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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING AND HAND DELIVERY

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
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RE: PPL Electric Utilities Corporation Supplement No. 118 to Tariff Electric PA PUC No. 201 (Rate Increase Filing), Docket No. R-2012-2290597; **PETITION TO INTERVENE OF DOMINION RETAIL, INC.**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission are the original and three (3) copies of the Petition to Intervene of Dominion Retail, Inc. d/b/a Dominion Energy Solutions in the above-captioned docket. Copies of this Petition have been served in accordance with the attached Certificate of Service.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions related to this filing, please contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Todd S. Stewart
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Enclosures

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing document upon the parties, listed below, in the manner indicated below, and in accordance with the requirements of 52 P.A. Code §1.54 (relating to service by a party).

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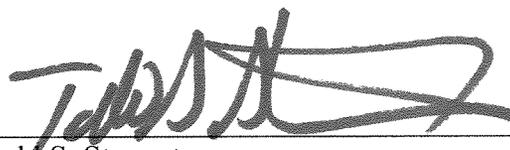
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BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

PPL Electric Utilities Corporation	:	
Supplement No. 118 to Tariff Electric	:	Docket No. R-2012-2290597
PA PUC No. 201 (Rate Increase Filing)	:	

**PETITION TO INTERVENE OF
DOMINION RETAIL, INC.**

AND NOW, comes Dominion Retail, Inc., d/b/a Dominion Energy Solutions (“DES”), by and through its counsel, Hawke McKeon & Sniscak, LLP, and hereby Petitions to Intervene in the above-captioned rate increase request of PPL Electric Utilities Corporation (“PPL”), which was filed with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (“Commission”) on or about March 30, 2012. DES submits this Petition pursuant to 52 Pa. Code § 5.71, *et seq.*

DES is a licensed Electric Generation Supplier (“EGS”) and currently provides service to approximately 200,000 customers in the PPL service territory. DES, therefore has a significant and substantial interest in the outcome of this proceeding, particularly with regard to PPL’s proposed increase of the purchase of receivables (“POR”) discount and other matters that could affect its ability to provide cost-effective and efficient service to its customers in the PPL service territory. Consequently, DES believes that its participation in this proceeding is in the public interest, that it has the requisite standing to participate in this proceeding, and respectfully requests the Commission grant it full party status. In support of its Petition to Intervene, DES states and avers as follows:

1. On or about March 30, 2012, PPL filed a request for a distribution rate increase of approximately \$104.6 million.

2. DES is the trade name of Dominion Retail, Inc. DES is a licensed electric generation supplier and provides service to approximately 200,000 customers in the PPL service territory.

3. DES is represented in this matter by the following counsel. Please serve this counsel with all documents previously served or to be served in this docket both by electronic and paper form.

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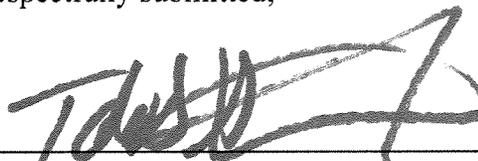
4. DES presently is reviewing PPL's filing and reserves the right to address any and all appropriate issues in this matter. However, a single component of PPL proposal stands out, namely, its proposal to increase its POR discount by .53%, from the present 1.8% to 2.23%. The POR discount is the amount, expressed as a percentage of a customer's billed electric generation supply charges, that PPL charges suppliers when it bills and collects for suppliers in its service territory. This proposed POR increase will be a significant focus of the attention of DES' participation in this proceeding. DES may raise other issues as it deems necessary.

5. The outcome of the POR discount proposal and any other issues that DES would expect raise in this proceeding, will directly affect DES' ability to provide service to its

customers in the PPL service territory, and DES would be bound by a Commission decision on any of such issues. Because DES serves a significant number of customers in the PPL service territory, it has a direct and substantial interest in the outcome of this proceeding that cannot adequately be represented by any other party to this proceeding. Accordingly, DES believes that it meets the requirements of 52 Pa Code § 5.72(a)(2) for standing to participate in this proceeding and respectfully requests that such standing be granted.

WHEREFORE, DES respectfully requests that the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission and the Presiding Administrative Law Judge grant its Petition to Intervene in the above-captioned proceedings and be granted full party status in these matters.

Respectfully submitted,



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