

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of Duke)
Energy Ohio, Inc. for Tariff Approval) Case No. 14-2209-EL-ATA
Regarding Customer Energy Usage Data.)

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) On December 16, 2014, Duke Energy Ohio, Inc. (Duke) filed an application requesting approval of tariff language regarding customer energy usage data (CEUD). Duke explains this application is being filed pursuant to Commission orders from Case No. 12-3151-EL-COI, which required Duke to submit an amended tariff specifying the terms, conditions, and charges associated with providing interval CEUD. In this application, Duke proposes to amend its tariff to provide details related to exactly what certified retail electric service (CRES) providers may request, how such data will be provided, and at what cost.
- (2) By Entry on December 16, 2015, the Commission granted the motions to intervene by IGS Energy (IGS), Ohio Partners for Affordable Energy (OPAE), Retail Energy Supply Association (RESA), Direct Energy Business, LLC and Direct Energy Services, LLC (collectively, Direct), the Environmental Defense Fund (EDF), and Ohio Environmental Council (OEC).
- (3) Also on December 16, 2015, the Commission issued a procedural schedule. The schedule required Duke to file testimony by January 22, 2016, intervenors to file testimony by February 5, 2016, and a hearing to begin February 17, 2016. Subsequently, the attorney examiner has granted joint motions from the parties requesting adjustments to the procedural schedule. An evidentiary hearing is currently scheduled for May 4, 2016.
- (4) On April 8, 2016, the parties filed a joint motion requesting to suspend the procedural schedule. The parties state settlement discussions are ongoing and productive, and more time may allow them to resolve all the issues in the case.

- (6) The attorney examiner finds that the motion for suspension is reasonable and should be granted. If a resolution has not been reached by May 26, 2016, the parties are directed to file a status update informing the Commission on the progress of settlement discussions.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That the motion for a suspension of the procedural schedule be granted in accordance with Finding (6). It is, further,

ORDERED, That the parties file a status update regarding progress in this case by May 26, 2016. It is, further,

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

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

/s/ Nicholas Walstra

By: Nicholas Walstra
Attorney Examiner

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry ordering the motion for a suspension of the procedural schedule be granted in accordance with Finding (6); and that the parties file a status update regarding progress in this case by May 26, 2016 - electronically filed by Debra Hight on behalf of Nicholas Walstra, Attorney Examiner.