

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of )  
Ohio Power Company for Approval of )  
Full Legal Corporate Separation and ) Case No. 12-1126-EL-UNC  
Amendment to its Corporate Separation )  
Plan. )

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) Ohio Power Company (AEP Ohio) is a public utility as defined in Section 4905.02, Revised Code, and is subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission.
- (2) On March 30, 2012, AEP Ohio filed an application for approval of full legal corporate separation and amendment to its corporate separation plan. In its application, AEP Ohio requested to transfer its existing generating units and contractual entitlements to AEP Generation Resources, Inc. (AEP Genco). The contractual entitlements included the right to purchase power from generating resources owned by Ohio Valley Electric Corporation (OVEC), which AEP Ohio jointly owns.
- (3) On October 17, 2012, the Commission issued a finding and order, modifying and approving AEP Ohio's application for structural corporate separation, and permitting the transfer of AEP Ohio's contractual entitlements to AEP Genco.
- (4) On October 4, 2013, AEP Ohio filed an application to amend its corporate separation plan and a request for expedited relief. In support of its application, AEP Ohio explains that it has been unable to obtain the consent necessary to allow for AEP Ohio to transfer the OVEC contractual entitlements to AEP Genco. Consequently, AEP Ohio proposes to maintain the OVEC asset and requests that the Commission approve an amendment to AEP Ohio's corporate separation plan, exempting the OVEC contractual entitlements from AEP Ohio's impending corporate separation. AEP Ohio seeks expedited relief in order to effectively complete its corporate separation by December 31, 2013.

- (5) In order to assist the Commission in reviewing AEP Ohio's amendment application, the attorney examiner invites parties to file comments on the narrow issue contained within AEP Ohio's amendment application. Accordingly, the following comment schedule should be established:
- (a) October 29, 2013 – Deadline to file comments on AEP Ohio's amendment application.
  - (b) November 8, 2013 – Deadline to file reply comments.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That the procedural schedule in finding (5) be adopted. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this entry be served upon all parties of record in this case.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

s/Jonathan Tauber

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry orders procedural schedule in accordance with finding (5). - electronically filed by Sandra Coffey on behalf of Jonathan Tauber, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio