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Honorable James McNulty
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RE: Petition of Duquesne Light Company for Approval of its
Smart Meter Procurement and Installation Program
PUC Docket No. M-2009-2123948
Notice of Withdrawal of Counsel

Dear Secretary McNulty:

Please find attached for electronic filing a Notice of Withdrawal of Counsel, Scott Perry, in the above referenced matter. Aspasia V. Staevska will continue as Attorney of Record representing the Department of Environmental Protection, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Copies have been served on all parties listed on the enclosed Certificate of Service.

Sincerely,

/s/ Scott Perry

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BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Petition of Duquesne Light Company :
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Procurement and Installation Program :

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL

In accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.24(3), please withdraw my appearance as counsel in the above matter on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Environmental Protection.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing document, Notice of Withdrawal of Counsel, upon parties of record in this proceeding in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code Section 1.54 (relating to service by a participant), in the manner upon the persons listed below:

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