

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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In the Matter of the Joint:
Application of The Dayton :
Power and Light Company :
and Wright-Patterson Air : Case No. 14-1217-EL-AEC
Force Base for Approval of:
a Unique Arrangement. :

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PROCEEDINGS

before Ms. Anna Sanyal, Attorney Examiner, at the
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 East Broad
Street, Room 11-D, Columbus, Ohio, called at 10:00
a.m. on Tuesday, October 10, 2017.

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1 Tuesday Morning Session,
2 October 10, 2017.

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4 EXAMINER SANYAL: We will go on the
5 record.

6 The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
7 has assigned for hearing at this time and place Case
8 No. 14-1217-EL-AEC in the Matter of the Joint
9 Application of The Dayton Power and Light Company and
10 Wright-Patterson Air Force Base for Approval of a
11 Unique Arrangement.

12 I am the Attorney Examiner assigned by
13 the Commission to hear this case. At this time I
14 would like to take appearances. If Dayton Power and
15 Light would like to go first.

16 MR. GRIFFIN: Yes. My name is Randall
17 Griffin. I have given my business card to the court
18 reporter. For the record though my address is 1056
19 Woodman Drive in Dayton, Ohio.

20 MR. MENZA: My name is Thomas Menza. I
21 am an attorney for Wright-Patterson Air Force Base.
22 I also gave my business card to the court reporter,
23 and I'm stationed in Dayton, Ohio.

24 MR. McNAMEE: On behalf of the staff of
25 the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, I am Thomas

1 W. McNamee, Assistant Attorney General. The address
2 is 30 East Broad Street, 16th Floor, Columbus, Ohio
3 43215.

4 EXAMINER SANYAL: Mr. Griffin and
5 Mr. Menza, do you have your first witness?

6 MR. GRIFFIN: I do, your Honor. And
7 before we do that I would note that I've premarked
8 for your Honor two exhibits, and I think I've left
9 them -- left copies with you and distributed to the
10 other attorneys. I have premarked as Company Exhibit
11 1 the joint application which includes the formal
12 contract and then marked as Company Exhibit No. 2 the
13 prefiled testimony of Jessica Kellie.

14 EXAMINER SANYAL: Okay. Those shall be
15 so marked.

16 (EXHIBITS MARKED FOR IDENTIFICATION.)

17 MR. GRIFFIN: Thank you. And I would
18 call Ms. Kellie to the stand.

19 (Witness sworn.)

20 EXAMINER SANYAL: Thank you. Please be
21 seated and would you please state your name and spell
22 it for the record. Thank you.

23 THE WITNESS: Jessica Kellie,
24 J-E-S-S-I-C-A K-E-L-L-I-E

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JESSICA E. KELLIE

being first duly sworn, as prescribed by law, was
examined and testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

By Mr. Griffin:

Q. And, Ms. Kellie, could you state by whom
you are employed.

A. The Dayton Power and Light Company as a
regulatory analyst.

Q. Thank you. And did you cause -- did you
prepare or cause to be prepared under your
supervision and direction prefiled testimony
consisting of six pages?

A. Yes, I did.

Q. And do you have any changes to that
testimony today?

A. No.

Q. Thank you. Could you briefly state the
importance of Wright-Patterson Air Force Base to the
Dayton service territory and the State of Ohio
generally.

A. Yes. Wright-Patt is the single largest
employer in the State of Ohio employing more than
28,000 people who work and live in the Dayton region.
Wright-Patt contributes more than \$4.4 billion to the

1 total economic impact to the State of Ohio.

2 Q. Thank you. And we are here today to
3 discuss a unique arrangement. Has Wright-Patterson
4 ever had a unique arrangement with Dayton Power and
5 Light?

6 A. Yes.

7 Q. And is this unique arrangement that's
8 before the Commission today similar to what they've
9 had in the past?

10 A. Yes.

11 Q. Thank you. Could you state for the
12 record the conclusion as -- that you've reached as to
13 what the Commission should do with this unique
14 arrangement.

15 A. Yes. DP&L believes that the
16 Wright-Patterson unique arrangement is reasonable,
17 cost effective, and promotes state policy. Customers
18 and residents in the Dayton region benefit from over
19 28,000 jobs currently at the base and indirect jobs
20 supporting base missions. The region will benefit
21 from the retention and potential new jobs that are
22 coming to the base. The State of Ohio benefits from
23 the job retention, job growth, and tax bases this
24 unique arrangement DP&L provides. DP&L respectfully
25 requests the Commission to approve the unique

1 arrangement as filed and find the total cost of the
2 unique arrangement is covered -- recovered through
3 the company's economic development rider.

4 Q. Thank you. And does that conclude your
5 testimony?

6 A. Yes.

7 MR. GRIFFIN: Your Honor, Ms. Kellie is
8 available for cross-examination.

9 EXAMINER SANYAL: Mr. McNamee?

10 MR. McNAMEE: I have no questions. Thank
11 you.

12 EXAMINER SANYAL: You may step down.

13 MR. GRIFFIN: And, your Honor, that
14 concludes the company's evidentiary presentation and
15 I would move into evidence Company Exhibit 1 and
16 Company Exhibit 2.

17 EXAMINER SANYAL: They have been
18 admitted.

19 (EXHIBITS ADMITTED INTO EVIDENCE.)

20 EXAMINER SANYAL: Mr. McNamee, do you
21 have any witnesses?

22 MR. McNAMEE: I have no one to call, your
23 Honor. Thank you.

24 EXAMINER SANYAL: Any other matters that
25 we need to address?

MR. GRIFFIN: No, your Honor. I guess I would just note for the record that we are looking to get this to the Commission as soon as possible. It has a January 1 start date, and my understanding is there's a process at the base that takes a little bit of time to get through, so expedition would be appreciated.

EXAMINER SANYAL: I will duly note that.

MR. McNAMEE: One other thing to note, there are no members of the public here wanting to make a statement.

EXAMINER SANYAL: Thank you, sir.

Well, if there are no other matters to be addressed, then we will adjourn. We will take this under advisement, and as you have noted, we will issue an opinion as expediently as possible.

Thank you.

MR. GRIFFIN: Thank you, your Honor.

(Thereupon, at 10:04 a.m., the hearing was concluded.)

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CERTIFICATE

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is
a true and correct transcript of the proceedings
taken by me in this matter on Tuesday, October 10,
2017, and carefully compared with my original
stenographic notes.

Karen Sue Gibson

Karen Sue Gibson, Registered
Merit Reporter.

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