

BEFORE THE  
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

PPL Electric Utilities Corporation – Petition :  
For Approval of Act 129 Phase III Energy : Docket No. M-2015-2515642  
Efficiency & Conservation Plan :

**COMMISSION ON ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY'S  
PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE MEMORANDUM**

**I. HISTORY**

The Commission on Economic Opportunity (CEO) intervened in this matter by Petition to Intervene filed on December 22, 2015. CEO is a not-for-profit corporation and is an advocate for its clients – the low-income population of Luzerne County. CEO has intervened in prior matters before the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission for the purpose of addressing a company's universal service programs and the effects of any requested rate increases on low-income customers. CEO has also intervened in prior Act 129 proceedings involving this company and in the Commission's general Act 129 proceedings. CEO intervened in this particular matter to address the low-income portion of the Company's plan. CEO anticipates participation as an active party and submitting testimony in this matter that will serve in lieu of comments to the Plan.

**II. ISSUES TO BE PRESENTED BY CEO**

1. Whether the low-income portion of the Company's Plan adequately addresses the requirements under Act 129 and the Commission's Orders governing the same.
2. Whether the Company's low-income plan properly provides for the coordination of the energy conservation services it provides through its LIURP WRAP and Act 129 WRAP.

3. Whether the Company's Plan properly addresses the need to increase participation of its low-income customers in the energy conservation programs and measures it provides.

4. The role that community based organizations will play in the providing of services to the Company's low-income customers as it relates to the traditional role that CBOs have played in the Company's Act 129 Plans and the role of the CSP selected by the Company to administer its low-income program.

5. Such other issues that may arise in the proceeding.

**III. WITNESSES**

CEO will present the testimony of Eugene M. Brady, Executive Director of CEO, to address the issues above-described.

**IV. PROPOSED SCHEDULE**

CEO will work with the other parties for an agreed upon schedule to be presented to the Administrative Law Judge.

**V. SETTLEMENT**

CEO will be open to settlement discussions as this matter proceeds.

Respectfully submitted,



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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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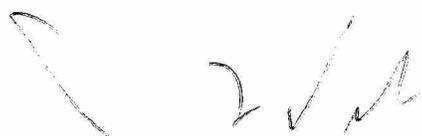
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