

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Complaint of Jasper	)	
Ross,	)	
	)	
Complainant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. 12-3342-EL-CSS
	)	
AEP Ohio, aka Ohio Power Company,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) The above-referenced complaint was filed on December 31, 2012. In the complaint, Jasper Ross (Mr. Ross) stated that he resolved his past bills in a conference with AEP Ohio, aka Ohio Power Company (Ohio Power), but has been unable to obtain electric service at his present address. Further, Mr. Ross stated that Ohio Power has conflicting records and that, according to the company, no security deposit was required in order to obtain service.
- (2) On January 22, 2013, Ohio Power filed an answer denying the allegations in the complaint.
- (3) On March 15, 2013, a settlement conference was held in an attempt to informally resolve this matter. The parties, however, were unable to reach a resolution of the issue presented in the complaint. Further, it appears that reasonable grounds for complaint have been presented.
- (4) Accordingly, a hearing in this matter should be scheduled to begin at 10:00 a.m., on May 9, 2013, in the offices of the Commission, Hearing Room 11-C, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793.
- (5) Any party intending to present direct expert testimony should comply with Rule 4901-I-29(A)(l)(h), Ohio Administrative Code, 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 commencement of the hearing.

- (6) In Commission proceedings, the complainant has the burden of proving the allegations in the complaint. Thus, at hearing, it shall be the complainant's responsibility to appear and be prepared to present evidence in support of the complaint.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That a hearing in this matter be scheduled for May 9, 2013, at 10:00 a.m., in Hearing Room 11-C, at the offices of the Commission, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793. It is, further,

ORDERED, That the terms of this entry be observed. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this entry be served upon each party of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

s/ Kerry K. Sheets

By: Kerry K. Sheets  
Attorney Examiner

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Secretary

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry scheduling hearing for May 9, 2013, at 10:00 a.m., electronically filed by Vesta R Miller on behalf of Kerry K. Sheets, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio