

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

**IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPLAINT OF
PAUL D. COLLINS,**

COMPLAINANT,

CASE NO. 18-951-EL-CSS

v.

STAR ENERGY PARTNERS LLC.,

RESPONDENT.

ENTRY

Entered in the Journal on June 21, 2018

{¶ 1} Pursuant to Ohio Adm.Code 4901-1-13, upon a motion for good cause, a party may be granted an extension of time to file a pleading. Consistent with Ohio Adm.Code 4901-1-12, an immediate ruling may be issued without the filing of memoranda if the moving party certifies that no party objects to the issuance of such ruling.

{¶ 2} On June 20, 2017, Star Energy Partners LLC (Star) filed a motion requesting an extension of time until July 16, 2018, for the filing of its answer or other responsive pleading in this matter. In support of its motion, Star represents that the two parties to this case have engaged in settlement discussions and the prospect of settlement is promising. Star contends that the parties will be unable to finalize settlement discussions and agreements by the June 25, 2018 response deadline and, thus, Star requests an extension of 21 days, to July 16, 2018, to file its formal response to the complaint. Star submits that settlement of the complaint will eliminate the need of the parties to file responsive pleadings, result in time and cost savings to the parties, and promote administrative efficiency. Seeking to ensure that a timely ruling is made, Star seeks an expedited ruling on its motion and has certified that Complainant has been contacted regarding the request for time extension and does not object to it.

{¶ 3} The motion for time extension is reasonable and should be granted and Star should be granted an extension of time, until July 16, 2018, for the filing of its answer or other responsive pleading.

{¶ 4} It is, therefore,

{¶ 5} ORDERED, That the motion for an extension of time be granted in accordance with Paragraph (3). It is, further

{¶ 6} ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon all parties and interested persons of record.

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s/Daniel Fullin

By: Daniel E. Fullin
Attorney Examiner

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry granting motion for extension of time for Respondent to file its response to the complaint - electronically filed by Sandra Coffey on behalf of Daniel Fullin, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio