

**In the Matter of the Joint
Application for Integration of
Mercantile Customer Energy
Efficiency or Peak-Demand Reduction
Programs between Toledo Edison and**

The Electro Prime Group LLC (12-0042-EL-EEC)

Rule 4901:1-39-05(F), Ohio Administrative Code (O.A.C.), permits a mercantile customer to file, either individually or jointly with an electric utility, an application to commit the customer's existing demand reduction, demand response, and energy efficiency programs for integration with the electric utility's programs. In the above captioned case, The Electro Prime Group LLC and Toledo Edison filed a joint application in accordance with the mercantile application pilot program developed by Commission order in case 10-834-EL-EEC.

Upon review, Staff found that the requested exemption period for this case was calculated incorrectly. On May 16, 2012 the automatic approval process was suspended for case 12-0042-EL-EEC, pursuant to examiner entry, to allow the Company to amend the exemption period and provide Staff with the additional information for further review of the filing.

Based on its review of the application and subsequent amendments, Staff recommends approval of the mercantile commitment application. Further, on November 21, 2013 Staff filed a recommendation for approval of an exemption period for 137 months.

Staff notes that this mercantile commitment application should be approved providing The Electro Prime Group LLC with the following corrected exemption periods. This correction provides the appropriate exemption period for each facility location contained within the application, rather than one cumulative exemption period for the mercantile customer. Further, pursuant to case number 10-834-EL-EEC, Finding and Order (July 17, 2013), Staff recommends that the Company file ongoing Historical Mercantile Rider Exemption Annual Reports with the Staff to verify the Customer's approved rider exemption periods properly follow the Customer's actual energy savings and usage levels.

Customer Site	Location	Rider Exemption
Lint Avenue Plant	4510 Lint Avenue	67 months
Coatings Division	63 Dixie Hwy	70 months

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Summary: Staff Review and Recommendation electronically filed by Kristin L Braun on behalf of Braun, Kristin