THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPLAINT OF JUDE MCDOWELL,

COMPLAINANT,

v.

CASE No. 17-1242-EL-CSS

THE DAYTON POWER & LIGHT COMPANY,

RESPONDENT.

ENTRY

Entered in the Journal on July 5, 2017

I. SUMMARY

{¶ 1} The Commission grants the joint motion to dismiss the complaint with prejudice as the parties represent that all issues and claims have been resolved.

II. DISCUSSION

- {¶ 2} Pursuant to R.C. 4905.26, the Commission has authority to consider written complaints filed against a public utility by any person or corporation regarding any rate, service, regulation, or practice relating to any service furnished by the public utility that is in any respect unjust, unreasonable, insufficient, or unjustly discriminatory.
- {¶ 3} Respondent, The Dayton Power and Light Company (DP&L), is a public utility as defined in R.C. 4905.02 and, as such, is subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission.
- {¶ 4} On May 12, 2017, Jude McDowell (Complainant) filed a complaint against DP&L alleging that Respondent has unreasonably refused to establish service in Complainant's name at his mobile home.
- {¶ 5} On June 1, 2017, DP&L filed its answer, admitting one, but denying all other of the allegations of the complaint, and setting forth several affirmative defenses.

- On June 12, 2017, Complainant and DP&L filed a joint motion to dismiss. In the motion, the parties advise the Commission that they have resolved the issues raised in the complaint and agreed to a settlement. Further, having resolved all issues and claims arising in conjunction with the matters set forth in this proceeding, the parties request that this complaint be dismissed with prejudice.
- In view of the settlement of the complaint, the Commission finds that this matter should be dismissed with prejudice and closed of record.

III. ORDER

- **{¶ 8**} It is, therefore,
- ORDERED, that the joint motion to dismiss be granted and that Case No. 17-1242-CSS be dismissed with prejudice and closed of record. It is, further,
 - **[¶ 10]** ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon each party of record.

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