

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of)
Ohio Edison Company, The Cleveland)
Electric Illuminating Company, and)
The Toledo Edison Company for) Case No. 14-1297-EL-SSO
Authority to Provide for a Standard)
Service Offer Pursuant to R.C. 4928.143)
in the Form of an Electric Security Plan.)

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) Ohio Edison Company, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, and The Toledo Edison Company (collectively, FirstEnergy) are electric distribution utilities as defined in R.C. 4298.01(A)(6) and public utilities as defined in R.C. 4905.02 and, as such, are subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission.
- (2) On August 4, 2014, FirstEnergy filed an application pursuant to R.C. 4928.141 to provide for a standard service offer (SSO) to provide generation pricing for the period of June 1, 2016, through May 31, 2019. The application is for an electric security plan (ESP), in accordance with R.C. 4928.143.
- (3) By Entry issued March 23, 2015, the attorney examiner established the current procedural schedule in this proceeding. According to the procedural schedule, the prehearing conference was set to take place on June 2, 2015, and the hearing was set to convene on June 15, 2015.
- (4) On December 22, 2014, FirstEnergy filed a stipulation and recommendation, recommending improvements to FirstEnergy's ESP, which has been submitted for Commission review in this proceeding. The parties to the stipulation in support include: Ohio Power Company, Ohio Energy Group, City of Akron, Council of Smaller Enterprises, Cleveland Housing Network, Consumer Protection Association, Council for Economic Opportunities in Greater Cleveland, Citizens Coalition, Nucor Steel

Marion, Inc., Material Science Corp., Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of Ohio, and the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 245.

- (5) On May 28, 2015, FirstEnergy filed a supplemental stipulation and recommendation, modifying certain portions of the December 22, 2014 stipulation and adding additional provisions.
- (6) In order to afford Staff and intervenors sufficient time to review the supplemental stipulation and its impact on the proposed ESP, the attorney examiner finds that the procedural schedule should be modified as follows:
 - (a) The prehearing conference currently scheduled for June 2, 2015, at 10:00 a.m., will proceed, as scheduled, at the offices of the Commission, 180 East Broad Street, Hearing Room 11-A, Columbus, Ohio, in order to resolve pending discovery issues. Any party or interested person who has filed a motion related to discovery or a memorandum contra such motion should attend the prehearing conference.
 - (b) Testimony on behalf of the Staff should be filed by July 10, 2015.
 - (c) A prehearing conference shall be scheduled for July 14, 2015, at 10:00 a.m., at the offices of the Commission, 180 East Broad Street, Hearing Room 11-A, Columbus, Ohio.
 - (d) The evidentiary hearing shall convene on July 27, 2015, at 10:00 a.m., at the offices of the Commission, 180 East Broad Street, Hearing Room 11-A, Columbus, Ohio.
- (7) Additionally, the attorney examiner notes that any further changes to the procedural schedule will be addressed at the June 2, 2015 prehearing conference.

- (8) The attorney examiner also instructs parties attending the prehearing conference scheduled for July 14, 2015, to be prepared to identify any witness that will testify in the evidentiary hearing, provide the subject matter of any witness testimony, and indicate dates on which the witness is unavailable to testify, pursuant to Ohio Adm.Code 4901-1-26(A)(3).
- (9) Motions for admission pro hac vice were also filed on behalf of Richard Lehfeltdt to appear on behalf of CPV Shore, LLC, and Carrie M. Harris to appear on behalf of Wal-Mart Stores East, LP, and Sam's East, Inc. No party filed memoranda contra the motions for admission pro hac vice. The attorney examiner finds that the motions for admission pro hac vice are reasonable and should be granted.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That the modified procedural schedule set forth in Finding (6) be observed by the parties. It is, further,

ORDERED, That the motions for admission pro hac vice filed by Richard Lehfeltdt and Carrie M. Harris be granted. It is, further,

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

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

s/Megan Addison

By: Megan J. Addison
Attorney Examiner

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry modifying the procedural schedule as set forth in Finding (6) and granting the motions for admission pro hac vice filed by Richard Lehfeldt and Carrie Harris. - electronically filed by Sandra Coffey on behalf of Megan Addison, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio