BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Complaint of Daniel George,)
Complainant,)
v.) Case No. 14-305-EL-CSS
Ohio Power Company,)
Respondent.)

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) On February 25, 2014, Mr. Daniel George (Complainant) filed a complaint against Ohio Power Company (AEP-Ohio). The Complainant alleges that AEP-Ohio is responsible for a power fluctuation that damaged his household electrical items.
- (2) On March 18, 2014, AEP-Ohio filed an answer and a motion to dismiss.
- (3) By Entry issued April 22, 2014, the attorney examiner scheduled a settlement conference. The parties appeared for the conference on May 22, 2014, but were unable to negotiate a resolution.
- (4) The attorney examiner finds that Complainant has presented reasonable grounds for complaint that the motion to dismiss should be denied, and that this case should be scheduled for a hearing on June 27, 2014, at 10:00 a.m. at the offices of the Commission, 180 East Broad Street, Hearing Room 11-D, 11th floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793.
- (5) Any party intending to present direct, expert testimony should comply with Ohio Adm.Code 4901-1-29(A)(1)(h), which requires that all such testimony to be offered in this type of proceeding be filed and served upon all parties no later than seven days prior to the commencement of the hearing.

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(6) As is the case in all Commission complaint proceedings, the complainant has the burden of proving the allegations of the complaint. *Grossman v. Public. Util. Comm.*, 5 Ohio St.2d 189, 214 N.E.2d 666 (1966).

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That a hearing be held on June 27, 2014, at 10:00 a.m. at the offices of the Commission, 180 East Broad Street, Hearing Room 11-D, 11th floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793. It is, further,

ORDERED, That any party intending to present expert testimony comply with Finding (5). It is, further,

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

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

s/ L. Douglas Jennings

By: L. Douglas Jennings Attorney Examiner

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