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May 1, 2012


Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pa. Public Utility Commission
P.O. Box 3265
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Re: Pa. Public Utility Commission v. PPL Electric
Utilities Corp., Docket No. R-2012-2290597

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Enclosed for filing please find the Petition to Intervene of International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 1600, in the above-referenced proceeding.

The document was filed electronically with the Commission on this date.

Sincerely,


Enclosure

cc: All parties per certificate of service

4. On March 30, 2012, PPL filed a request for a base rate increase of approximately \$104.6 million.

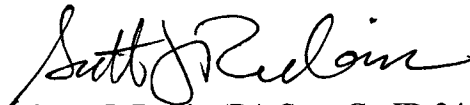
5. IBEW anticipates numerous issues being raised in this proceeding that will or may affect its interests as a representative of PPL's employees and retirees and as a customer of PPL. For example, PPL's filing includes claims based on the projected number of employees, wages, benefits, training costs, and many other factors that will or may have a direct effect on IBEW and its members. In addition, issues may be raised by various parties concerning the safety or reliability of PPL's service and various expense items that will or may have a direct effect on IBEW and its members.

6. No other party represents the interests of IBEW and its members.

7. IBEW intends to actively participate in this proceeding on such matters that affect its interests as a customer of PPL and the interests of its members as employees and retirees of PPL. Such participation may include the presentation of testimony and the cross-examination of witnesses presented by PPL and other parties to this proceeding.

WHEREFORE, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 1600, respectfully requests the right to intervene as an active party in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dated: May 1, 2012

VERIFICATION

I, Michael Wert, the President of International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 1600, hereby state that the facts above set forth are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, and that I expect to be able to prove the same at a hearing held in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. § 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities).

Michael W. Wert

Date: April 30, 2012

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have caused to be served this day a true copy of the foregoing document upon the parties listed below by electronic mail and U.S. mail, first-class, postage prepaid, in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a party).

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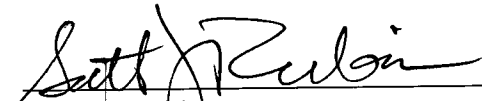
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