BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of Complaint of Direct Energy Business, LLC,)
Complainant,)
V.)
Duke Energy Ohio, Inc.,)
Respondent.)

Case No. 14-1277-EL-CSS

MOTION TO MODIFY BRIEFING SCHEDUE AND REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT OF DIRECT ENERGY BUSINESS, LLC

In accordance with Ohio Adm. Code 4901-1-13, Direct Energy Business, LLC (Direct) moves for an extension of the briefing schedule in this proceeding. Good cause exists to grant this motion, which is expressed in the accompanying Memorandum in Support.

MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT

On June 13, 2017, the parties held a hearing in this proceeding and agreed to a briefing schedule, with initial briefs due on July 21, and reply briefs due on August 11.

Due to intervening circumstances, Direct hereby requests a modification to the briefing schedule set at hearing. Specifically, Direct requests that the schedule be extended by three weeks, which would cause initial briefs to be due on Friday, August 11, and reply briefs to be due Friday, September 1.

Direct has confirmed with counsel for Duke Energy Ohio that Duke does not oppose this motion. Direct represents that this request is not being made for the purposes of delay and requests expedited treatment of this motion in accordance with Ohio Adm. Code 4901-1-12(C).

For the foregoing reasons, Direct respectfully requests that the Commission grant its request for modification of the briefing schedule as detailed above, on an expedited basis.

Dated: July 18, 2017

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Motion was served by electronic mail this

18th day of July, 2017, to the following:

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