

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Review of the Smart )  
Grid Modernization Initiative Contained )  
in the Tariffs of Ohio Edison Company, ) Case No. 12-406-EL-RDR  
The Cleveland Electric Illuminating )  
Company, and The Toledo Edison )  
Company. )

In the Matter of the Review of the Smart )  
Grid Modernization Initiative Contained )  
in the Tariffs of Ohio Edison Company, ) Case No. 13-549-EL-RDR  
The Cleveland Electric Illuminating )  
Company, and The Toledo Edison )  
Company. )

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) On January 20, 2012, Staff opened Case No. 12-406-EL-RDR for the 2011 annual review of the Advanced Metering Infrastructure/Modern Grid Rider (Rider AMI) of Ohio Edison Company, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, and The Toledo Edison Company (FirstEnergy or the Companies). On February 15, 2012, FirstEnergy filed a report in support of the 2011 review of Rider AMI. Staff filed initial comments on the report on February 19, 2013.
- (2) By entry issued March 6, 2013, the attorney examiner, inter alia, established deadlines for the filing of comments and reply comments. Comments were filed by Staff, Ohio Consumers' Counsel (OCC), and FirstEnergy. Reply comments were filed by Staff, OCC, and FirstEnergy.
- (3) On July 15, 2013, the attorney examiner set this matter for hearing and established a procedural schedule. On August 15, 2013, FirstEnergy requested a stay of the procedural schedule in order to allow the parties to engage in settlement discussions. The attorney examiner granted the motion for a stay of the procedural schedule on August 19, 2013. Reports on the status of settlement

negotiations were filed on August 30, 2013, September 30, 2013, October 31, 2013, December 6, 2013, January 31, 2014, March 5, 2014, and June 20, 2014.

- (4) On February 28, 2013, Staff opened Case No. 13-549-EL-RDR, for the 2012 annual review of Rider AMI. On August 8, 2013, Staff filed initial comments in the docket.
- (5) On June 20, 2014, FirstEnergy, OCC, and Staff filed a stipulation, recommending the resolution of all issues in both Case No. 12-406-EL-RDR and Case No. 13-549-EL-RDR.
- (6) The attorney examiner finds that a hearing should be held to consider the stipulation filed by the parties. Accordingly, this matter should be set for hearing on July 9, 2014, at 10:00 a.m., at the offices of the Commission, 180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor, Hearing Room 11-C, Columbus, Ohio 43215.
- (7) On March 4, 2014, OCC filed a motion to intervene in Case No. 13-549-EL-RDR. No party opposed the motion to intervene. The attorney examiner finds that the motion to intervene is reasonable and should be granted.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That an evidentiary hearing be held as set forth in Finding (6). It is, further,

ORDERED, That the motion to intervene filed by OCC in Case No. 13-549-EL-RDR be granted. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon all parties of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

s/Gregory Price

By: Gregory A. Price  
Attorney Examiner

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry scheduling an evidentiary hearing as set forth in Finding (6) and granting the motion to intervene filed by OCC in Case No. 13-549-EL-RDR. - electronically filed by Sandra Coffey on behalf of Gregory Price, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio