

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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In the matter of the :
Application of the Ohio:
Development Services :
Agency for an Order :
Approving Adjustments :Case No. 13-1296-EL-USF
to the Universal :
Service Fund Riders of :
Jurisdictional Ohio :
Electric Distribution :
Utilities. :

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PROCEEDINGS

Before Ms. Greta See, Hearing Examiner, at the
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 East
Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio, Hearing Room 11D,
on Monday, December 2, 2013, at 11:00 a.m.

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Monday Morning Session,
December 2, 2013.

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HEARING EXAMINER SEE: Scheduled for
hearing before the Public Utilities Commission
of Ohio at this time is Case No. 13-1296-EL-USF
entitled in the Matter of the Application of the
Ohio Development Services Agency for an Order
Approving Adjustments to the Universal Service
Fund Riders of Jurisdictional Ohio Electric
Distribution Utilities.

My name is Greta See. I'm the
Attorney Examiner assigned to the proceeding by
the Commission.

At this time I'd like to take
appearances of the parties; first on behalf of
the Ohio Development Services Agency.

MR. STINSON: Yes, Your Honor. On
behalf of the Ohio Development Services Agency,
Dane Stinson and J. Thomas Siwo, Bricker &
Eckler, LLP, 100 South Third Street, Columbus,
Ohio, 43215.

HEARING EXAMINER SEE: On behalf of
the Staff of the Commission.

MR. MCNAMEE: On behalf of the Staff

of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, I'm
Thomas W. McNamee, Assistant Attorney General.
The address is 180 East Broad street, Columbus,
Ohio.

HEARING EXAMINER SEE: On behalf of
Ohio Consumers' Counsel.

MR. SERIO: Thank you, Your Honor.
On behalf of the residential customers of the
State of Ohio, Bruce J. Weston, Consumers'
Counsel, by Joseph P. Serio.

HEARING EXAMINER SEE: On behalf of
Ohio Partners for Affordable Energy.

MS. MOONEY: On behalf of Ohio
Partners for Affordable Energy I'm Colleen L.
Mooney, 231 West Lima Street, Findlay, Ohio.

HEARING EXAMINER SEE: On behalf of
the Industrial Energy Users of Ohio.

MR. PRITCHARD: Good morning, Your
Honor. My name is Matt Pritchard on behalf of
the Industrial Energy Users of Ohio. I'm with
the law firm of McNees, Wallace & Nurick, 21
East State Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

MR. STINSON: Your Honor, each of the
electric distribution utilities have authorized
me to make their appearance on their behalf so

1 if I could proceed.

2 HEARING EXAMINER SEE: Please do.

3 MR. STINSON: On behalf of AEP
 4 Service Corporation, Ohio Power, Steven T.
 5 Nourse, Matthew J. Satterwhite, 1 Riverside
 6 Plaza, Columbus, Ohio 43215; on behalf of The
 7 Dayton Power & Light Company, Randall V.
 8 Griffin, Judi L. Sobecki, MacGregor Park, 1065
 9 Woodman Avenue, Dayton, Ohio 45432; on behalf of
 10 Duke Energy Ohio, Elizabeth H. Watts, 155 East
 11 Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215; and on
 12 behalf of FirstEnergy Corporation, Carrie M.
 13 Dunn, 76 South Main Street, Akron, Ohio, 44308.

14 HEARING EXAMINER SEE: Thank you.
 15 And Mr. Stinson, do you want to continue?

16 MR. STINSON: Yes, Your Honor. The
 17 majority of the parties in this proceeding have
 18 entered into a Joint Stipulation and
 19 Recommendation which if adopted by the
 20 Commission would resolve all of the issues in
 21 this proceeding. Pursuant to that stipulation
 22 the signatory parties have agreed that certain
 23 documents should be offered for admission into
 24 evidence. I have already handed those to the
 25 Court Reporter, and those documents are the

1 Application filed November 8, 2013, which has
 2 been marked as ODSA Exhibit 1; the prefilled
 3 written testimony of Randall Hunt filed November
 4 8, 2013, which has been marked as ODSA Exhibit
 5 2; the prefilled direct written testimony of
 6 Susan M. Moser filed November 8, 2013, which has
 7 been marked as ODSA Exhibit 3; the revised
 8 exhibits to the testimony of Susan M. Moser
 9 filed November 27, 2013, which has been marked
 10 as ODSA Exhibit 3A; and finally is the Joint
 11 Stipulation and Recommendation filed November
 12 27, 2013, which has been marked as Joint Exhibit
 13 1.

14 HEARING EXAMINER SEE: Okay.
 15 Exhibits are so marked.

16 (EXHIBITS HEREBY MARKED.)

17 HEARING EXAMINER SEE: Are there any
 18 objections to the admission of ODSA Exhibits 1
 19 through 3?

20 MR. MCNAMEE: None.

21 MR. PRITCHARD: None, Your
 22 Honor.

23 MR. SERIO: No, Your Honor.

24 HEARING EXAMINER SEE: Are there any
 25 objections to the admission of Joint Exhibit 1,

1 the Stipulation and Recommendation?

2 MR. MCNAMEE: None.

3 MR. PRITCHARD: None, Your Honor.

4 MR. SERIO: No, Your Honor.

5 HEARING EXAMINER SEE: With that,
6 ODSA Exhibits 1 through 3 and the Joint
7 Stipulation and Recommendation are admitted into
8 the record.

9 (EXHIBITS HEREBY ADMITTED.)

10 HEARING EXAMINER SEE: I note,
11 however, that Staff is not a signatory to the
12 stipulation. Does Staff plan to oppose the
13 stipulation?

14 MR. MCNAMEE: No, Your Honor. As has
15 been Staff's practice for a number of years now,
16 the Staff does a review of the mathematical
17 accuracy of the filing. That has been done in
18 this case. There is no problem, and Staff has
19 no opposition to the stipulation.

20 HEARING EXAMINER SEE: Thank you,
21 Mr. McNamee. Mr. Serio, I also note that OCC
22 has not signed.

23 MR. SERIO: OCC does not oppose, OCC
24 does not support.

25 MR. STINSON: If I may, Your Honor,

1 Duke Energy, Elizabeth Watts, in my conversation
2 with her, she's authorized me to make her
3 appearance today and also to state that Duke
4 Energy has not signed but will not oppose the
5 stipulation.

6 HEARING EXAMINER SEE: Thank you.
7 With that, I'll note that this docket will
8 remain open to address issues that ODSA has
9 agreed to review, and if there's nothing
10 further --

11 MR. STINSON: Nothing.

12 HEARING EXAMINER SEE: -- the hearing
13 is adjourned. Thank you all.

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15 Thereupon, at 11:15 a.m. the hearing
16 was adjourned.

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CERTIFICATE

I do hereby certify that the foregoing
is a true and correct transcript of the
proceedings taken by me in this matter before
the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, on
Monday, December 2, 2013.

Iris I. Dillion
Registered Professional
Reporter.

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