

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of Duke)
Energy Ohio, Inc. for Administration of the)
Significantly Excessive Earnings Test) Case No. 14-577-EL-UNC
Under R.C. 4928.143(F) and Ohio)
Adm.Code 4901:1-35-10 for 2013.)

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) Duke Energy Ohio, Inc. (Duke) is a public utility as defined in R.C. 4905.02 and, as such, is subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission.
- (2) Pursuant to the directives of R.C. 4928.143(F), the Commission is required to evaluate the earnings of each electric utility's approved electric security plan to determine whether the plan or offer produces significantly excessive earnings for the electric utility. On April 30, 2014, Duke filed an application for the administration of the significantly excessive earnings test, as required by R.C. 4928.143(F) and Ohio Adm.Code 4901:1-35-10 for 2013.
- (3) In order to accomplish a review of Duke's application, the following procedural schedule is established for this proceeding:
 - (a) May 23, 2014 – deadline for the filing of motions to intervene.
 - (b) May 30, 2014 – deadline for the filing of testimony on behalf of Staff and intervenors.
 - (c) The evidentiary hearing shall commence on June 5, 2014, at 10:00 a.m., at the offices of the Commission, Hearing Room 11-C, 180 E. Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio.
- (4) In addition, in the event that Duke comes to an agreement with some or all of the parties in this case on some or all of the facts or issues in this case, the attorney examiner finds it appropriate to set forth a schedule for the filing of such stipulations prior to

the commencement of the hearing in this case. Accordingly, Duke must file any applicable stipulation, by 9:00 a.m., on June 4, 2014.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That the procedural schedule for this proceeding be adopted as set forth in finding (3). It is, further,

ORDERED, That the parties adhere to the directive set forth in finding (4). It is, further,

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

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

s/ Christine M.T. Pirik

By: Christine M.T. Pirik
Attorney Examiner

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry establishing procedural schedule in this case;
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