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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
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Re: Joint Petition of Metropolitan Edison Company, Pennsylvania Electric Company, Pennsylvania Power Company and West Penn Power Company For Approval of Their Default Service Programs; Docket Nos. P-2015-2511333; P-2015-2511351; P-2015-2511355; P-2015-2511356

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Consistent with Paragraph 13.A.2.d in the Joint Petition for Settlement approved by the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission ("Commission") on May 19, 2016 at the above-referenced docket, Metropolitan Edison Company, Pennsylvania Electric Company, Pennsylvania Power Company and West Penn Power Company (collectively, the "Companies") hereby provide an update on their ability to bill hourly priced service through smart meters.

The Companies continue to deploy smart meters across their service territories per their Commission-approved Revised Smart Meter Deployment Plans. Deployment includes the necessary back office systems and processes to enable the functionality associated with smart meters. The ability for smart meter interval data to support billing hourly priced service is currently scheduled to be in the production environments in the mid-2019 timeframe.

Please contact me with any questions regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,



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Enclosures

c: As Per Certificate of Service

**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Joint Petition of Metropolitan Edison	:	
Company, Pennsylvania Electric Company,	:	Docket No. P-2015-2511333
Pennsylvania Power Company and West	:	P-2015-2511351
Penn Power Company for Approval of	:	P-2015-2511355
their Default Service Programs	:	P-2015-2511356
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify and affirm that I have this day served a copy of the foregoing document on the following persons in the matter specified in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54:

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