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Re: Joint Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan of Metropolitan Edison Company, Pennsylvania Electric Company Pennsylvania Power Company, and West Penn Power Company for 2019-2023; Docket Nos. M-2017-2636969, M-2017-2636973, M-2017-2636976, and M-2017-2636978

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

On October 3, 2019, the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission ("Commission") issued an Order at Docket No. M-2019-3012601 ("Scheduling Order") extending the length of utilities' current Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plans ("USECP") and revising the filing schedule for future USECPs. Further, the Scheduling Order requested that utilities submit revised budget and enrollment projections based on this extension to current USECP timelines as part of the addendums due within 60 days of the entry date of the Order amending the Customer Assistance Program ("CAP") Policy Statement ("CAP Policy Statement Order") at Docket No. M-2019-3012599.

The CAP Policy Statement Order was entered on November 5, 2019, which originally established a due date for the addendums, including budget and enrollment projections, of January 6, 2020. However, on November 25, 2019, the Commission stayed the due date for filing addendums, but also clarified that other filing obligations established at Docket No. M-2019-3012601 remain, including the filing of revised budget and enrollment projections.

Metropolitan Edison Company ("Met-Ed"), Pennsylvania Electric Company ("Penelec"), Pennsylvania Power Company ("Penn Power"), and West Penn Power Company ("West Penn") (collectively, the "Companies") respectfully request that the Commission extend the deadline for utilities to submit revised budget and enrollment projections for their current USECPs. The Companies intend to propose certain modifications to their current USECP based on the recent changes to the CAP Policy Statement. Because these changes are expected to impact budget and enrollment projections for the remaining years of the Companies' USECP, the Companies seek to delay this filing obligation and instead include this information with their formal request to

modify their current USECP. In an effort to align with a similar request made by PECO Energy Company on December 13, 2019, the Companies specifically request that this filing obligation be extended until at least 45 days following the entry date of the Commission's Order on Reconsideration and/or Clarification at Docket No. M-2019-3012599.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,

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