

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of)
Ohio Power Company for Authority to)
Establish a Standard Service Offer) Case No. 13-2385-EL-SSO
Pursuant to R.C. 4928.143, in the Form)
of an Electric Security Plan.)

In the Matter of the Application of)
Ohio Power Company for Approval of) Case No. 13-2386-EL-AAM
Certain Accounting Authority.)

ENTRY ON REHEARING

The Commission finds:

- (1) Ohio Power Company d/b/a AEP Ohio (AEP Ohio) is a public utility as defined in R.C. 4905.02, and, as such, is subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission.
- (2) On December 20, 2013, AEP Ohio filed an application for a standard service offer, in the form of an electric security plan (ESP), pursuant to R.C. 4928.143.
- (3) On February 25, 2015, the Commission issued its Opinion and Order, approving AEP Ohio's proposed ESP, with certain modifications.
- (4) R.C. 4903.10 states that any party who has entered an appearance in a Commission proceeding may apply for a rehearing with respect to any matters determined therein by filing an application within 30 days after the entry of the order upon the Commission's journal.
- (5) On March 26, 2015, the Ohio Hospital Association (OHA) filed an application for rehearing of the Commission's Opinion and Order. On March 27, 2015, applications for rehearing were filed by Ohio

Partners for Affordable Energy (OPAE) and Appalachian Peace and Justice Network (APJN) (jointly, OPAE/APJN); Industrial Energy Users-Ohio (IEU-Ohio); Interstate Gas Supply, Inc. (IGS); Ohio Manufacturers' Association Energy Group (OMAEG); Constellation NewEnergy, Inc. and Exelon Generation, LLC (jointly, Constellation); AEP Ohio; Ohio Consumers' Counsel (OCC); Environmental Law & Policy Center, Ohio Environmental Council, and Environmental Defense Fund (collectively, Environmental Advocates); and Retail Energy Supply Association (RESA). Memoranda contra the various applications for rehearing were filed by Direct Energy Services, LLC and Direct Energy Business, LLC, OPAE/APJN, Environmental Advocates, IEU-Ohio, Ohio Energy Group, OMAEG, FirstEnergy Solutions Corp., IGS, OCC, AEP Ohio, RESA, and Constellation on April 6, 2015.

- (6) The Commission believes that sufficient reason has been set forth by OHA, OPAE/APJN, IEU-Ohio, IGS, OMAEG, Constellation, AEP Ohio, OCC, Environmental Advocates, and RESA to warrant further consideration of the matters specified in the applications for rehearing. Accordingly, the applications for rehearing filed by OHA, OPAE/APJN, IEU-Ohio, IGS, OMAEG, Constellation, AEP Ohio, OCC, Environmental Advocates, and RESA should be granted.

It is, therefore,

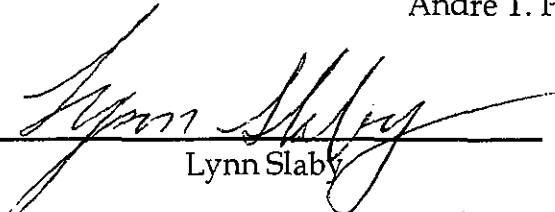
ORDERED, That the applications for rehearing filed by OHA, OPAE/APJN, IEU-Ohio, IGS, OMAEG, Constellation, AEP Ohio, OCC, Environmental Advocates, and RESA be granted for further consideration of the matters specified in the applications for rehearing. It is, further,

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

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO



Andre T. Porter, Chairman



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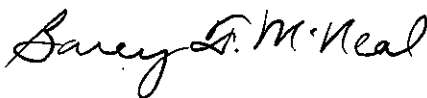


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