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VIA UPS OVERNIGHT

James J. McNulty, Secretary Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Commonwealth Keystone Building 400 North Street Harrisburg, PA 17120

Re: Retail Markets Working Group; Docket No. M-00072009; Position of West Penn Power Company d/b/a Allegheny Power

Dear Secretary McNulty:

In accord with the Pennsylvania Bulletin Notice of April 26, 2008, West Penn Power Company d/b/a Allegheny Power files an original and 10 copies of its Position Statement. Allegheny Power incorporates by reference the positions of the Energy Association of Pennsylvania (EAPA) on sections 69.1812--69.1817 of the Policy Statement which refer to the topic areas: information and data access, rate and bill ready billing, purchase of receivables, customer referral program, supplier tariffs and retail choice ombudsman.

Supplemental to the EAPA position on 69.1814, purchase of receivables (POR), Allegheny recommends that the Duquesne pilot first serve to measure the success of POR to increase the number customers shopping. Secondly, should the Duquesne POR pilot result in statistically significant changes in customer shopping activity, the structure and design of the Duquesne POR pilot should be a consideration of but not a requirement for any subsequent utility POR programs

The contact person of Allegheny Power in the working group will be the undersigned, Thomas A. Rone. An additional copy of the submission is sent electronically as directed.

Very truly yours,

Thomas A. Rone Engineer, Supplier Coordination

cc: Lawrence Barth (via email: lbarth@state.pa.us)