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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of First-
Energy Corp. on Behalf of Ohio Edison
Company, The Cleveland Electric Illumi-
nating Company, and The Toledo Edi-
son Company for Approval of Their
Transition Plans and for Authorization
to Collect Transition Revenues.)
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) Case No. 99-1212-EL-ETP
) Case No. 99-1213-EL-ATA
) Case No. 99-1214-EL-AAM
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In the Matter of the Complaint of the
City of Cleveland and WPS Energy
Services, Inc.,)
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Complainant,)
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v.)

Case No. 01-174-EL-CSS

The Cleveland Electric Illuminating
Company and FirstEnergy Corp.,)
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Respondents.)
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In the Matter of the Complaint of Dennis
E. Alliance Energy Services,)
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Complainant,)
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v.)

Case No. 00-1920-EL-CSS

FirstEnergy Corp.,)
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Respondent.)
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ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) On December 18, 2000, the city of Cleveland and WSP Energy Services (WSP) filed a joint emergency motion requesting that FirstEnergy Corp. (FE) on behalf of the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company (CEI) be directed to comply with the terms of the transition plan stipulations. On January 24, 2001, the city and WSP filed a complaint against CEI and FE for failing to comply with the market support generation (MSG) provisions of the stipulations approved by the Commission in CEI's transition plan case.

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- (2) On October 13, 2000, Alliance Energy Services filed a complaint with the Commission regarding the lack of notice it received regarding FE's MSG workshop held on October 2, 2000.
- (3) The Commission's staff has also received questions regarding the interpretation of various provisions of FE's transition plan stipulations relating to MSG and FE's protocol for distribution of the MSG.
- (4) In light of the actions set forth above, the examiner believes that a settlement conference in the above-captioned cases should be scheduled to provide a forum to discuss, and possibly clarify, various terms and provisions of the stipulations in FE's transition plan as they relate to the MSG program and FE's protocol for the distribution of MSG. The conference will be scheduled for February 22, 2001, at 1:30 p.m., in hearing room D, at the offices of the Commission, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That a settlement conference be held as set forth in Finding (4). It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this entry be served on all parties of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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