-SSO, In the Matter of the Application of Ohio Edison Company, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, and The Toledo Edison Company for Authority to Establish a Standard Service Offer Pursuant to Section 4928.143, Revised Code, in the Form of an Electric Security Plan. In this proceeding, the Commission will consider the companies' application and stipulation and recommendation requesting approval of an electric security plan filed on March 23, 2010, and matters related to the companies' procurement of power for the period of June 1, 2011, through May 31, 2014.

The local hearings are scheduled for the purpose of providing an opportunity for interested members of the public to testify in this proceeding. The local hearings will be held as follows:

- (a) Monday, April 19, 2010, at 6:00 p.m., at the OliverR. Ocasek Government Center, 161 South HighStreet, Akron, Ohio 44308.
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The evidentiary hearing regarding the provisions of the companies' electric security plan will commence on Tuesday, April 20, 2010, at 10:00 a.m., at the offices of the Commission, Hearing Room 11-A, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

Further information may be obtained by contacting the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793, viewing the Commission's web page at http://www.puc.state.oh.us, or contacting the Commission's call center at 1-800-686-7826.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That the evidentiary hearing in this proceeding be held as set forth in finding (4). It is, further,

ORDERED, That local public hearings in this proceeding be held as set forth in finding (5). It is, further,

ORDERED, That FirstEnergy publish notice of the hearings as set forth in finding (6). It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon all parties of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

By: Kimberly W. Bojko Attorney Examiner

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Reneé J. Jenkins

Secretary