

## THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
VECTREN ENERGY DELIVERY OF OHIO,  
INC. FOR APPROVAL OF AN INCREASE IN  
GAS RATES.

CASE NO. 18-298-GA-AIR

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
VECTREN ENERGY DELIVERY OF OHIO,  
INC. FOR APPROVAL OF AN ALTERNATIVE  
RATE PLAN.

CASE NO. 18-299-GA-ALT

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
VECTREN ENERGY DELIVERY OF OHIO,  
INC. FOR APPROVAL OF AN ALTERNATIVE  
RATE PLAN.

CASE NO. 18-49-GA-ALT

### ENTRY

Entered in the Journal on December 30, 2019

{¶ 1} Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio, Inc. (VEDO or the Company) is a natural gas company and a public utility as defined by R.C. 4905.03 and R.C. 4905.02, respectively. As such, VEDO is subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission pursuant to R.C. 4905.04, 4905.05, and 4905.06.

{¶ 2} On January 3, 2018, VEDO filed a notice of intent to file an application for approval of an alternative rate plan under R.C. 4929.05. *In the Matter of the Application of Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio, Inc. for Approval of an Alternative Rate Plan*, Case No. 18-49-GA-ALT (*CEP Rider Case*). On February 21, 2018, the Company filed two additional notices of intent: one to file an application for an increase in rates and charges under R.C. 4909.18 and a second notice of intent to file a separate application for approval of an alternative rate plan under R.C. 4929.05. *In the Matter of Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio, Inc. for Approval of an Increase in Rates*, Case No. 18-298-GA-AIR; *In the Matter of Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio, Inc. for Approval of an Alternative Rate Plan*, Case No. 18-299-GA-ALT (together, *Rate Case Proceedings*).

{¶ 3} On March 30, 2018, VEDO filed its combined application to increase rates and charges and for approval of an alternative rate plan pursuant to R.C. 4909.18 and R.C. 4929.05 in the *Rate Case Proceedings*. And, on April 13, 2018, VEDO filed its application for approval of an alternative rate plan in the *CEP Rider Case*. By Entry issued May 24, 2018, the attorney examiner granted a motion to consolidate all three of VEDO's cases into one proceeding.

{¶ 4} On August 28, 2019, the Commission issued its Opinion and Order in this proceeding, adopting the stipulation filed by various parties to this proceeding. Subsequently, on December 4, 2019, the Commission denied rehearing with respect to all applications for rehearing filed in this proceeding.

{¶ 5} By Entry dated November 9, 2018, the attorney examiner granted a motion to appear pro hac vice filed on behalf of P. Jason Stephenson. On December 26, 2019, VEDO filed a notice of withdrawal of Mr. Stephenson as counsel in this proceeding.

{¶ 6} The attorney examiner finds that the withdrawal of Mr. Stephenson as counsel in this proceeding should be accepted.

{¶ 7} It is, therefore,

{¶ 8} ORDERED, That the withdrawal of P. Jason Stephenson as counsel in this proceeding be accepted. It is, further,

{¶ 9} ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon all parties of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

/s/Gregory A. Price

By: Gregory A. Price  
Attorney Examiner

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry accepting withdrawal of counsel electronically filed by Heather A Chilcote on behalf of Gregory A. Price, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio