## **BEFORE**

## THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Complaint of	)	
Gwendolyn Tandy,	)	
	)	
Complainant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. 14-1241-EL-CSS
	)	
The Cleveland Electric Illuminating	)	
Company and FirstEnergy Solutions Corp.,	)	
	)	
Respondents.	)	

## **ENTRY**

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) On July 11, 2014, Gwendolyn Tandy (Complainant) filed a complaint with the Commission against the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company (CEI). In the complaint, Complainant states that she opted out of the electric aggregation program offered by the city of Euclid on September 9, 2013. Complainant claims that it took nine months for FirstEnergy Solutions Corp. (FES) to cancel. The Complainant states that the program was not a benefit to her, as the charges on her bill increased. The Complainant argues the program amounts to fraud and theft.
- (2) On August 4, 2014, CEI filed its answer to the complaint and a motion to dismiss.
- (3) The Complainant alleges that FES continued to provide her electric service for nine months after she opted out of the aggregation program. However, the complaint only lists CEI as a respondent in this matter. So that this matter can be addressed efficiently, the attorney examiner finds that FES is a necessary and indispensable party to this proceeding. As such, FES should be served with a copy of the complaint. FES shall file an answer or other responsive pleading to this complaint within 20 days of the journalization of this Entry.

It is, therefore,

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ORDERED, That FES be joined as an indispensable party to this proceeding. It is, further,

ORDERED, That the Commission's Docketing Division serve FES and its counsel with a copy of the complaint filed in this case. It is, further,

ORDERED, That FES comply with Finding (3). It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this entry be served upon Ms. Tandy, CEI and its counsel, FES and its counsel, and all other interested persons of record.

## THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

s/Greta See

By: Greta See

**Attorney Examiner** 

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry making FirstEnergy Solutions Corp. a party to this case; electronically filed by Vesta R Miller on behalf of Greta See, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio