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August 3, 2010

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pa. Public Utility Commission
P.O. Box 3265
Harrisburg PA 17105-3265

Re: Pa. P.U.C. v. Duquesne Light Company
Docket No. R-2010-2179522

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Enclosed for filing please find the Petition to Intervene of International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 29, in the above-referenced proceeding.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Scott J. Rubin". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "S" at the beginning.

Enclosure

cc: per Certificate of Service

4. On July 23, 2010, Duquesne filed a request for a base rate increase of approximately \$87.3 million.

5. IBEW anticipates numerous issues being raised in this proceeding that will or may affect its interests as a representative of Duquesne's employees and retirees and as a customer of Duquesne. For example, Duquesne's filing includes claims regarding employment levels, employee wages and benefits expenses, and pension funding, among others. In addition, issues may be raised by various parties concerning the safety or reliability of Duquesne's service that will or may have a direct effect on IBEW and its members.

6. No other party to this proceeding 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 Duquesne and the interests of its members as employees and retirees of Duquesne. Such participation may include the presentation of direct or rebuttal testimony and the cross-examination of witnesses presented by Duquesne and other parties to this proceeding.

WHEREFORE, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 29 respectfully requests the right to intervene as an active party in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dated: August 3, 2010

VERIFICATION

I, Jeffrey R. Davis, the Business Manager of International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 29, 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).

Date:

8/3/2010

Jeffrey R. Davis

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing upon the following parties to this proceeding by electronic mail and first class mail.

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