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## VIA OVERNIGHT UNITED PARCEL SERVICE

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Commonwealth Keystone Building 400 North Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Harrisburg, PA 17120 RECEIVED

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PA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION BECRETARY'S BURLAU

Re: CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL ENCLOSED

Joint Petition for Consolidation of Proceedings and Approval of Energy Efficiency and Conservation Plans of Metropolitan Edison Company, Pennsylvania Electric Company and Pennsylvania Power Company Docket Nos. M-2009-2092222, M-2009-2112952, M-2009-2112956

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Enclosed are an original and three (3) copies of the executed **CONFIDENTIAL**Agreement between FirstEnergy Service Company (on behalf of Metropolitan Edison Company, ("Met-Ed") and BPL Global LTD ("BPLG") to provide a comprehensive, advanced direct load control solution to deploy Met-Ed's Direct Load Control Project, one of the approved Energy Efficiency and Conservation programs being implemented by Met-Ed in accordance with Act 129 of 2008.

The Agreement consists of six CONFIDENTIAL documents:

- a Purchase Order, setting forth pricing and additional terms of the Agreement;
- the FirstEnergy Service Company Master Services Agreement;
- a Mutual Confidentiality Agreement; . 1
- the DOE Contract Addendum;
- the BPLG Software License and Services Agreement; and
- the full BPLG proposal to provide direct load control services.

In awarding this contract, Met-Ed followed the approved Competitive Bidding Process for Conservation Service Providers, which was submitted to the Commission and approved by Secretarial Letter dated March 18, 2009. This contract incorporates the Master Services Agreement, without exception, which was approved by the Commission by Secretarial

Letter dated November 20, 2009.

By this letter, Met-Ed respectfully requests Commission staff's review and approval of the enclosed Agreement within forty-five (45) days of filing, consistent with the Commission's Act 129 Implementation Order. However, to the extent possible, Met-Ed would appreciate any expedited review and approval of this contract so that it can begin implementing this important program in the near future.

Due to the financially sensitive and proprietary nature of the information contained in this Agreement, Met-Ed respectfully requests that the Commission accord the Agreement the highest possible confidential treatment under the Commission's regulations.

Please date stamp the additional copy of this cover letter and return it to me in the enclosed, postage-prepaid envelope. Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not he sitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Bradley A. Bingaman

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## CONFIDENTIAL/PROPRIETARY MATERIAL FOLLOWS:

NO SCANNED IMAGE AVAILABLE

ACTUAL DOCUMENT IN CONFIDENTIAL FILE FOLDER

