

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of Ohio )  
Power Company to Amend Its Supplier ) Case No. 13-729-EL-ATA  
Coordination Tariff and Related )  
Contracts. )

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) Ohio Power Company (Ohio Power or the Company) is a public utility as defined in Section 4905.02, Revised Code, and an electric utility as defined in Section 4928.01(A)(11), Revised Code, and, as such, is subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission.
- (2) On March 22, 2013, Ohio Power filed an application pursuant to Section 4909.18, Revised Code, seeking approval of changes to its electric generation supplier tariff and its competitive retail electric service (CRES) provider agreement. Ohio Power states that the proposed changes will provide greater clarity with respect to the registration requirements and terms of service applicable to CRES providers, as well as more consistency and standardization among utilities, in accordance with Rule 4901:1-10-29(B), Ohio Administrative Code. Ohio Power further states that the proposed changes will update settlement and pricing services offered by the Company, revise supplier registration requirements, and update other sections that reflect the Company's assessment of best practices found in the tariffs of other utilities offering retail access services in Ohio. Ohio Power notes that, upon approval of its proposed updated CRES agreement, CRES providers will be migrated from their existing agreements to the new agreement. Ohio Power submits that approval of the application will not result in an increase in any rate or charge, and, therefore, that the application should be considered as an application not for an increase in rates under Section 4909.18, Revised Code.

- (3) In order to assist the Commission in its review of Ohio Power's application, the attorney examiner finds that a comment period should be established. Interested persons are invited to file written comments with the Commission's docketing division by July 8, 2013. Reply comments should be filed by July 22, 2013.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That interested persons file initial and reply comments on Ohio Power's application in accordance with finding (3). It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this entry be served upon all parties and other interested persons of record in this case and all parties of record in Case No. 11-346-EL-SSO, *et al.*

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

s/Sarah Parrot

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By: Sarah J. Parrot  
Attorney Examiner

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry ordered interested persons to file initial and reply comments on Ohio Power's application in accordance with finding (3). - electronically filed by Sandra Coffey on behalf of Sarah Parrot, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio