## THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE DAYTON POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY TO ESTABLISH A STANDARD SERVICE OFFER IN THE FORM OF AN ELECTRIC SECURITY PLAN.

CASE NO. 16-395-EL-SSO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE DAYTON POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF REVISED TARIFFS.

CASE NO. 16-396-EL-ATA

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE DAYTON POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF CERTAIN ACCOUNTING AUTHORITY.

CASE NO. 16-397-EL-AAM

## **ENTRY**

Entered in the Journal on November 20, 2018.

- {¶ 1} The Dayton Power and Light Company (DP&L) is a public utility as defined under R.C. 4905.02, and, as such, is subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission. On February 22, 2016, DP&L filed an application for a standard service offer pursuant to R.C. 4928.141. DP&L's application is for an electric security plan (ESP) in accordance with R.C. 4928.143. Additionally, DP&L filed accompanying applications for approval of revised tariffs and for approval of certain accounting authority.
- $\{\P\ 2\}$  Thereafter, on October 11, 2016, DP&L filed an amended application for an ESP.
- {¶ 3} On January 30, 2017, a stipulation and recommendation was filed by DP&L and various parties. Subsequently, on March 14, 2017, an amended stipulation and recommendation (Amended Stipulation) was filed by DP&L and various parties, including additional parties that were not part of the first stipulation.
- $\{\P 4\}$  On October 20, 2017, the Commission issued its Opinion and Order modifying and approving the Amended Stipulation. As part of the Opinion and Order, the

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Commission modified a provision within the Amended Stipulation mandating that DP&L file a comprehensive infrastructure modernization plan by the earlier of three months after the completion of the Commission's PowerForward initiative or February 1, 2018, unless an extension is recommended by Staff or granted by the Commission. Specifically, the Opinion and Order extended the deadline for filing the comprehensive infrastructure modernization plan to three months after the completion of the Commission's PowerForward initiative or August 1, 2018, unless otherwise ordered by the Commission. Subsequently, by Entry dated July 12, 2018, the attorney examiner sua sponte extended that deadline again. Pursuant to that Entry, DP&L was ordered to file its comprehensive infrastructure modernization plan by the earlier of three months after the completion of the Commission's PowerForward initiative or by December 3, 2018.

- {¶ 5} On August 29, 2018, the Commission completed the PowerForward initiative with the issuance of a report entitled, *PowerForward: A Roadmap to Ohio's Electricity Future*. Thus, DP&L's comprehensive infrastructure modernization plan is currently due on November 29, 2018, unless otherwise ordered by the Commission.
- {¶ 6} On November 16, 2018, DP&L filed a motion for an extension of time to file its distribution infrastructure modernization plan (Plan) and for expedited consideration of its request. DP&L explains that, although it has worked diligently to prepare its Plan, an extension of time is necessary for DP&L to more fully align the Plan with the Commission's PowerForward guidance. DP&L specifically asks for an extension of time until December 28, 2018, and represents that the brief extension will not prejudice the Commission or the parties. In support of its request for expedited consideration, DP&L states that it contacted all other parties to determine whether any party objects to expedited treatment and, as of the motion's filing, no party had raised an objection.
- {¶ 7} The attorney examiner finds that DP&L's motion for an extension of time is reasonable and should be granted. Accordingly, the date by which DP&L must file its Plan should be extended to December 28, 2018, unless otherwise ordered by the Commission.

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 $\{\P 8\}$  It is, therefore,

 $\P$  9 ORDERED, That DP&L's motion for an extension of time be granted. It is,

further,

{¶ 10} ORDERED, That DP&L file its comprehensive distribution infrastructure

modernization plan no later than December 28, 2018, unless otherwise ordered by the

Commission. It is, further,

**{¶ 11}** ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon each party of record.

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/s/Patricia A. Schabo

By: Patricia A. Schabo Attorney Examiner

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry granting motion for extension of time and setting deadline for filing comprehensive distribution infrastructure modernization plan electronically filed by Heather A Chilcote on behalf of Patricia Schabo, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission